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Responsibility of Street Railroads.

DUNCQUE, Iowa, October 27th.—The Supreme Court here to-day rendered a decision in the case of Sarah W. Stanley vs. The City of Davenport, which created considerable excitement, as it will affect every city in the State upon whose streets railways are allowed. The appellant was injured by her horse being frightened by the engine of a street railway company and running away. She sued the company. The Court below rendered judgment against her. The Supreme Court reversed this, holding the city liable for all damages to persons or property by the running of said steam motor, since the city has no authority to convey title to streets or authorize their use for private purpose nor for public purpose, except by legislative authority, which renders it dangerous to public travel.

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Copy of

An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco.

The People of the State of California represented in Senate & Assembly do enact as follows: —

Section 1. — The lands designated upon a Map of the "Outside Lands" of the City & County of San Francisco, made in pursuance of Order Number Eight Hundred & Sixty, by the word "Park", to wit: including from Stanyan Street on the East to the Pacific Ocean is hereby dedicated and shall be known as the "Golden Gate Park" and the other parcel of land fronting on Haight Street and also marked "Park" is here by designated and shall be known as Buena Vista Park; and also the land marked on said Map "Avenue", extending from Park Street westward until it crossed Stanyan Street shall be & remain Public Parks of said City & County and shall be improved as such by the Commissioners hereinafter mentioned and their successors.

Section 2. — The said Parks & Avenue shall be under the exclusive control & management of a Board of Park Commissioners who are hereby designated as Park Commissioners.

No Park Commissioner shall acquire or have any interest in the transaction & business out of money shall be paid, or contract entered into, authorizing the expenditure of money, without the approval & the Mayor & Board of said City and a majority of said Board.

Section 3. — The Governor of the State of California is hereby authorized and directed within five days after the passage & this Act to appoint three competent & disinterested persons who shall receive no compensation for their services. Vacancies occasioned by the death, resignation or incapacity of any Commissioner shall be filled by the remaining members of the Board for the residue of the term for which such Commissioner shall be appointed. In case of the refusal or neglect of any person appointed Commissioner to qualify within ten days after notice of his appointment, a majority of the Commissioners shall have power to appoint some other person in his place. Each Commissioner shall take the oath of office prescribed by law and give bonds in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars for the faithful performance of his duties. The Commissioners shall receive no compensation for their services. They shall have power to employ a Secretary, Surveyors, Engineers, Landscape Gardeners, Architects, Superintendents, Foremen, Clerks and such other persons as may be necessary to prepare and adopt plans, estimates and specifications for the improvement & the Parks and Avenue, and to fix the amount of their salaries, and to employ all persons engaged in

deposits as may be agreed upon with said Board & shall keep & keep an account with said Board. No money shall be drawn from said Fund except upon a Warrant signed by a majority of the Commissioners and the Mayor.

Section 13:— It shall be lawful for said Board of Commissioners to pass such Ordinances as they may deem necessary for the regulating, use & government of said Parks & Plaza, not inconsistent with the laws of the State of California. Said Ordinances shall within five days after their passage, be published for ten days (Sundays excepted) in a daily newspaper published in said City & County to be selected by said Commissioners.

Section 14:— All persons offending against any such Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and be punished on conviction in the Police Court of said City and County.

Section 15:— This Act shall take effect immediately.

Approved — April 2nd 1870.

Chapter 538 of the Laws of the 18th Session of the Legislature of California. —

Proceedings of Park Commissioners

May 3 - 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met at Room No - No 320 California St. on Tuesday May 3rd 1870 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Present

A. Butterworth
E. T. Connolly
& C. F. Macondray

Commission of E. T. Connolly

The Secretary Commissioners presented their commissions & appointment by the Governor as follows:

"United States of America
State of California

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know ye, that reposing special confidence in the Capacity Integrity & Ability of

E. T. Connolly,

I, H. H. Haight, Governor of the State of California in the name & by the authority of the People of said State, do hereby grant, appoint and commission him, the said E. T. Connolly,

Park Commissioner

under the provisions of the Act entitled

"An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco" approved April 2nd 1870

In testimony whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State to be hereunto affixed, at the City of Sacramento, this fourteenth day of April in the year of our Lord 1870

Signed H. H. Haight
Governor

Attest:
A. L. Richard
Secretary of State"

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Endorsed upon the Commission was the following "I do Solemnly Swear that I will support the Constitution of the United States & the Constitution of the State of California & that I will faithfully discharge the duties of the office of Park Commissioner according to the best of my ability."

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 2d day of May 1870

Signed E. T. Connolly

Signed C. L. Rice
Notary Public

Commissioners present / S. T. Butterworth and C. T. Mac Donald

Commissioners Connolly and Mac Donald were present as Commissioners.

Election of President

A ballot was then had for President with the following result:

For S. T. Butterworth	2 votes
" D. M. Connolly -	1 vote

Mr. Butterworth was thereupon declared duly elected President of the Board -

Appointment of Secretary

On motion of Gov. Connolly, it was resolved that the Board appoint a Secretary, whose compensation should be Eleven hundred dollars ($1100.00) per month.

Mr. Andrew J. Mouldes was then unanimously elected Secretary of the Board -

Authorization to print

On motion of Gov. Connolly, the Secretary was authorized to print 1000 Circulars &c., as an office for the Commissioners, at a cost of $25 per month -

Purchase of Desk

On motion of D. Connolly the Secretary was authorized to purchase a desk for the office at an expense not to exceed $22.00 -

Seal of Board

On motion of C. T. Mac Donald the Secretary was instructed to procure the necessary forms for an authority seal, emitting impression of the Seal of the Park Board.

Adjournment

And there no further business the Board adjourned to meet again on the call of the President -

Andrew J. Mouldes
Secretary -

June 25th 1870 -

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call of the President at their office on Cal. St. on Monday June 20th 1870 at 12 Oclock M.

Present

S. T. Butterworth in the Chair
D. M. Connolly
& C. T. Mac Donald

Communication from Wm. H. Hall Esq. re. Mr. K. Kobé in regard to Survey

A communication was received from Wm. H. Hall Esq. relative, at length, his plan for making a topographical survey of the Park -

It was determined by the Board that they would have such a survey made.

Resolution to obtain plans and specifications

On motion of C. T. Mac Donald, the Secretary was instructed to obtain from competent Engineers plans, & specifications and estimates for a minute & accurate Topographical Survey & Delineation of the Central Gate Park & the Parade & between the Fence to Cent. Ave. & Ave. G. & to the Pac. Sea. Cavalcade, for their abbreviation, with a request that they will amend & simplify the same in their judgment, it can be done, so as to obtain the best possible plan upon which to base the survey.

Adjournment

And there no further business the Board adjourned to meet again on the call of the President -

Andrew J. Mouldes
Secretary -

June 25th 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met, on call of the President at the office on Cal St. on Saturday June 25. 1870 at 1 Oclock P.M.

Present

D. M. Connolly
& C. T. Mac Donald

Form of Bond

The Secretary submitted the following form of bond with an amendment attached, to be issued to the Commissioners:

"United States of America

-1000- The Parks and Avenue Improvement Bond -1000-

Form of Bond

No. ——

The Board of Park Commissioners of the City & County of San Francisco, State of Cal. will pay to ——, or the holder hereof the sum of One Thousand Dollars, gold coin of the United States, Fifty years from the date hereof, with interest thereon, in like gold coin, at the rate of Six per cent per year, payable half-yearly on the first day of July & the first day of January of each year, upon interest Coupons hereto attached. Principal & interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of San Francisco.

This Bond is issued under, & in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco" - Approved April 4th 1870 & the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco are required to raise by tax, a sum of money sufficient to pay the interest annually accruing & the Public Parks & Avenues are fixed as security for the redemption of this Bond.

We Samuel C. Bulkeworth, Carel W. Connolly & Horace Gray Jr. Park Commissioners, by virtue of the State & authority in us vested by said Act, have hereunto subscribed our names & affixed the official seal of said Board this —— day of —— 1870. (Blanks for signatures)"

State of California"

Form of Coupon

"Coupon No. —— On the first day of July —— The Park Commissioners of the City & County of San Francisco will pay to the bearer hereof, in United States gold coin, at the office of the Treasurer of San Francisco the sum of Thirty Dollars for Interest thereon due on Bond No. ——

(signed) —— President Park Commissioners"

On motion of Mr. Horace Gray Jr. this form was adopted & the Secretary was instructed to have the same advertised

On motion the Secretary was instructed to prepare & submit a design for the official seal of the Board

And then on motion the Board adjourned to meet on call of three of the members.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

July 5th 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal St. on Tuesday, July 5th 1870 at 10 o'clock A.M.

Present

C.W. Connolly
& C.S. Horace Gray Jr.

Bids for Bonds

This being the last day for the reception of bids for the purchase of Park Bonds, the only bid received was opened.

It was from Mr. Abraham Spiegelman, accepting par, in gold coin, for thirteen lots of $1000 each, or Thirteen thousand dollars - the money payable on delivery of the bonds, & the interest to be calculated from same date.

Acceptance of Bid of Mr A. Spiegelman

On motion of Mr. Horace Gray Jr. this bid was accepted & the Secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Spiegelman of the fact & that the Bonds would be ready for delivery between the 15th & 20th of July.

Form of Warrant ordered

On motion of Mr. Connolly, the Secretary was instructed to have a proper form for Warrants and Vouchers printed.

Adjourned

And there no motion, the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder - Secretary

July 26th 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal St., on Tuesday, July 26th 1870 at 3 o'clock P.M.

Present -

C.W. Connolly
& C.S. Horace Gray Jr.

Form of Seal presented & adopted

The Secretary presented a design for an official seal of the Board - in magnitude the size of a dollar, having the words around the rim "Seal San Francisco Park Commissioners, 1870" & within the inner circle a vignette representing the ornamental gates & main drive of the Park, with the back ground of mountains &c.

On motion of Mr. Horace Gray Jr. this design was adopted as the official seal of Board -

Specifications for Survey adopted

The specifications for a survey &c. of the Park, furnished by Mr. Samuel Hall, were amended by the Commissioners & then adopted as the basis for a contract to be let for the survey.

Inviting bids for Survey &c

On motion of Mr Connely, the Secretary was instructed to address communications to Messrs. Wm A. Hall Capt L. Harris, Alfred Pratt & F. De Lanza, inviting them to state for what sum, in gross, they will make the survey, prepare the maps &c. called for by, & in strict conformity with said specifications.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned to meet on call of two of the members —
Andrew J. Moulder. Secretary

August 1st 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal. Street on Monday, August 1st 1870 at 10 Oclock A. M.

Present

S. W. Connely
& C. F. Mac Donald

Delivered Bonds to Abraham Seligman

On motion, the Secretary was instructed to deliver to Mr. Abraham Seligman fifteen bonds of $1000- each, dated August 1st 1870, duly signed & authenticated & numbered consecutively from No 1 to No 15 both inclusive & receive in return therefor, the sum of $15,000 in gold coin.

Mr Connely introduced the following Resolution:

"Resolved - That Abraham Seligman is hereby appointed Treasurer of the Park Commissioners -

Resolved - That his offer of Interest on deposits in his hands, of five per cent (5%) per annum, at months balances, be accepted."

Adopted -

Bills audited

On motion of Mr Mac Donald the following bills were audited & ordered to be paid:

J. Finkenauer - Rent of Office for June July & August	$75.00
D. J. Oliphant & Co. Advertising for Bids	5.00
Frank Bacon & Co.	60.00
Henry Dehne &c Carpets for Office	20.00
S. W. Butterworth - Cash pd. Express & Cpes for May	25.00
Hastings & Nephew - Rent of Office for May June & July	225.00
W. M. Bishop & Co. Advertising for Bids	5.00
Andrew J. Moulder, Petty Cash Expenditures	6.30
Bancroft & Co - Engraving Bonds & Printing	316.50
W. C. Goldsmith - Engraving Seal	15.00

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned -
Andrew J. Moulder - Secretary

August 8th 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal. Street on Monday, August 8th at 11 Oclock A.M.

Present

S. W. Connelly
& C. F. Mac Donald

Bids for Park Survey &c

Sealed bids for the survey of the Avenue & Golden Gate Park, in conformity with Specifications, were received and opened by the Commissioners - Showing the following results:

Col F. De Lanza offered to do the work for	$12,000 gold
Capt L. Harris " " " "	$ 7701 "
Wm Hamilton Hall " " "	$ 860 - "

Alfred Pratt & Chas. Hoffmann who had been invited to put in bids failed to do so -

Contract for Survey awarded to Wm A. Hall

Mr. Wm A. Hall being the lowest bidder it was ordered that the contract be awarded to him & the Secretary was instructed to have the contract and a bond for the faithful execution of the same drawn up in proper form & submitted to the Mayor of San Francisco for his approval as required by law -

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned. —
Andrew J. Moulder - Secretary

October 27th 1870

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal St on Thursday - October 27th at 11 Oclock A.M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth - in the Chair
S. W. Connely

Park Ordinance

Mr. Connely introduced the following Ordinance:

"The Park Commissioners do ordain as follows:

No person shall trespass on the grounds within the limits of "The Avenue" - the "Golden Gate" & "Buena Vista" Parks -

No person shall cut, or remove from said Avenue & Parks, any trees, shrubs, stakes, wood, turf, grass or soil.

It shall be the duty of the Custodian of the Avenue & Parks to arrest all trespassers, and all parties violating this Ordinance"

The Ordinance was unanimously adopted

It was ordered that it be published for 10 days in the S.F. Daily Examiner

And then on motion the Board adjourned -
Andrew J. Moulder - Secretary

November 17th 1870

Board met — The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal Street, on Thursday, November 17th at 12½ Oclock P.M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth (in the Chair)
D. W. Connely

Office of Park Keeper created — Mr. Connely introduced the following Resolution:

Resolved: That the office of Keeper of the Grounds of the Avenue & Parks is hereby created, and that Patrick Owens is hereby appointed to said Office, at a salary of Seventy-five dollars ($75) per month - the salary to commence from date, and the office to be held subject to the pleasure of the Board

Duties of Keeper — Resolved: That the Keeper be, and he is hereby authorized to arrest any and all persons found trespassing upon the grounds of the Avenue & Park"

Adopted

Adjourned — And then, on motion, the Board adjourned —

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

January 9th 1871

Board met — The Park Commissioners met on call at their office on Cal Street, on Monday, January 9th 1871 at 2 Oclock P.M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth (in the Chair)
D. W. Connely
C. F. MacDermot

Report adopted — On motion of Mr. Connely, the following Annual Report to the Board of Supervisors as required by Law, was adopted.

"Office of the Park Commissioners
San Francisco - January 9th 1871.

To The Honorable
The Board of Supervisors
of the City & County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen:

The undersigned Park Commissioners under and by virtue of the authority of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled, "An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco," approved April 4th 1870, have

Annual Report — the honor to submit herewith, a report of their proceedings, and a statement of their receipts and expenditures, as required by Section 6th of said Act

The Commissioners organized on the 3rd of May 1870, by the election of S. F. Butterworth as President, and Andrew J. Moulder as Secretary. The Salary of the Secretary was fixed at Seventy-five Dollars per month.

On the 6th of May, the Commissioners advertised in accordance with Law, for bids for Park Bonds to the amount of One Hundred Thousand Dollars, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent (6%) per annum, with a notification that no bid under par could be accepted.

Sixty days afterwards, to wit: on the 5th of July 1870, Bonds to the amount of Fifteen Thousand Dollars, were awarded to A. Seligman, at par, his being the only bid received, and on the 1st of August 1870, fifteen Bonds of $1000 each, dated August 1st 1870, and bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually the principal payable in Fifty years from date, were issued to said A. Seligman, and in return therefor, the sum of $15,000 in gold coin, was received by the Commissioners.

Abraham Seligman was appointed Treasurer, and his offer of One per cent. per annum, on monthly balances in his hands, was accepted.

Specifications for a minute topographical survey of the "Avenue" and "Golden Gate" Park, and their connections with the adjacent City Surveys, were prepared, and a number of competent Engineers and Surveyors, were invited to put in Sealed bids, stating for what sum in gross, they would execute the work in accordance with said Specifications.

On the 8th of August 1870, the bids were opened and the contract was awarded to Mr. Wm. Hammond Hall, for the sum of Four Thousand, Eight Hundred and Sixty Dollars, his being the lowest bid.

Mr. Hall entered the field shortly afterwards with a corps of Assistants, and completed a very careful and accurate Survey, early in December.

He is now engaged in the preparation of detailed maps on a large Scale embracing all desirable information, as a basis for the laying out and improvement of the

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Park and Avenue. It is expected these maps will be completed by the middle of January 1871.

On the 17th of November 1870, the Commissioners appointed P. Orrent, "Keeper of the Grounds of the Avenue and Parks," at a salary of $75 per month. This appointment was necessary to protect the trees, and shrubbery from waste by trespassers, and to prevent unauthorized parties from intruding upon the premises.

The Commissioners have taken steps towards the establishment of a green-house on an economical scale, for the rearing of suitable evergreen and other trees and shrubs, to be set out on the Park Grounds.

By this means, many thousand valuable trees will be obtained from the seeds at a comparatively small cost.

As soon as the maps of the surveys made, are completed, the Commissioners propose to adopt the best plan attainable, by competition, for the laying out and improvement of the Avenue and Parks, and to proceed, as rapidly as the means placed at their disposal will permit, to carry the same into execution.

Appended hereto, please find a statement of the Receipts and Expenditures of the Commissioners, from the date of their organization up to the present time.

We are
Very Respectfully

Park Commissioners

(Signed)
S. F. Butterworth
D. W. Connelly
C. F. MacDermot "

Financial Exhibit Jany 9th 1871

Receipts and Expenditures of the Park Commissioners

From May 3d 1870 to January 7th 1871.

Receipts

August 1 1870. From the Sale of Park Bonds to the amount of $15.000 at par — $15.000

Expenditures

Rent of Office 9 months to Feby 1 1871 @ $25.00	$225.
Advertising bids - 60 days	168.
Lithographing and printing Bonds and printing Vouchers, Checks &c	316.50
On acct of the survey of the Avenue and Parks	3500.
Salary of Secretary 8 months	600.
" " Park Keeper 1 month	75.
Engraving Seal	15.
Horse hire at sundry times for Commissioners visiting the Park	21.
Office Expenses: Carpets $10, Books, Stationery &c $16.75	
Petty Cash Expenditures $6.30	63.05
Construction of Green house	356.05
Seeds	15.05
Total Expenses	$5384.65
Leaving Cash on hand January 7 1871	4615.35

Adjourned

And then, on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Wheeler
Secretary

February 15th 1871

Board met — The Park Commissioners met on call at their office No. 320 Cal. Street on Wednesday. February 15th 1871. at 10 Oclock A. M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth (in the Chair)
D. W. Connely
C. F. Mac Dermot

Hall's final Report, with Survey & maps — Mr. Wm. Hammond Hall. Engineer. presented his final report upon the Survey, and detailed Maps of the "Avenue" & "Golden Gate Park" and a third map, on a reduced Scale, embracing the leading features of the other two.

Report & maps adopted — On motion of Mr. Connely the maps & Report were accepted and officially adopted by the Board.

Hall's bill ordered paid — On motion of Mr. Mac Dermot the bill of Mr. Hall for the Sum of $1360 00/100 the balance due him under his Contract for the Survey. was ordered paid.

Adjourned — And then on motion. the Board adjourned.
Andrew J. Moulder. Secretary

April 10th 1871

Board met — The Park Commissioners met on call at their office No 320 Cal Street, on Monday. April 10th 1871 at 10 Oclock A.M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth (in the Chair)
D. W. Connely
C. F. Mac Dermot

Resignation of Treasurer — A communication was received from Abraham Seligman resigning his position of Treasurer of the Board.

On motion of Mr. Connely the resignation was accepted.

Resolution appointing Seligman & Co Treasurers — Mr. Connely introduced the following Resolution:

"Resolved. That Messrs J. Seligman & Co are hereby appointed Treasurers of the Park Commissioners.

"Resolved: That their offer of Interest on deposits in their hands, of One per cent (1%) per annum on monthly balances be & the same is hereby accepted".

Adopted

And then on motion the Board adjourned.
Andrew J. Moulder. Secretary

May 12. 1871

Board met — The Park Commissioners met on call at their office No. 320 Cal. St. on Friday May 12. 1871 at 10. Oclock A. M.

Present

S. F. Butterworth (in the Chair)
D. W. Connely
C. F. Mac Dermot

Bids for Grading "The Avenue" — This being the last day for the reception of bids on the advertisement for the grading of "The Avenue" leading to the Golden Gate Park. the following bids were opened:

Names of Bidders	Bids per cubic yard for Excavating	for Filling
D. B. Hughes	7/8 c	1 7/8 c
Jno. W. Kelly	15	22
James Hamilton	10	15
Silas Miller	2 1/2	5 1/2
George C. Potter	8	16
Thomas Bradsen	8	8
James Casey	1	19 3/4
B. Feeney	2 1/2	6
Robt. McKeon	5	21
Brue & Carroll	12 3/4	9 3/4
Michael Hayes	9	9
Thos. B. Lewis & Co.	9 3/4	7 3/4
James Gaffney	6 1/2	7 1/2
Thos Byrne	5	8 1/4
J. C. Myers	8	16
Patrick Murphy & Co	8	10
D. Driscoll	10	11
Bates & Hales	12	16
C. D. S. Brice & Co.	6 1/2	16
Patrick Crichton	9	17
Jno. W. Conlin	7	12 1/2
Thomas O'Shea	8 1/2	10 1/2
Edward Deady	7 3/4	7 1/2

Contract awarded to B. Feeney — It appearing that the bid of B. Feeney was the lowest on motion of Mr. Connelly the contract was awarded to him, at the rate of 2 1/2 cents per cubic yard for excavating, and 6 cents per cubic yard for filling.

Offer by Sol. Seligman & Co. to take Bonds at par by A. Selig[illegible]

A communication was received from A. Seligman & Co. proposing to take San Francisco 6 per cent Park Bonds to the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars at Par.

Offer of A. Seligman & Co. to take Bonds at par. Delivery of Bonds ordered.

On motion of Mr. Mac Donald the offer was accepted, and it was ordered that the Secretary deliver on the 1st day of July 1871 to Abraham Seligman, Sixty bonds of $1000 each, dated August 1st 1870. (the same as the first issue) duly signed & authenticated, and numbered from No. 16 to No. 75 both inclusive. and, receive in return therefor $60.000 in gold coin. Provided that Coupon No. 1. payable on the 1st of January 1871. and Coupon No. 2. payable on the 1st of July 1871 shall be detached from said bonds. cancelled & surrendered to the Treasurer of the City & County of San Francisco.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary.

August 14th 1871

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office No. 320 Cal St. on Monday August 14th 1871, at 3 Oclock P.M.

Present

D. W. Connolly in the Chair
C. T. Mac Donald

Bonds ordered

Mr Connolly introduced the following Resolution;

"Resolved That William A. Hall be, and he is hereby appointed Engineer of the Parks, at a Salary of $250 per month, to commence from this date"

The Resolution was adopted

And then on motion the Board adjourned

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary.

September 20th 1871

Board met

The Park Commissioners met on call at their office No. 320 Cal. St. on Wednesday. September 20th 1871 at 3 Oclock P.M.

Present -

D. W. Connolly in the Chair
C. T. Mac Donald.

Bids for Macadamizing Park Avenue opened

This being the time appointed for the reception of bids for Macadamizing or "Surfacing" the Park Avenue from Baker Street to Stanyan Street in accordance with specifications. the following bids were opened:

James Gaffney offered to do the work for- 5 3/10 cts per square foot
Wm. J. Brady " " " " 5 1/2 c " " "
B. Fennel " " " " 4 3/4 c " " "

Contract awarded to B. Fennel

On motion of Mr. Mac Donald it was ordered that the contract be awarded to B. Fennel, the lowest bidder, at 4 3/4 cents per square foot.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

October 10th 1871

Board met. The Park Commissioners met on call at their office S.E. corner of Montgomery & Pine Sts on Tuesday, October 10. 1871 at 3½ O'clock P.M.

Present. D. W. Cromwell (in the Chair)
C. F. MacDermot.

Bids for Constructing Sewer opened. This being the day appointed as per advertisement, for the reception of bids for constructing a redwood Sewer in the avenue leading to the Park, in accordance with Specifications, the following bids were opened:

Wm J. Richardson offered to do the work for $5 70/100 per lineal foot and to construct manholes for $40.00 each
B. Kenny offered to do the work for $6 40/100 per lineal foot & manholes for $45.00 each
James Lapsley offered to do the work for $2 22/100 per lineal, or running foot.

Contract awarded to Lapsley. On motion of Mr. MacDermot the contract was awarded to James Lapsley the lowest bidder at $2 22/100 per lineal foot, and the Secretary was instructed to draw up a proper contract in accordance with the specifications

Adjourned. And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

December 8th 1871

Board met. Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met on Friday, December 8th 1871 at 10 O'clock A.M.

Present D. W. Cromwell
C. F. MacDermot
Commissioners

On motion of Mr. MacDermot was elected to the Chair.

Minutes read. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Offer of J. Selgman & Co. to take the $75,000 Bonds at par. A communication was received from J. Selgman & Co. proposing to take the Park Bonds to the amount of $75,000 at par.

Offer as above accepted. Mr. MacDermot moved & Mr. Cromwell seconded the following Resolution — Resolved that the offer of J. Selgman & Co. to take $75,000 of the Bonds of the Park Commissioners at par, as specified in their letter of this date be accepted by this Board.

Carried.

Issue of Bonds. Resolved that it is expedient to issue Bonds to the amount of $75,000 for the purpose of raising funds to carry out the objects of the Park Act of 1871 and the Acts amendatory thereof.

Engineer authorized to [illegible] Resolved that the Engineer be authorized to [illegible]

Kenny's bill, extra cost, referred to Commissioners Resolved that the bill of B. Kenny for extra cost of redwood Sewer be referred to the Commissioners with power to settle the same and draw an order for the amount found due.

Engineer Hall. Resolved that the Engineer Hall be appointed Engineer of the Park Commissioners at a salary of $1,500 per annum.

Adjourned. And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

January 12th 1872.

Board met — Pursuant to adj. the Park Commissioners met at City Hall, January 12th 1872 at 11 O'clock A. M.

Present
C. W. Carey,
C. Gilmore Present.

Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved on motion of Mr. Gilmore seconded by Mr. Carey and adopted.

Mr. Carey offered the following Engineer & Superintendent which was read & laid over for one week.

Mr. Sullivan was appointed Secretary pro tem.

Adjourned — Pursuant to call the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

January 30th 1872.

Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at the City Hall on Tuesday the 30th day of January 1872.

Present
C. W. Carey
C. Gilmore Present.

Secretary read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved.

On motion of Mr. Gilmore the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

February 5th 1872.

Board met — Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery st. on Monday February 5th 1872 at 2 O'clock P. M.

Present.
Eugene L. Sullivan Esq
C. Gilmore Present.

Engineer directed to draw specifications for Sewer around Park, to instruct Contractors to draw specifications. — The Engineer was instructed to draw specifications for a sewer to be laid around the Park, and that a notice be advertised for bids to execute said work immediately.

Engineer to draw specifications for leading walk from Fifth Ave. — The Engineer was instructed to draw specifications for a walk 20 feet wide, to be laid from Fifth Ave. to the Park, and that a notice be advertised for bids upon the same immediately.

Engineer to draw specifications for Circular walk around Mound in Park, Entrance at 59th St. — The Engineer was instructed to draw specifications for a walk to encircle the Mound in Central Park, and that a notice be advertised for bids to excavate the same immediately.

Engineer to draw specifications for Construction of Sewer from 5th Ave. to Park — The Engineer was instructed to draw specifications for the construction of a sewer from 5th Ave. to the Park, and that a notice be advertised for proposals to build the same immediately.

Engineer to draw specifications for removal of rock at B. Reservoir before Contractor commences work — The Engineer was instructed to make specifications for removing the rock at the B. Reservoir, before the Contractor commences to excavate for the new Reservoir, and that a notice be published for proposals for doing the same, referring to Col. Bucklen & the Board.

Engineer to protect Reservoir — The Engineer was instructed to have the slopes of the Reservoir properly protected from injury by sand or otherwise, by covering the slopes with sod, and to negotiate with owners of property from which said material may be taken & to file an estimate made by

abstracting the same with said Mr to go on with the work of constructing suitable drainways- and fencing the Avenue for days work &c as heretofore.

Engr to draw specifications &c for Contract & Advertising for bids for Southern portion

It was Ordered that the Engineer was also instructed to draw specifications &c for suitable to macadamize the Southern portion of Park Drive and the Solicitor to advertise for bids to execute said works and that bids for the same mentioned work shall have been received and acted upon.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

February 7th 1872.

Board met pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their office on Montgomery Street, on Friday Evening Feby 9th 1872, at 7½ O'clock P. M.

Present

Eugene L. Sullivan in the chair
C. S. Mac Dermot.

Bids for Construction of Drive

The Secretary to advertisement the following bids were received and opened for constructing a Drive thro' the Southern portion of the Park according to specifications:

Edward Butler offers to do the work for 15½ cts per lineal foot.
James Tapia " " " " " " 12½ " " " "
McCarthy & McClure " " " " " " 18 " " " "
F. Hays " " " " " " 16½ " " " "
D Lahee " " " " " " 18 " " " "
Wm Chandler " " " " " " 23 " " " "
Jas Walsh " " " " " " 19 " " " "
Edward Cadogan " " " " " " 17½ " " " "

Contract awarded to Walsh at 12½ cts

On motion of Mr Mac Dermot the contract for grading was awarded to James Walsh the lowest bidder at 12½ cts per

lineal foot.

Bid to Secretary Road roller

A bid was received and opened from H. Hayes, offering to sell to the Commissioners a Road Roller for $175. Not being no other bids it was ordered, on motion of Mr Mac Dermot, that the said be accepted, provided the Engineer should be satisfied that the same was sound.

Bid of D Kenny & Macadamizing Contract

A bid was received from D. Kenny offering to macadamize the Ocean Drive to the Cliff House. Said work at 4 cts per sq yd. Upon motion of Mr Mac Dermot, the said bid was accepted.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

February 11th 1872.

Board met

The Park Commissioners met pursuant to call at their Office on Montgomery Street, Wednesday, February 11th 1872, at 12 O'clock M.

Present Eugene L. Sullivan in the chair
C. S. Mac Dermot.

Gas Company's bills for 1871 & additional on Gas Contract

The communication was read from Gas Company offering to furnish gas during the year 1872 at additional cost of $150. per lamp for the four gates required by the Specifications.

On motion the communication was laid on the table.

Financial Statement filed

The Secretary presented a statement showing the general condition of the Park Fund.

Ordered on file.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder Secretary

March 7th 1872.

Board met — Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Street, on Thursday March 7th 1872 at 11 O'Clock A.M.

Present.

C. L. Sullivan in the chair
C. D. Mac Donald.

Minutes read — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills examined and passed — On motion of Mr Mac Donald the following bills were audited and ordered paid.

P. Hall for bills rendered for Labor	$2190.75
for Engineer Richard Rowerman 7 days @	14.00
for Use of Horses & Landwork Soldiers	50.00
Ed. Cain " " " Wood	1.00
Contra " " "	21.00

Bills examined — Bills were taken up from the table, the Clerk called the roll and ordered same paid as follows.

Contra	$ 65.00
Sand & Gravel Supply	135.00
Spikes & Nails & Building Mat.	17.00

All accounts allowed — On motion of Mr Mac Donald it was ordered that the Secretary be authorized to sell the Hay on hand @ $33. per ton and the Straw @ $1 per load of corn and hay.

Draft in favor of Contractor was ordered from Park Fund — The Clerk called the roll & the Park Commissioners voted as follows.

And then on motion the Board adjourned

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

March 9th 1872.

Board met — The Park Commissioners met pursuant to call at their Office on Montgomery Street, on Saturday March 9th 1872 at 11 O'Clock A.M.

Present.

C. L. Sullivan in the chair
C. D. Mac Donald.

Minutes read — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills examined and passed — On motion of Mr Mac Donald the following bills were audited and ordered paid.

B. Kenny on account carrying the mail	$ 100.00
B. Keeler " " Reading "	330.75
B. Kenly " " Sundry Engineering & Labor	60.00

Bills rendered — Two bills for $9.50 and $15. respectively were presented by the Central Nevada Engineering Co. for Plots of Lands.

Mr Sullivan authorized to sell Coal — On motion of Mr Mac Donald, Mr Sullivan was authorized to sell these two bills on the basis of $15. per cord.

Adjourned — And then on motion the Board adjourned

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

March 11th 1872.

Board met — Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Street. on Monday March 11th 1872 at 11 O' Clock A.M.

Present:
C. J. Sullivan (in the chair)
Chas S. Mac Donnell.

Minutes read — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

B. Alexander — Mr. Mac Donnell nominated Dayton Alexander as Park Commissioner to fill the Board Commissioners to fill the vacancy vacancy caused by the death of P.H. Canavan by death of Peter Canavan deceased. No other nominations were made and Mr. Mac Donnell moved that the nominations be closed and the Secretary be instructed to cast the ballots of the Commissioners present in favor of the election of Dayton Alexander.

Motion carried and ballot cast for B. S. Alexander-
vote(s) who.

Subsequently Dayton Alexander was duly elected a Park Commissioner, and he was directed to be notified of his election and also to appear at the next meeting of the Board.

There being no other business the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

April 3rd 1872.

Board met — Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Street. on Wednesday April 3rd 1872 at 2 O' clock P. M.

Present:
C. J. Sullivan
C. S. Chas Donnell.

Minutes read — The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Bills ordered paid — On motion of Mr Mac Donnell the following bills were audited and ordered paid.

Wm H. Hall	Salary as Engineer for March	$250.00
" do	Six months Extra Service	18.00
A. J. Moulder	Salary as Secretary for March	175.00
D. S. Chambers	Lumber	52.17
P. Riley	Hauling Trees	6.00
Patrick O'Connor	Hose Supplies and Hardware	112.17
Wm H. Hall	Services as Draughtsman	75.00
do	Freight and Cartage	1.15
W. F. Notary	Balance for Lot 8	638.50
Wm H. Hall	Advertising Proposals	7.50
do	Services at Superintendents Office for February	4.00
Richardson Morrall & Co	Sawing Lumber	18.30
J. A. Kellogg	Blacksmithing	170.75
W. H. Hall	Cartage for March	720.55
California Powder Works	for February and March	317.00
W. H. Hall	Superintendents Pay Roll	179.00
Jos. Caveny	Salary as Messenger for March	75.00
J. B. Alexander	Salary for Clerk for October 1871	25.00
Wm H. Hall	Office Rent for February	135.00
Wm H. Hall	Stabling and Shoeing for February	33.00
Wm H. Hall	Stabling and Horseshoeing for March	33.00

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

April 8th 1872.

Board met. Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Block on Monday April 8th 1872 at 2 O'clock P.M.

Present:

C. L. Sullivan in the chair
C. L. Mac Donald.

Park Bonds. On motion of Mr. Mac Donald the following Sunday was fixed upon for the sale of Park Bonds to the amount of $75.000 in accordance with the terms of the Act approved 26th March 30th 1872 and dated 1st day of June 1872.

Adjourned. And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Wendlick
Secretary

May 3rd 1872.

Board met. Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Block on Friday May 3rd 1872 at 2 O'Clock P.M.

Present:

C. L. Sullivan in the chair
Chas. L. Mac Donald.

Minutes read. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Letter ordered to be filed. A communication was received from C. L. Frazier objecting to the issue of Park Bonds and requesting that the same be withheld. Ordered by the Board that the said communication be filed.

Ordered on file.

Communications. Communications were received from C. L. Frazier & C. L. Hall objecting to the completion of the macadamizing of the entrance to the main drive by the Park & the Contractor S. Kemp.

Bill due S. Kemp ordered paid. On motion of Mr. Mac Donald it was ordered that the balance due S. Kemp on his contract be paid.

Park Bonds Completed. Mr. Hall also offered the completed Park Bonds to be signed by the Chairman for issuing the same to the Park.

Bonds ordered paid. On motion of Mr. Mac Donald the balance due Kemp on his contract was ordered paid.

Adjourned. And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Wendlick
Secretary.

May 1st 1872.

Board met. Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Block Wednesday May 1st 1872 at 2 o'clock P.M.

Present:

C. L. Sullivan and
Chas L. Mac Donald.

Minutes read. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Bill ordered to forward. On motion of Mr. Mac Donald it was ordered that the Secretary do forward the Communication of the Commissioners and the Board of Supervisors to accompany said bond to the Governor for his approval and that the Chairman issue a warrant to the Treasurer for the sum of $1.00 to pay the Governor for the same.

On motion of Mr

Anderson appointed Gardener

Mr Lee & Mr Dolan were appointed Gard.s at the Park at a salary of $100. per month in addition to a pasture to be provided by the Superintending Engineer.

Adjourned

Ordered that the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

May 10th 1872.

Board met

Pursuant to notice the Park Commissioners met at the Office on Montgomery Street on Friday May 10th 1872 at 12 o'clock P.M.

Present.

Geo. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
Chas V. Mac Cotter.

Absence excused

The Commissioners present from General Communication that it was impossible to be present at this meeting.

Ordered that the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to notify the Commissioners that the Board was called up from want of a quorum.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

May 14th 1872.

Board met

The Park Commissioners met pursuant to call on Tuesday May 14th 1872. at 10 o'clock P. M.

Present.

C. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
Chas J. Mac Cotter.

Minutes read

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills ordered paid

On motion of Mr Mac Cotter the following bills were handed and ordered paid.

Wm A. Hall	Salary for April	$250.00
Patrick Gross	" " "	75.00
A. J. Moulder	" " "	125.00
John P. Mc Clarty	Gard. " "	125.00
Wm A. Hall	Stabling horse &c for April	33.00
Hirst & Gregg	Cart (1) Wagon	130.00
Raven & Sloan	Lumber	7.00
	Labor	8.00
Frank Hall	Carriage for April	11.00
W. H. Gaylord	Hire (2) Horses	350.00
Caldwell & Kell	Hire (2) Road Scrapers	600.00
John Sorg Jr.	Cedar Posts	17.00
Fabricke Notary	Acknowledgment	15.00
J. M. Burns & Co.	Hire (2) Horses	360.00
Hirst & Gregg	Hire (2) Carts	5.50

Bids for improving Lake & Bar Sts

Bids for opening and Grading Streets according to specifications at 40 cents.

P. Kenny	agrees to do the work for	$8.350
Jas Gaffney	" " " " "	10.950

Action deferred

The Board deferred the award of the contract.

Terms of Bond & Oath adopted

On motion of Mr Mac Cotter and Ordered that the following form of Bond and Oath to be taken under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act amendatory of and supplemental to

Form of Bond & Coupon

An Act entitled "An Act to provide Funds for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco" approved April 4th 1870 & approved March 30th 1872.

United States of America.

$1000. $1000

Parks and Avenue Improvement Fund.

Bond of a Park.

No. —

The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, will pay to the order hereof, the sum of One Thousand Dollars, gold coin of the United States, Twenty years from the date hereof, with interest thereon, in like gold coin, at the rate of six per cent per year, payable half yearly on the first day of January and the first day of July in each year, upon the coupons hereto attached. Principal and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of San Francisco. This Bond is issued under and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City and County of San Francisco," approved April fourth 1870, and an Act amendatory thereof, approved March 30th 1872, and the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco are authorized to raise by tax, a sum of money sufficient to pay the interest annually thereon, and the Public Parks and Avenues as a security for the payment of this Bond. (The words "One Thousand Dollars" are marked in large figures on the

The Engineer, Surveyor and Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners, by Direction of the Board are instructed to issue Bonds and Coupons as above.

Form of Bond & Coupon

Witness, have hereunto subscribed our names and affixed the Official Seal of said Board this ___ day of ___ 1872.

(Three blanks for Signatures of Park Commissioners and one for the Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco)

State of California.

$50. Coupon No. ___

On the first day of ___ the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco will pay to the order of Bearer in United States Gold coin at the Office of the Treasurer of San Francisco the sum of Fifty Dollars for interest then due on Bond No. ___

President
Park Commissioners.

Adjourned

The motion was adopted.

And on motion the Board adjourned to Wednesday May 15th 1872. at 2 O'Clock P.M.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

May 15th 1872.

Board met

Pursuant to adjournment the Park Commissioners met on Wednesday May 15th 1872 at 2 O'Clock P.M.

Present.

C. J. Sullivan.
A. J. Moulder.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Contract to improve Park

On motion of Mr Macondray the contract to improve Baker and Cole Streets was awarded to H. Haight for the sum of $8350. upon the filing of the usual bonds & sum shall not be paid till by the owners of private property adjoining as required by law.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

Andrew J. Moulder
Secretary

May 22nd 1872.

Board met Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery Street, on Wednesday May 22nd 1872 at 2 O'Clock P.M.

Present:
O'J. Sullivan (in the chair)
C.J. Mac Dermot.

Minutes read The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills ordered paid On motion of Mr Mac Dermot the following bills were audited and ordered paid.

W.G. Ritchie.	Salary as General Foreman.	May.	$125.
Louis Ortwein.	" "	"	100.
W. Henderson.	" "	"	80.
C. Quigley.	" "	"	80.
Frederick Mauz.	" "	"	113.33
A.J. Moulds.	" "	Secretary. "	75.
J.S. Henderson.	" "	Chief Gardener. "	100.
Patrick Timms.	" "	Messenger. "	75.
Henry Pratt.	" "	Janitor. "	11.
Hobbs Gilmore & Co.	Working Stones &c.		3.50
John O'Connor.	Cartage to Park.		4-
Patrick Conroy.	" of Sham Rocks.		3-
G. Groezinger.	Empty Casks.		3.50
Garvey & Sturgeon.	Five (5) Draught Horses.		1000
Andrew Hall.	Services as Valuer.		100-

Amount of certain Vouchers paid

Amount of certain Vouchers paid

Andrew J. Moylder
Secretary

June 6th 1872.

Board met Pursuant to call the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Montgomery on Thursday 6th June 1872. at 2 O'Clock P.M.

Present. O'J. Sullivan (in the chair)
C.J. Mac Dermot.
C.J. Brenham.

Bills ordered paid On motion of Mr Mac Dermot the following bills were audited and ordered paid.

W.G. Ritchie.	Salary as General Foreman.	May.	$125.
Louis Ortwein.	" "	"	100.
W. Henderson.	" "	"	80.
C. Quigley.	" "	"	80.
Frederick Mauz.	" "	"	113.33
A.J. Moulds.	" "	Secretary. "	75.
J.S. Henderson.	" "	Chief Gardener. "	100.
Patrick Timms.	" "	Messenger. "	75.
Henry Pratt.	" "	Janitor. "	11.
Hobbs Gilmore & Co.	Working Stones &c.		3.50
John O'Connor.	Cartage to Park.		4-
Patrick Conroy.	" of Sham Rocks.		3-
G. Groezinger.	Empty Casks.		3.50
Garvey & Sturgeon.	Five (5) Draught Horses.		1000
Andrew Hall.	Services as Valuer.		100-

Amount of certain Vouchers paid

Amount of certain Vouchers paid

Clerk ... of Overseers audited and
Amt of ordered paid for the months of May
vouchers amounting to the sum of Twenty Thousand,
ordered paid Eight Hundred Dollars. and Twenty Cents.
for Mess Jno [illegible] & Son to [illegible]
[illegible]

Ch. Clerk of Mr. Silas Comet,
Hall authorized Mr Silas to Engage was authorized to
to negotiate [illegible] with Mr. City having Company for
Road over the [illegible] of land laid out

Adopted.

Concerning Ch. Clerk of Mr Silas Comet Mr.
Sewer under Hose was authorized to contract a sewer under
Crossing of rivers of Water and Fire streets and to see
taken Hall to [illegible] and Jones receiving the paying
Sirs for [illegible] of up.

Adopted.

Inquiries [illegible] to rental of Mr.
M. Standish for [illegible] Shop and Car St. &
Store for [illegible]
Store Room

Ch. Clerk of the Committee Elected
[illegible] to report [illegible] on
[illegible] and [illegible] Car Stands
[illegible] to the Depot Grounds has
[illegible] to Sole.

Adopted.

[illegible] was ordered
to [illegible]

[illegible] and [illegible] Board
[illegible]

June 14th 1872.

Board met Present [illegible] Com[illegible]
[illegible] at their [illegible] June 14th
1872. at Two O'Clock P.M.

Bills [illegible] of Bills and Accounts were
ordered paid read and ordered paid to [illegible]
[illegible] Hall [illegible] Cents [illegible]
[illegible] Board [illegible] months [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible] Dollars Twenty Cents
50¢ & 55¢ Cents &c.

Clerk [illegible] was [illegible] to
Road Hall and [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Employment [illegible] Clerk [illegible]
of
Architect [illegible]
authorized [illegible]
[illegible] Clerk.

Adopted.

Lodge, [illegible]
Stable and [illegible]
Steam house [illegible]
authorised [illegible]
to Contracts [illegible] Steam [illegible]

Bids for [illegible]
Steam pumping [illegible]
Operators [illegible]

[illegible] Wires	$1200
[illegible] &c.	[illegible]
[illegible]	5.000
[illegible]	1.915

June 22nd 1872.

Board met — Meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for One O'clock P.M. on Saturday the 22nd inst. for the purpose of [illegible] for Park Bonds.

No quorum present, meeting was postponed until Monday the 24th inst. at Two O'clock P.M.

[illegible] Secretary

June 24th 1872.

Board met — Meeting of the Park Commissioners was called at the usual hour of One O'clock P.M. on the 24th inst.

Present:
C. D. [illegible] (Chairman)
C. D. [illegible]
C. J. Thomas.

Adjournment — Application was received from A. J. Moulder for the position of Secretary to the Board, which was read.

Resignation — Resignation of [illegible] as Secretary to the Board, was received from [illegible] and accepted.

Bonds — The securities for Bills for Park Bonds were [illegible].

Adjournment — Board adjourned to meet on Tuesday the 25th inst. at Two O'clock P.M.

[illegible] Secretary

June 25th 1872.

Board met, Pursuant to adjournment the Park Commissioners met at their Office Tuesday June 25th 1872 at Half O'Clock P. M.

Present:
C. D. Jenkins (in the chair)
C. P. Jas Conrad.
J. J. Jackson.

Park Bonds Ordered to be advertised for Bids for Park Bonds now again projected.

Adjourned And thereupon Board adjourned to meet on Friday June 28th 1872 at Six O'Clock P. M.

Jas. J. Jackson
Secretary.

Act of Legislature Amendatory to An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco approved Apl 11th 1870

An Act amendatory of and supplemental to An Act entitled An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City and County of San Francisco. Approved April 11th 1870.

The People of the State of California represented in Senate and Assembly do enact as follows:

Section One.

Section 1 of said Act entitled An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City and County of San Francisco approved April 11th 1870 is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 1. The Governor, Surveyor General, Attorney General, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, President of the Board of Supervisors of said City and County, and President of the Board of Trustees of the Mechanics' Institute of said City and County, and their successors in office, are hereby constituted a Board of Commissioners, and are hereby authorized and empowered to select, locate, and purchase, for the use of said City and County, a tract or tracts of land, not less than four hundred and not more than one thousand acres in extent, and to lay out and improve the same as a Public Park or Parks, for the use of said City and County, and to do all things necessary to the proper execution of the powers hereby conferred upon them. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Secretary, who shall keep a record of their proceedings, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Superintendent of said Park or Parks, who shall have charge of the same, under the direction of said Commissioners, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Treasurer, who shall receive and disburse all moneys belonging to said Park or Parks, and shall perform such other duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Civil Engineer, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Landscape Gardener, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Clerk, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Messenger, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Watchman, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Gardener, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Laborer, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Teamster, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Blacksmith, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Carpenter, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Painter, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Mason, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Plumber, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Gasfitter, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Steamfitter, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Tinsmith, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Coppersmith, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Brassfinisher, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Glazier, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Locksmith, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Bellhanger, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Upholsterer, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Cabinetmaker, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. Said Commissioners shall have power to appoint a Carver, who shall perform such duties as may be required of him by said Commissioners. 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June 28th 1872.

Board met pursuant to adjournment of Last Commissioners
at the Court House on Friday June 28th 1872.
at 2 o'clock P.M.

Present
Chas. L. Spencer Chairman
D. L. McLeod
J. J. Dunn.

Bids for Bank Seats

Bids for Bank Seats:

[illegible] 25 [illegible] @ 92¢
" " " 25 " " @ 92½
" " " 25 " " @ 92½
" " " 25 " " @ 92½
" " " 25 " " @ 93¢

Bids accepted

Bids Rejected

Bonds read

Bond of

Salary of Superintendent

T. Fleming

Board

Sundry

was instructed to cast the Ballot for the names
placed in favor of D. L. McLeod.

The vote stood for D. L. McLeod
Five (5) ayes.

Warrants ordered drawn
Sinking Fund Trustees for this Board to date
June 28th 1872.

Annual Report required by Board of Supervisors

A communication was received from
the Board of Supervisors of this County
requesting a detailed statement of
receipts and disbursements for the
fiscal year ending June 30th 1872 according
to Resolution [illegible] Dec 31st 1869 which
was ordered on file.

Adjourned

Board adjourned.

D. L. McLeod
Chairman.

J. J. Dunn
Secretary.

August 1st 1872.

Board met. Pursuant to adjournment the Park Commissioners met at their Office on Thursday August 1st 1872 at Ten O'Clock A.M.

Present C. S. Smith (in the chair)
C. J. Bentham.

Minutes read. Minutes of the last meeting read and confirmed.

Accounts passed & ordered to be paid. Accounts passed & ordered to be paid by the Board of Commissioners of Central Park.

Resolved that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Mayor requesting him to call a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Central Park to be held at the Office of the Board on Thursday August 8th 1872 at Ten O'Clock A.M. for the purpose of considering the matter of the Contract for the Grading of the Park.

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One hundred Silk Hats Ordered and Six Dozen Linen Cuffs.

Kenny's bond submitted & accepted. Contract let. Kenny's bond submitted & accepted. Contract let.

Adjourned. Board adjourned.

C. J. Bentham
Secretary.

Board

Office of the Pilot Commissioners
of San Francisco August 12. 1872.

At a Meeting of the Board of Supervisors
of the City & County of San Francisco.

Present

[illegible]

Report

Cash C

Cash Statement of Account for the Year ending 31st March 1872.

Receipts.		Disbursements.	
Cash	£1041231	Savings Bank Deposits	£ 33922 13
		Cash paid by Postal Orders	11423 30
		Trading Accounts. Miscellaneous Services	112875
		Postal Telegraphs	6332 54
		Stock.	5131 51
		Packet and Steam Service	5901 14
		Savings Bank.	5445 30
		Money Orders.	22025
		Repairs to Works.	13402 5
		Maintenance.	1147
		Rents.	1450
		Stationery &c.	5382 11
		Miscellaneous	1370 10
	£1041231		£1041231

Balance Due to Cash on 31st March 1872.

Cash C

Stock Account for the Year ending 31st March 1872.

Cash	£ 5131 51	Stock Issued	£ 1710
		Miscellaneous Stock Accounts	1270
		[illegible]	115509
		[illegible]	133 55
		[illegible]	34 56
		[illegible]	1259 99
		[illegible]	31 34
	£ 5131 51		£ 5131 51

Cash D

Postal Stock Account for the Year ending 31st March 1872.

	Purchased	Cash	Credit
Office Furniture.			
Office Stamps	1	1	1
Post Commissioners Seal	1	1	1
Old Army Postal Book	1	1	1
Cash Boxes.	2	2	2
Money Order Stamps	1	1	1
" " Dated	1	1	1
Cap. Mark for Date	1	1	1
Postal Book Binding	1	1	1
" Paper	1	1	1
Office Desk	1	1	1
Wax, Bill Hooks, Pens	2	2	2
Sealing Machines, new	1	1	1
Packing Stock.			
Canvas Bags	1	1	1
Leather Mail Locks	1	1	1
Letter Carriers' Badges	1	1	1
Sundry other Articles	1	1	1
Mail Bags.			
Mail Bags	25	25	25
Mail Straps	5	5	5
Mail Locks	2	2	2
Mail Keys	1	1	1
Mail Bells	1	1	1
Mail Padlocks	1	1	1
Mail Labels	3	3	3
Mail Leather	100 lb.	100 lb.	100 lb.
Mail Straps	1	1	1
Mail Canvas Waterproof	1	1	1
Mail Twine	2	2	2
Mail Locks	1	1	1
Mail Keys	1	1	1
Mail Bells	1	1	1
Mail Stock.			
Mail Locks	6	6	6
Mail Straps	500	500	500
Mail Bags	500	500	500
" "	180	180	180
" "	1500	1500	1500
" "	250	250	250

Cash A/c

Abstract

Stock &c July 31st continued.

	Carried over	On Hand. Good Qty.	On Hand. Bad Qty.	Expended Qty.	Sold Qty.
165 Spades					
Iron Handled Spades	211	125	71	196	16
Extra	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Spades	13	10		10	3
Hoes	21	9		9	12
Steel Handled Shovels	6	6		6	
Iron Shovels	78	60	9	69	18
Picks	32	31		31	1
Axes	3	3		3	
Sledges	9	7	1	8	1
Steel Crow Bars	3	3		3	
Spades	1	1		1	1
Rakes	1	9		9	
Iron Crow Bars	1	11		11	
Iron Steel Axes	1	1		1	
Steel Picks	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Spades	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Shovels	1	1		1	
Iron Hoes	1	1		1	
Iron Steel Axes	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Spades	8	8		8	
Picks	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Shovels	3	3		3	
Iron Steel Axes	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Spades	11	11		11	
Iron Handled Shovels	100	100	1	101	
Picks	5	5		5	
Iron Steel Axes	16	16		16	
Iron Handled Spades	11	11		11	
Iron Steel Axes	2	2		2	
Iron Handled Shovels	1	1		1	
Picks	1	1		1	
Iron Steel Axes	2	2		2	
Iron Handled Spades	3	3		3	
Iron Steel Axes	1	1		1	
Iron Handled Spades	1	1		1

sails, or other wild animals, or birds.
6. To game or ride a race of any kind.
7. To cast lots or play at any game for money or other valuable thing.
8. To ride or drive any horse or other animal, with reckless, wilful, careless [illegible] upon the roads or drives or such portions provided.
9. To address in any riotous, boisterous or indecent conduct or language.
10. To drive or ride at a furious speed.

Section 5. No dray, truck, wagon, cart or other vehicle carrying, or if not carrying employed, capable of carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil or other matters, shall be allowed to travel upon the drives of said Parks, or any other purpose taken to cross immediately at the [illegible] thereof, nor upon the drives of the said Parks. For the present, the road over and [illegible] commonly known and called and known as the [illegible] road, and the road is excepted from this rule. But all such vehicles shall be driven over the most central portion of such called road, as directed by the Superintendent or the said Park Police [illegible] provided, no person shall be liable to fine for violation of the [illegible] of the "road" as hereinafter said down. The provisions of this ordinance shall also apply to all other [illegible] or parts of Parks and the City.

Section 4. [illegible] or carriages or vehicles waiting upon the streets [illegible] this shall not pass to the right.

Section 5. [illegible] Board [illegible] within the [illegible] animals mentioned [illegible] of this ordinance [illegible] said grounds [illegible] carried to [illegible] Board [illegible] covers at the [illegible] o'clock of a day or such [illegible] shall [illegible] and [illegible] Board of Park [illegible] Superintendent. [illegible] said [illegible] yard.

Section 6. [illegible] charges aforesaid, [illegible] resist any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be placed in the Park Improvement Fund, and disposed of.

Section 7. [illegible] Superintendent of the Parks and Squares is hereby instructed to cause and cause to be enforced the provisions of this ordinance.

Section 8. Power and authority are hereby given to the Park Police, the Chief Gardener of Recreation and the Foreman Gardener to arrest and obtain, and deliver to the police authorities, or either thereof, all persons who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, or any other ordinance hereafter to be passed by said Board or the legislature and or rules of said Parks and Squares.

Section 9. The Superintendent is hereby vested with the powers enumerated in section eighth of this ordinance.

Section 10. Whenever it may be necessary to employ Assistant Gardeners the Superintendent of Parks shall [illegible] to do work of a special or extraordinary nature or of short duration, said persons to be employed by said Board and attached to the Gardeners. Said Superintendent of Parks shall possess all the powers enumerated in section seven of this ordinance, but shall receive the same orders to direction of the Superintendent and shall be [illegible] with one action which may have under the same.

Section 11. The Captain, the Chief Gardener, the Foreman Gardener and the Assistant Foreman may be appointed as aforesaid shall wear the Park Police uniform and shall be furnished with a badge of office consisting of a [illegible] with the words Park Police and the [illegible] words indicating their particular office. All such badges shall be added to the [illegible] of the Assistant Keepers.

Section 12. The Secretary of said Board shall within [illegible] days after the passage of this Ordinance [illegible] and certify an accurate copy of the same and cause the same to be published as required by law for the [illegible] days after the passage.

Passed [illegible] 1870.

[illegible] Park Commissioners.

Office of the Park Commissioners
San Francisco, [illegible] 1870.

I certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Ordinance passed by the Board of Park Commissioners of said Board.

Secretary

August 19th 1872.

No quorum — A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for Monday August 26th 1872. at this time no quorum present.

Meeting postponed — Meeting was adjourned until Monday the 26th of August 1872.

Board met — Present C. J. Sullivan, Chairman
C. J. Stratton.

Minutes read — The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Bids for Hay Grain &c — Bids for Hay and Grain were opened and referred to the Finance Committee with power to act.

Bill against City — The bill against the City was considered but no action was taken.

Finances — The Treasurer's Report for the month ending Aug 31st 1872. was accepted and ordered filed.

A communication from A. Stratton of San Jose, was read and ordered on file.

Report of Engineer — The Engineer, also reported that he had drawn a check in favor of Chas Craig, which was approved by the Board

The following communications were received by the Secretary, and ordered filed.

J. C. Stevens
Secretary.

September 16th 1872.

Board met — Present
C. J. Sullivan
C. J. Stratton
J. C. Stevens

Minutes read — The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

Report of Engineer — Report of Engineer

Not approving — not approving

Steam Pumping — Steam Pumping

Miscellaneous — Miscellaneous

Bill against City — Bill against City

Proposed Plank — Proposed Plank

Offer of City — Offer of City

Sewage — Sewage

Report of Engineer — Report of Engineer

Surfacing Roadway — Surfacing Roadway

Report of Engineer — Report of Engineer

Grading Avenue — Grading Avenue

September 17th 1872.

Park Commissioners Ordinance Number Two.

Ordinance No 2

An Ordinance to provide for the regulation and government of the Avenue and Public Parks in the City and County of San Francisco in charge of the Park Commissioners.

Section 1. The rights of this Ordinance as to grounds exist as to Golden Gate and Buena Vista Parks and the Ocean Road to said Golden Gate Park, as particularly described in the first section of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide for the improvement of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco" passed April 1st 1870.

Section 2. No [illegible] said grounds or passes are [illegible]

1. No [illegible] or [illegible] cattle, sheep, goats [illegible]

2. No [illegible] specially [illegible] discharge [illegible]

3. No [illegible] or [illegible] [illegible] dogs [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Stanyan Street entrance, pending the appointment of Keepers for the Park Gates.

2. Any company, society, or organization of any kind using Devices by writing to these grounds for a body, the number of individuals in which will exceed twenty-five, for the purpose of practicing Military Exercises, and such company desiring of parading within the same; as Base-Ball, Cricket, Lacrosse, Lawn Tennis or using the grounds set aside for athletic purposes, shall at least one day prior to the proposed date of the occasion, report or cause to be reported, such intention to the Secretary of the Park Commissioners and to the Superintendent of Parks and Squares.

3. All waste matter, scraps, litter or refuse of any kind brought upon these grounds by such picnic parties shall be promptly collected and removed by them or their employees. In lieu of the deposit required by this section, the actual cost of thoroughly cleansing the necessary duty on the Park for which it is granted, and a bill for the same be handed to the president of the organization applying.

4. In case the whole or any part of any such organized party, which shall have secured the use of these grounds, shall be found upon the same for the purpose of practicing any Military Exercises by the Ordinances of the Park, such party shall forfeit the privilege granted by the permit.

Section 5. The Superintendent of the Parks and Squares is hereby authorized to report and cause to be reported the persons of this Ordinance.

Section 6. Every and each person to the persons hereto shall be liable to the penalties and shall be subject to the penalties of this Ordinance.

Ordinance.

Section 11. Whenever it may be necessary to appoint Assistant Keepers they shall be directed to each of them a certificate of appointment signed by a majority of said Board, sealed and attested by the Secretary, which Assistant Keepers shall possess for the powers granted in section nine of this Ordinance, but shall exercise the same under the direction of the Superintendent, and report to him forthwith any action they may take under the same.

Section 12. The Park Keepers to said Parks, the Lawn Keepers, and each assistant keepers appointed or appointed shall constitute the Park Police and shall provide themselves with a badge of office, bearing the words Park Police, and the initials of the words indicating their particular office. And shall wear such badge in addition to the uniform of the assistant keepers.

Section 13. The Secretary of said Board shall within five days after the passage of this Ordinance, or as early thereafter as practicable, cause the same and cause the same to be printed in at least two daily newspapers published in the City of San Francisco, and this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved
Wm. Alvord
Chairman

Attest
J. Buckham
Secretary

Office of the Park Commissioners
San Francisco Sept. 30th 1871

Daily Evening Post, Sept. 30th 1871

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Ordinance passed by the Board of Park Commissioners on the 1st day of September 1871 and duly entered on the records of said Board.

J. S. Tilden
Secretary

October 23rd 1872.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at Salt Lake City. Present

Prest.

C. D. Young

A. F. Doremus Clerk

Minutes read and approved.

Order No[illegible]

Report Roads and Bridges

Order No[illegible]

Order No[illegible]

Report of Committee

Bond

Order No[illegible]

Order No[illegible]

Order No[illegible]

January 10th 1873.

Present.

January 13.

January 3 [illegible]

January 13 1873.

Present.

President empowered to conclude negotiations with Spring Valley Water Co

Ordinance No 3 Part to ... sia to Ordinance No. 3.

Sec. 1. [illegible] Ordinance is that ground known as [illegible] Gal Park as [illegible] in the first section [illegible] the State of California, [illegible] [illegible] Public Parks in the City of San Francisco" passed April 1st 1870.

Sec. 2. All persons and parties [illegible] business [illegible] in the [illegible] shall [illegible] the [illegible] shall [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

Sec. 3. All [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

July 11th 1873.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at the Park Commissioners Office on the 10th July 11th 1873, at 10 o'clock A.M.

Present:
C. L. Sullivan, in the chair
S. F. Bellrude.

Minutes read, and approved.

Board of Supervisors having declined to accept the deed offered by this Board, for the 10th 1873 August [illegible] Annual Report [illegible] 30th 1873, [illegible] adopted.

Annual Report and Statement

Ordered that the Secretary be instructed to procure the publication of the Annual Report of this Board, in accordance with the Statute in such case made and provided.

Board adjourned.

C. L. Sullivan
Secretary.

August 8th 1873.

Board met pursuant to adjournment at the Office of the Board on August 11th 1873 at 10 o'clock A.M.

Present:
C. L. Sullivan
S. F. Bellrude.

Minutes read, and approved.

Annual Report adopted. Ordered that the Secretary be instructed to procure the publication of the Annual Report of this Board, in accordance with the Statute in such case made and provided. 30th 1873. Supervisors. To pay ordered [illegible]

Donations

Minutes read, approved.

Adjourned

C. L. Sullivan Secretary

Annual Report

U.S. Park Commissioners
San Francisco
August 10th 1863.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of
the City and County of San Francisco.

Gentlemen -

The undersigned Board
[illegible]
30th 1863
[illegible]
64
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

Sept 1st 1873.

Board met

Present:
C. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
S. F. Bellwood.

Minutes read

Vacation

Resolved

Resolved that the Board proceed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of C. L. Sullivan as Commissioner of Parks.

Resolved that the Board proceed to the election of Commissioner of Parks.

Resolved that the Board proceed to the election of Commissioner of Parks.

Sept 1st 1873.

Board met

Special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held on the 1st Sept 1873 at the Office

Present:
C. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
S. F. Bellwood.

Minutes read

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Vacation

Resolved that the Board proceed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of S. F. Bellwood as Commissioner of Parks.

Resolved that the Board proceed to the election of Commissioner of Parks.

Resolved that the Board proceed to the election of Commissioner of Parks.

Resolved that the Board proceed to the election of

the Secretary instructed to notify him of his Selection, and also to inform the Governor.

Mr. J. Bellworth offered the following resolution -

Thanks of the Board to Park Com. Mueller

Resolved - That the Secretary, is hereby instructed to transmit to Colonel F. Wolf Mueller a vote of thanks for his kind attention to the affairs of this Board, and a special passage of said resolution to the Park.

Adopted.

On motion of D. F. Bellworth, the Board then adjourned.

Wolf Mueller authorized to negotiate a loan of $50,000

Resolved - That the President of the Board of Park Commissioners is hereby authorized & empowered to negotiate a loan of Fifty Thousand (50,000) Dollars, for the purpose of completing the Park, in accordance with the Statute authorizing the same, and that the Secretary of said Board be authorized to affix the Seal of said Board to any application which may be required for the purpose of procuring said loan.

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

J. S. Fleming
Secretary.

October 16th 1873.

Board met A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held on Thursday October 16th 1873. at One O'Clock P.M.

Present
C. J. Sylvain (President)
Wm Wood.

Minutes read The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt instructed to Communicate with Mr Bellworth Superintendent was instructed to communicate with Mr. Bellworth, who is at present in New York in regard to forces & in regard to further planting on the Park.

Donations at Park Supt reported donations at Park Board of this date to be as follows 1873:

From
Peter Mueller - Thousand Dollars

From
Mrs Eldridge - Two Trees
Rosella (with pot.)

Thanks by the Board to the above named gentlemen

The Board then adjourned.

J. S. Fleming
Secretary.

November 20th 1873.

Board met A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their office on Thursday November 20th 1873 at Ten o'clock P.M.

Present
Chas. Sullivan, (in the chair)
Wm Flood.

Minutes read The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Geo Cassie offers $2000 for Lot No 1 Block F. Flood Estate offers $2000 for Lot No 1 Block F. Motion Moved by Wm Flood seconded by Chas Sullivan that the offer of Geo Cassie for Lot No 1 Block F. be accepted. Carried.

Adjournment There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Chas Sullivan
Chairman

Wednesday
November 26th 1873.

Board met A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their office on Wednesday November 26th 1873 at half past 8 o'clock P.M.

Present
Chas. Sullivan, (in the chair)
Wm Flood.

Minutes read The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Geo Cassie offers $2000 for Lot No 1 Block F. Flood Estate offers $2000 for Lot No 1 Block F. Offer of Geo Cassie to be accepted provided he pays the purchase money by the 1st January 1874. Offer of Wm Flood seconded by Wm Flood that the offer of Geo Cassie be accepted. Carried. Moved by Wm Flood seconded by Chas Sullivan that the deed be executed by the Chairman and Secretary. Carried. Moved by Wm Flood seconded by Chas Sullivan that the Secretary be instructed to write to Mr Flood and inform him that the offer of Geo Cassie has been accepted. Carried.

Adjournment There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Chas Sullivan
Chairman

Friday
December 5th 1873.

Board met — A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office, on Friday December 5th 1873, at the hour of 12 M.

Present
C. J. Gillies (in the chair)
Sir Hood.

Minutes read and confirmed — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and confirmed.

Communication from Wm Cassie, Elm St and others, about Trees in Park — A communication was received from Wm Cassie and others, residents in Elm St, complaining of the Trees in the Park being allowed to grow so close together as to exclude the light from their houses.

The matter was fully discussed by the Board,

Bids for transporting Barley to Bonded Warehouses — Bids for transporting 100 Cases of Barley from the Old Warehouses to Golden Gate Park, were as follows:

From George Taylor, Elliot & Co.
James Scott and W. D. McIntosh.

Mr J. Mortons bid accepted — The Secretary of the Board, being the lowest, was authorized to William Hood accepted, and the Bids ordered on file.

Wm Cassie, B. P. Stewart and Mr J. Morton to be notified of action in their respective cases — The Secretary was directed to notify William Cassie, B. P. Stewart, Mr J. Morton, Mr Hood, and others, that their Bids had been accepted.

Donations received at Gate Keepers Lodge — Donations received at Gate Keepers Lodge, during the month of November 1873.

From Mrs Jones
Six Camellias.
Six Aloes.

Thanks — A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs Jones for the above donations.

Adjourned — Board adjourned.

C. J. Gillies
Secretary.

Tuesday
December 16th 1873.

Board met — A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Tuesday, December 16th 1873, at ten o'clock A.M.

Present:
C. T. Sullivan in the chair
William Flood.

Minutes read — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Wm Cassin — A communication from William Cassin, accepting the Commissioners Park Warrant of fifteen hundred and sixty six 66/100 dollars for Acres, Building &c situated in Burnham's Grove Park" was received and ordered on file.

Receipt from Wm Cassin — The Secretary read and signed a receipt from William Cassin for fifteen hundred and sixty six 66/100 dollars being the amount of Park Warrant No. 2 in favor of said William Cassin, and ordered it on file.

Wm Cassin — A communication from William Cassin was read requesting the Board to [illegible] and ordering to be paid to him the sum of fifteen hundred and sixty six 66/100 dollars [illegible] and ordered on file.

Commissioners — A communication from the Mayor and Common Council of the City of Lake View, informing the Commissioners of the appointment of Messrs. Wm. Flood, Wm. Cassin and Chas. T. Sullivan, [illegible] and ordered on file.

Application — An application was received from the Lake View House, [illegible] and ordered on file.

Resolved — That William Flood, the President of this

Pres[t] of Board authorized to issue and sign notes of the Park Commission — Board be and is hereby authorized and empowered to issue and sign notes of the Park Commission for sums of money, as may be required from time to time by the Secretary of the Board, and the Secretary is directed to affix the Official Seal to such Notes and attest the same.

Adopted.

Donations — The following Presents were received at Gold Lake Park during the latter part of November 1873.

From
H. B. Flood
Nine Pumpkin Grass roots.

From
Chas. T. Sullivan
Collection of Plants.

Thanks — [illegible]

Adjourned — [illegible]

J. C. Sullivan
Secretary

Monday January 16th 1871.

Board met pursuant to adjournment. Present all the Park Commissioners
were duly notified of this meeting. Absent none.

Resolved
C. Sullivan in the chair
W. Reed.

Minutes read. Secretary directed to read the minutes of the previous meeting and
the same were approved.

Receipts from Treasurer. The Secretary presented a receipt, signed by the Treasurer & Auditor of this City for one Thousand Dollars, being the amount of Bonds issued to the Commissioners, and delivered by him to the order of Five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1 to 5 inclusive, and for one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 6 to 10 inclusive, and for Seventy three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 11 to 83 inclusive, and for Seventy four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 84 to 157 inclusive, and for Seventy five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 158 to 231 inclusive, and for Seventy six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 232 to 305 inclusive, and for Seventy seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 306 to 380 inclusive, and for Seventy eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 381 to 455 inclusive, and for Seventy nine Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 456 to 530 inclusive, and for Eighty Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 531 to 606 inclusive, and for Eighty one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 607 to 683 inclusive, and for Eighty two Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 684 to 760 inclusive, and for Eighty three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 761 to 838 inclusive, and for Eighty four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 839 to 916 inclusive, and for Eighty five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 917 to 994 inclusive, and for Eighty six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 995 to 1073 inclusive, and for Eighty seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1074 to 1152 inclusive, and for Eighty eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1153 to 1232 inclusive, and for Eighty nine Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1233 to 1312 inclusive, and for Ninety Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1313 to 1393 inclusive, and for Ninety one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1394 to 1474 inclusive, and for Ninety two Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1475 to 1556 inclusive, and for Ninety three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1557 to 1638 inclusive, and for Ninety four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1639 to 1720 inclusive, and for Ninety five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1721 to 1803 inclusive, and for Ninety six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1804 to 1886 inclusive, and for Ninety seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1887 to 1970 inclusive, and for Ninety eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 1971 to 2054 inclusive, and for Ninety nine Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2055 to 2139 inclusive, and for One Hundred Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2140 to 2225 inclusive, and for One Hundred and one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2226 to 2312 inclusive, and for One Hundred and two Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2313 to 2399 inclusive, and for One Hundred and three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2400 to 2487 inclusive, and for One Hundred and four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2488 to 2575 inclusive, and for One Hundred and five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2576 to 2664 inclusive, and for One Hundred and six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2665 to 2753 inclusive, and for One Hundred and seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2754 to 2843 inclusive, and for One Hundred and eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2844 to 2933 inclusive, and for One Hundred and nine Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 2934 to 3024 inclusive, and for One Hundred and ten Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3025 to 3116 inclusive, and for One Hundred and eleven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3117 to 3208 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twelve Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3209 to 3301 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3302 to 3394 inclusive, and for One Hundred and fourteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3395 to 3488 inclusive, and for One Hundred and fifteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3489 to 3582 inclusive, and for One Hundred and sixteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3583 to 3677 inclusive, and for One Hundred and seventeen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3678 to 3772 inclusive, and for One Hundred and eighteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3773 to 3868 inclusive, and for One Hundred and nineteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3869 to 3964 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 3965 to 4061 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4062 to 4158 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty two Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4159 to 4256 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4257 to 4354 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4355 to 4453 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4454 to 4552 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4553 to 4652 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4653 to 4752 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4753 to 4853 inclusive, and for One Hundred and twenty nine Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4854 to 4954 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 4955 to 5056 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty one Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5057 to 5158 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty two Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5159 to 5261 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty three Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5262 to 5364 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty four Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5365 to 5468 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty five Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5469 to 5572 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty six Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5573 to 5677 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty seven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5678 to 5782 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty eight Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 5783 to 5888 inclusive, and for One Hundred and thirty nine Thousand Dollars 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Nos. 30573 to 30757 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and ten Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 30758 to 30942 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and eleven Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 30943 to 31128 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and twelve Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 31129 to 31314 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and thirteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 31315 to 31501 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and fourteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 31502 to 31688 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and fifteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 31689 to 31876 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and sixteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 31877 to 32064 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and seventeen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 32065 to 32253 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and eighteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 32254 to 32442 inclusive, and for Three Hundred and nineteen Thousand Dollars each, Bonds Nos. 32443 to 32632, inclusive, amounting in all to Ten Millions of Dollars.

Ordered on file.

Copy of Note issued by Board

San Francisco January 9th 1871

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Changes in organization of Force

On motion of William Alvord the Superintendent was authorized to make the following changes in the organization of the force employed by the Park.

First- The Park Keeper to be hereafter known as the Chief Engineer; his duties to be the same as now assigned to the Engineer and Superintendent, and his salary to be as at present, One Hundred and Twenty Five ($125.00) Dollars per month.

Second- All that expended with a complete system of accounts of the financial operations & material & book- keeping & transaction of business with the Office, to be charged to and kept by the Secretary, and his salary to be One Hundred and Twenty Five ($125.00) Dollars per month. The Secretary is hereby authorized to assign to the present [illegible] the duties of Clerk.

Third- All the Superintendents, Engineers, Park and Block Keepers to be appointed by the Board, and their salaries to be as follows, viz: The Superintendent to receive One Hundred and Twenty Five Dollars per month. The Chief Engineer to receive One Hundred and Twenty Five Dollars per month. The Chief Engineer and his assistants to be employed by the Board.

Communication from Messrs. Olmsted, Vaux & Associates

Read. Ordered on file.

Communication from Messrs. De Timmerman & Co. relative to the Sand Lots

Two communications were received from James De Timmerman & Co. relative to the Sand Lots in the Western Addition, which were referred to the Engineer in regard to Blasting Sands.

Ordered on file.

Secretary to notify Contractors

The Secretary was instructed to notify the various Contractors and other persons to whom forwarded [illegible] Claims and [illegible] Board

Report of the Board.

Reports forwarded to Governor

Reports to be published

Salary fixed

Salaries fixed

Monday, February 9th 1874.

Board met

The monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners was held at their office in St. Paul, on the 9th day of February 1874 at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M.

Present

Chas. Gilfillan, Chairman
Wm. Dike.

Minutes read

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Resolution to Board

A vote of thanks was passed to the Board of Trustees of the St. Paul Insane Asylum for their courtesies and favors extended.

The St. Paul Pioneer Press be paid for
" P. H. Kelly Commissioner of Agriculture
" J. H. [illegible]
" J. Arthur Wells Board of Trustees
" Wm. Dike Commissioner of Public Buildings
" Hugo Koch & Co. [illegible]
" Chas. [illegible]
" [illegible]
" [illegible]
" [illegible]

Claims for January 1874 approved by the Commissioners

[illegible] approved.

J. C. Stone
Secretary.

Mch 2d

March 9th 1871.

Regular mtg

The regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Thursday March 9th 1871 at Four o'clock P.M.

Present

C. J. Hillegass in the Chair
J. J. Gallagher.
William Alvord.

Minutes read

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Report in writing of Supt

The Superintendent presented his report in writing of the operations in the Parks & Public Squares during the month of February 1871 which was received & ordered to be filed.

Bills presented

The following bills were presented for allowance:

Jno. Swett	Services as Supt.	$150.00
Jno. Swett	Expenses	10.00
Jno. Swett	Labor	1.50
Jno. Swett	Labor	1.50
Jno. Swett	Labor	1.50

Copy.

State of California,
Department of State.

I Ernest Slevin, Secretary of State, of the State of California, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of Assembly Bill No. 976 Passed at the 20th Session Legislature of California with the original on file in my office, and that the same is a true transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand, and the Great Seal of State, at Office in Sacramento, California this 27th day of March A.D. 1871.

SEAL.

Ernest Slevin
Secretary of State.
By H. H. Russell
Deputy.

An Act
to create the Public Reservation of the City and County of San Diego etc.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

—Section One—

be applicable, shall apply to all and singular the lands in this section described, and also to the lands granted in section two of this Act.

—Section Two—

The Park Commissioners, appointed or elected, or to be appointed or elected, under and by the said Acts of the years, viz: the one hundred and seventy-fifth, and Statutes of 1870, viz: the one hundred and seventy-first, are hereby authorized to purchase or to condemn, and otherwise to acquire reasonable pieces of land and water, or land covered with water, contiguous and adjacent to the public and lands suitable for a public park or parks, connected with the improvements of said Park.

—Section Three—

For the purpose of condemning and appropriating land for a reservoir, the said Park Commissioners shall have all rights and privileges that are by law accorded to water companies in general, or to any particular water company or companies, and shall exercise that power in the manner and form now provided, or hereafter to be provided in cases of condemnation and appropriation of land by such companies. In the event the said Commissioners proceed to take all or any rights of way, privileges, franchises, and other property now owned by the City and County of San Diego, or any water company, for the purpose of supplying said Park with water, the value of the same shall be ascertained and determined by the Board of Supervisors of said City and County of San Diego, and the amount of such valuation shall be paid to the owners thereof by said Commissioners.

—Section Four—

[illegible]

Approved March 11th 1871.
[illegible]
[illegible]

Closed.

An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Payment of Certain Claims against the City and County of San Francisco," approved March 11th 1871.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Payment of Certain Claims against the City and County of San Francisco," approved March 11th 1871, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

[illegible]

Friday March 15th 1871.

Board met — A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at this Office on Friday March 15th 1871, at half past One o'clock P.M.

Present
C. L. Sullivan, in the chair
Wm Alvord.

Minutes read — The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved.

Mayor, Auditor & Treasurer requested to prepare Park Bonds — On motion of William Alvord. The Commissioners agreed to request the Mayor, Auditor & Treasurer, requiring them to prepare Park Bonds to be paid in Gold Coin of the United States of America of the present standard of weight and fineness, to the amount of Five Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($550,000), and to advertise for sale of said Bonds, in the manner provided by an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the Payment of certain Claims against the City and County of San Francisco," approved March 11th 1871.

Adjourned, Board adjourned. And then on motion the

J. C. Flood Secty.

Board met

Printing rent

Asst Engineer asks for increase of Salary

Asst Engineer Salary

Constables

Iron Stakes

Glass to be

Seal ordered

Rough Stone

Pasturage

Remainder

Proceedings of Park Commissioners
of April 25th 1871.

Board met

Present
C. L. Sullivan
C. G. Bellworth
Wm Alvord.

Minutes

Petition

Ordered to
be filed

Communications

Thursday
April 30th 1874.

Board met — An adjourned meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office. No. 302 Montgomery Street. on Thursday April 30th 1874. at Two O'Clock P. M.

Present.
C. J. Sullivan, in the chair
Wm Alvord.

Minutes read — The minutes of the last previous meeting were read and approved.

Guide Mongolsey requests permit — A communication was received from Guide Mongolsey requesting permission to run a Stage from Stage or Coach on the Cliff House and Park Road leading to the Avenue & Race course.
Ordered on file.

Permit Granted — [illegible] William Alvord [illegible] permission [illegible] Stage Coach on the Cliff House and Park Road [illegible]

Sept 6 — [illegible] William Alvord [illegible] profane Scheme [illegible] of Organization [illegible] Board.

Secretary & Clerk Appointed — [illegible] Secretary [illegible] Clerk [illegible] Pass and Cable Cars [illegible] Trials, [illegible] Trials, [illegible] Trials,

and get more advanced get Translating as follows:

To 1 Tracken Wall Tents 16 by and 1 Surveyors Wall Tent	$	100.00
" Translating as also French, German, Spanish & Italian books, papers & letters into English.	"	182.00
" Painting and Varnishing Buggy.	"	20.00
" Carriage Hire.	"	10.00
" 1 Gurley Surveyors Transit.	"	275.00 ✓
" 1 Leveling Instrument.	"	100.00
" 1 " Rod.	"	15.00
" 1 Twenty feet measuring rod with bull bulbs.	"	22.00
" 1 Surveyors 66 feet chain.	"	10.00
" 2 Flag Staffs each 50 cts	"	1.00
" 1 Walnut Desk Cabinet.	"	50.00
" 1 " "	"	35.00
" 1 " " Table & Book Shelves.	"	33.00
" 1 Large Drawing Cabinet.	"	10.00
" 1 Shading Ball & Pencils.	"	3.00
" 1 T Square.	"	1.50
" 1 " Large	"	6.00
" 1 Set Curves	"	6.00
" 1 Water Color Box.	"	3.00
" 3 Drawing Boards each 24 x 30 @ 50 cts	"	10.00
" 3 Rolls of Paper " 200 " 40 cts	"	1.00
Total		1,015.50

Monday
May 1st 1871.

Board met. The monthly meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their office on Monday May 1st 1871, at One O'clock P.M.

Present
S. D. Caldwell, in the chair
William Alvord.

Minutes read. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Petition to haul lumber over Park roads & pass the Park Gates with loads for the Park Buildings. A petition was waived from Caldwell and J. S. K. Kinnard, applying for permission to haul lumber over the Park roads & pass the Park Gates with loads for the Park Buildings.

Permission refused. On motion of William Alvord, the prayer of the petitioners was refused.

Resignations of Wm Henderson & Geo Beckwith declared vacant. On motion of William Alvord, Wm Henderson and Geo Beckwith, Esqrs, were declared vacant by reason of non attendance at the meetings of the Board for three months, and the Secretary was directed to give them notice of the same.

Time of opening & closing gates fixed. On motion of William Alvord, Resolved That the gates of the Park be opened at Six O'clock A.M. and closed at Nine O'clock P.M. on and after June 1st 1871, and the Superintendent is instructed to have printed tickets of the above character posted on each and every gate.

Adopted.

Scheme of organization adopted. On motion of William Alvord, the scheme of organization of the Park Police, as submitted by the Superintendent, was adopted, and the Secretary instructed to have it printed in the minutes.

Supt instructed to prepare Rules & Regulations

was instructed to prepare Special Rules and Regulations for the employees of the Commissioners, & submit the same at the next meeting of the Board.

Adjourned

Said Board then on motion of Board adjourned.

J. D. Thomas
Secretary.

San Francisco
May 11th 1870.

Scheme of Exchanges

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen -

[illegible]

[illegible]

The Park Engineer & Superintendent of the Park Grounds, Walks & roadways, fences, police, plantations, supplies and accounts. He should make regular monthly reports of all work performed & orders executed by special direction of the Commissioners & the Superintendent may direct.

The Civil Engineer & Assistant Surveyor will be necessarily in the Horticultural and general charge and maintenance of the Park. He should keep account of his work and keep all the records of the same. [illegible]

1 Assistant Engineer at $150. per
1 Park Keeper at [illegible] 150. " "
1 Sexton at [illegible] 100. " "
1 Watchman [illegible] 100. " "
1 Gardener [illegible] 120. " "
1 Laborer at [illegible] 100. " "
1 Night Watchman " 50. " "
1 Foreman " 50. " "
2 Laborers at [illegible] 120. " "
1 Driver " and Blacksmith 100. " "
1 Driver at [illegible] 100. " "
5 " " 100. " "
1 Keeper at Park [illegible] 125. " "
1 Gardener 75. " "
1 Watchman 70. " "
1 Laborer 60. " "
1 Assistant Gardener 100. " "
5 Laborers " " 100. " "
1 Watchman " " 100. " "
2 Laborers " " 100. " "

position and duties of the inclose of salary.

The pay of the Postal remains the same as at present.

Orders are issued annually by P.G. for the salaries of each handset and Sorter of mail, making the annual pay from £60. to £80. pa. It is impossible to obtain first class men at these places at the present rate of £60. pa. The duties fall much to the advantage of the clerk and the service, and is deserved by third handsets who have acquired a claim beyond past circumstances.

I recommend that the pay of the Sorter at Port Augusta may be augmented to £70. pa. as the duties will be increased by the Railway opening, and that the Sorter at Port Pirie may be allowed £10. pa. for Postal duties, as the Sorter at Port Augusta is allowed.

The Postal Clerk at Port Pirie is a special class of employee, as he has the charge of the Post Office, and has not paid assistance, and is allowed £10. pa. for Postal duties.

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Monday
May 29th 1871.

Board met A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Office on Monday May 29th 1871, at 6 o'Clock P.M.

Present:
Wm Alvord, in the chair
S. F. Butterworth.

Minutes read The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Rules & Regulations adopted On motion, the Rules and Regulations, for the government of the employees of this Commission, adopted by the Board this day, were adopted, and the Secretary directed to have a copy of the same printed for the use of the Commissioners and employees.

Clerk & Assistant Engineer appointed On motion, Edward Kirk was appointed Clerk and Assistant Engineer to the Park Commissioners, at a salary of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars per month.

Bonds approved On motion, the bond of Edward Kirk, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars, with Charles Kirk as surety, was approved.

Ordinance No 1 adopted On motion, Ordinance No. 1 of this Board was adopted as entered of record, and ordered printed for the use of the Commissioners, and a copy of the same filed with the Secretary.

Rules & Regulations adopted On motion, the Rules and Regulations of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, were adopted as entered of record, and ordered printed for the use of the Commissioners, and a copy of the same filed with the Secretary.

Ordinances passed Ordinances No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41,

Board met

Donations

Park Commissioners
Ordinance No. 5.

An Ordinance amendatory of Ordinance No. 2. of this Board.

Section 1. Section 5 of Ordinance No. 2 of this Board, duly adopted September 24th, 1872, shall hereafter be amended to read as follows: Section 5. There is hereby established a pound, to be located within the Park limits, for the impounding of the animals mentioned in the first subdivision of Section 2 of this Ordinance, and of all those found trespassing upon said grounds. All sections and parts of sections of Ordinances heretofore passed inconsistent herewith, are hereby repealed.

Sec. 2. [illegible]

Sec. 3. [illegible]

S. J. Buttermilk
William Abbard
Park Commissioners.

Office of Park Commissioners,
Central Park, June 12th 1874.

[illegible]

J. T. Stanyan
Secretary.

Park Commissioners.
Ordinance, &c. &c.

Section 1. An act to establish certain grounds known as the Golden Gate Park and the Avenue leading thereto, described in the act entitled "An Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the Government of Public Parks in the City of San Francisco," approved April 11, 1870.

Sec. 2. Be it ordained by the Board of Park Commissioners, that the Superintendent of the Park shall have charge of the Park and Avenue, and shall have full power to control and direct all persons employed thereon, and shall have power to suspend any employé for neglect of duty or misconduct, and report the same to the Board at its next meeting.

Sec. 3. The Superintendent of Parks shall cause to be kept in a book provided for that purpose, a full and correct account of all moneys received and paid out by him, and shall render a monthly report to the Board of Park Commissioners, showing the amount of moneys received and paid out by him, and the purposes for which the same were paid out, and shall pay over to the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco, all moneys in his hands belonging to the Park Fund, at the end of each month.

J. F. Buckbee
Secretary

Board met

Minutes read

Cash Balance

Report on Park Lodge

Report of Park Keeper on Nurs & Cost of house fund

Salaried

Nurs & Cost

Expenses

Miscellaneous

the recent noble deeds of James [illegible] Esq. of this City and the Secretary [illegible]

Donations

Donations since May 15th

Adjourned

Board met

Present

Minutes read

Mayor, Auditor & Treasurer requested to Sell Park Bonds

Grant to

Surveyor in regard to change of Gradients

Adjourned

Wednesday
December 30th 1891.

Board met

Present
C. J. Shiras, Pres. the Park
Wm. Laird.
S. J. Bellaire.

Minutes

Minutes of last previous meeting were read and approved.

Object of meeting

This meeting was called at the instance of C. J. Shiras, Park Commissioner, to consider the matter of the Park Police, and to take such action thereon as may be deemed necessary.

Charges against Park Police

Mr. Shiras stated that charges had been preferred against Richard Parker, Police Officer, by Mr. Edward Kelly, a citizen, and that charges had been preferred against Edward Kelly, Police Officer, by Richard Parker, Police Officer, and that said charges were now before the Board for consideration.

Witnesses called

Witnesses on both sides were called and examined before the Commissioners, viz: Richard Parker, Police Officer, Edward Kelly, Police Officer, J. J. Williams, Assistant Superintendent of Police, and Wm. Laird, Park Commissioner.

Charges dismissed.

And the Board having duly considered the matter, it was ordered that the charges against Richard Parker, Police Officer, be and the same are hereby dismissed.

Kelly reinstated

And it was resolved that the said Edward Kelly be and he is hereby reinstated as Police Officer in the Park, and that he report for duty to the Superintendent of Police on Thursday morning, December 31st 1891, at the hour of 8 o'clock A.M.

Resolved

That the Superintendent of Police be and he is hereby directed to instruct the Park Police to arrest all persons found violating the Park Ordinances, and to prosecute all such offenders before the Police Court.

Application to Council for Park Police

Resolved, That the Secretary be and he is hereby instructed to make application to Council for the passage of an ordinance providing for the appointment of a Police Force for the Park, and defining the duties and powers of the same.

Supts report on Horticultural aspect filed

The Superintendent's report on the Horticultural aspect of the Park Improvements was read, considered, approved and ordered to file.

Planting of trees shrubs & flowers

On motion of Wm. Laird the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That in planting trees, shrubs and flowers in the Park Pleasure Ground, the Superintendent be and he is hereby directed to plant in groups of each variety, and not in rows, and to avoid the planting of trees and shrubs too near the walks, roads and drives.

Exchange of surplus trees for suitable plants trees & shrubs

Resolved, That the Superintendent be and he is hereby authorized to exchange surplus trees in the Park Pleasure Ground, for trees, shrubs and plants suitable for planting in the Park, having due regard to the interests of the Park during the process of transplanting such trees, shrubs and plants.

Adjourned

There being no further business before the Board, it was adjourned.

Wm. Laird
Secretary

Friday October 9th 1874.

Board met A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Friday October 9th 1874, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present.

C.J. Sullivan in the chair
William Ahrold.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supts report The Superintendent reported to the Board the progress of work in the Park, and estimating the cost of the work proposed to be executed during the present year.

Approved & Ordered to be filed.

Communication from William Ahrberg, in regard to the Water Lots owned by him.

Ordered to be filed.

Bond [illegible]

[illegible] named persons [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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Friday
December 20th 1872.

Board met

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office, on Friday December 20th 1872, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C. J. Sullivan in the chair
Wm. Alvord.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Night Watchmen wants to have Dan'l Kelly Night Watchman asking to be allowed to keep a horse at the expense of the Park.

Ordered on file.

Letter from Supt. asking for cost of cutting and hauling wood for Lodge Building &c

A letter from the Secretary was received, asking for the cost of cutting and hauling wood for Lodge Buildings near Mission Dolores, Santa Cruz &c to Sutro Landing Redwood Shipmark, and the disposition of the Sign of One Hundred & Fifty Dollars, Offers thereto, his wants to pay Assessments.

Ordered on file.

Communication from Supt. Sutro

A communication from the Superintendent of Sutro Heights was read, stating that Nicholas Bodle was employed by Peter Shultz, Herman Stubenrauch & Carl Wendt to do work in Park, from Feller's Station to Sutro Heights, and that he had discharged them, and requesting that they be allowed to work for him, which was granted.

Voted- That Wm. H. Hall be allowed to work for the following articles of Park

Hall allowed to use certain articles

property, at the annexed rates-

One	Wild Cat Wagon	@ 25	p.	per day-
One	" " Bell Cart	"	"	"
One	Trail	"	"	"
Six	Cultivators	" 10	"	"
Two	Seed mixing boxes	" 10	"	" .

Resolved- That all Sutro Seed now in the Park Store House, over and above the amount which may be required for use on the works of reclamation in the Park, be offered at the rate of Five & 25/100 Cents, per pound.

Supervised to be sold

Resolved- That William H. Hall be allowed to purchase said seed as may be required in the reclamation works to be carried forward within the Park limits during the year, at the rate of Five & 25/100 Cents per pound.

Hall allowed to purchase Sutro Seed

Resolved- That Wm. H. Hall be and he is hereby appointed Guard and Keeper of the Park and all regular Assistant Keepers shall duly report to the Chief Keeper in writing in respect to the conduct of the Police force of the City and County of San Francisco; and that they be required to attend in such uniform, each of his own choice, and after the first day of March A.D. 1873.

Guards to be appointed

Resolved- That all Police Laborers and Sal. Keepers appointed by the Park Commissioners, and are hereby required to report at the Park Office on the first day of March A.D. 1873, clothed in some kind of uniform to be agreed upon by the Commissioners, made of the same material as the uniforms worn by the Regular Assistant Keepers, and that certain acts in relation to the style of dress as the Superintendent may direct.

Police Laborers Sal. Keepers to wear uniform as certain acts

The following accounts were allowed by the Commissioners, and audited during the month of October

Accounts Oct 1872

A.D. 18[illegible], amounted to the sum of Three Thousand, Five Hundred Forty Three 50/100 ($3.543.50/100) Dollars.

Adjourned — And then on motion the Board adjourned.

J. F. Fleming
Secretary.

Chas Samuel appt'd Asst Keeper Salary $75 pm — On motion Charles Samuel was appointed to the position of second Assistant Keeper at a salary of Seventy Five $75.00 per month, his duties to be prescribed by the Superintendent.

J. F. Fleming
Secy.

Monday December 11th 1871.

Board met — A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Monday December 11th 1871, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C. L. Sullivan, in the chair
Wm Ward.

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

R.C. Rodgers applies for rock — A communication was received from R. C. Rodgers, asking permission to remove rock from the Park for the purpose of making cocks through his garden, and also to be allowed to purchase from the Park Surplus, a few surplus Ivy Gibbed & pile.

Application Granted — On motion R. C. Rodgers was granted permission to remove rock from the Park subject to the cocks through the wall being laid in cement & the Ivy to be purchased from the Park Surplus, agreed.

Jas Brady's application for position as Special Policeman dismissed

A communication was received from James Brady asking for a position as Special Policeman. Ordered on file.

Pay Roll — The following pay roll was passed for payment of the Park, viz:

Pay Roll
Nursery Men & Gardeners
Eight Teams & Scrapers
Laborers
On Back of Scows

The total amount of Demands

allowed & the Commrs' accts and audited
Accounts during the month of December A.D. 1874,
Paid 1875 amounting to the sum of Six Thousand,
Eight Hundred Sixty Six 56/100 ($6866.56) Dollars.

Adjourned And then on motion the
Board adjourned.

J.S. Fleming Secretary.

Monday
January 11th 1875.

Board met A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Monday January 11th 1875, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C.L. Sullivan Jr. in the Chair
Wm Alvord.

Minutes Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Secy's Salary increased, On motion- The Salary of the Secretary was increased from Seventy Five 00/100 Dollars per Month, to One Hundred & Fifty 00/100 Dollars per month, to commence from the first day of January A.D. 1875.

Concerning purchase to notify Wm McColl that this Board has foreclosed from Wm Hammond all the balance of Darby Meadows, & his rights, after the sale, later of the lands South of the Park.

Darby Meadows Forty Thousand Four Hundred & Sixty Six 32/100 Dollars @ $1 32/100 Four Hundred Forty Six 32/100 Dollars, and authorizing time to Mr. Sprat the same to account to Park Commissioners.

Ld. Lopez relative to Trees A communication was received from the Board of Supervisors acknowledging the gift of trees presented by Eastern Squad & requesting to call & thank the Members of that body for the same.

Ordered on file.

Permission to remove rock from Rock from Hagel Island. A communication was received from the War Dept U.S. Department of the United States giving permission to this Board to quarry & remove rock from Hagel Island.

Ordered on file.

Vote of Thanks A vote of thanks was passed to the Board for the above named permission & the Secretary instructed to notify Hagel Island accordingly.

of the same.

Amount of Vouchers audited by the Commissioners

The total amount of Vouchers allowed & audited during the year 1874 amounted to the sum of Six Thousand One Hundred Forty 2/100 Dollars.

Adjourned

And there no further business the Board adjourned.

J. D. Fleming Secretary.

Wednesday February 10th 1875.

Board met

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Wednesday February 10th 1875, at 10 O'Clock A.M.

Present:

Chas. Sullivan, in the chair
Wm. Ward.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Concerning Manual

A communication was received from J. T. Gregg offering to give this Board $2 Dollars for the right to erect a Manual upon his Stable on Division St. Communication ordered on file and Superintendent authorized to make arrangements for the erection of the same.

Bids for Construction of Sheep Pasture & Cattle Yard

Bids were received & the Cattle Yard & Sheep Pasture & Stables, & Yard were opened & the Work was awarded to [illegible] he being the lowest responsible bidder & his bond approved & ordered filed.

Report in Relation to Bids

A report of the Engineer was received on bids & at the date thereof 1873-74.

Accepted & ordered on file.

Payment for Work

The Secretary presented an official copy of Park Commissioners Record

Accepted & ordered on file.

Duty of Assistant Engineer

The Secretary & Assistant Engineer & Engineer was instructed to [illegible] each day spent in the service of the Board & that he should keep a correct account of the same & present it to the Board at each meeting for approval.

Time of Meeting

That the Regular meetings of the Board shall be held on the first Wednesday of each month at 10 O'Clock A.M. at the Park Office.

That the Secretary be instructed to notify the Commissioners of the time of meeting as required by the Commissioners.

Guard to provide uniform

Ordered- Sergeant of the Guard, Coffee and Assistant Keepers, Keeper Rowell and Guard were required to provide for themselves a complete uniform suit of Cloth made of the Park Commissioners Cloth."

Donations

A vote of thanks was passed by the Board to the following named persons for gifts presented to the Park viz.

From- John Saunders-
One box of sandwich Island Grass.
Hon. H. H. Bolander-
Seventy three packages of various kinds of seeds.

Amount expended

The total amount of Demands allowed by the Commissioners to be audited during the month of January A.D. 1876, amounted to the sum of Three Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty Three 63/100 Dollars.

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

J. A. Fleming
Secy.

Monday March 1st 1876.

Board met

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Park Office Golden Gate Park on Monday March 1st 1876 at Two O'Clock P.M.

Present
C. J. Allen in the chair
Wm Alvord

Minutes read

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Charges against Asst Keeper Chas Samuels by Wm B. Dolan

This meeting was called for the purpose of investigating the charges preferred by Wm B. Dolan in writing to the Board dated January 25th 1876 against Assistant Keeper Charles Samuels, as follows: "That he said Assistant Keeper Samuels threatened to arrest him Dolan saying that he had a warrant in his pocket for Gen. Col. Crocker for felony and would go and procure the same and would arrest him Dolan unless he left the Park on the same day without any cause whatever."

Testimony Chas Samuels

Assistant Keeper Samuels was sworn and testified to the first charge as follows: That on Saturday a week ago I was riding a mare in the Park and was walking a trot to the rate of speed at Eight miles an hour that Mr. Dolan replied and called him an old fool, that I then told him he could get a warrant and meet him on time. That he said he would meet him on time. Mr. Dolan several times used about these words.

To the second charge he testified that he did not place Mr. Dolan under arrest at any time. That since that date I have observed Mr. Dolan very frequent in the Park and that he has been driving according to the rules."

Dolan not present matter postponed

Mr. Dolan was called but he was not present, and the investigation was postponed until the next meeting of the Board

Ordinance No. 7 adopted & ordered published

On motion- Ordinance Number Seven (7) of this Board was adopted as herewith appended, and signed by the Commissioners.

On motion- The Secretary was instructed to furnish Ordinance Number Seven (7) to two daily papers as required by law.

Supt of the Industrial School asks for Seeds

A communication was received from M. H. Woods Superintendent of the Industrial School asking for a gift of Four Hundred Trees to be planted around said school.

Request granted and communication ordered on file.

Communication from Sergt Coffey concerning sale of Seed

A communication was received from A. J. Coffey Sergeant of the Guard enclosed by the Clerk of Supr. calling the attention of the Board to the necessity of passing an ordinance regulating the speed of Stages on the Park Roads.

Ordered on file.

The Commissioners Want authority to purchase Police Uniforms

A communication was received from the Police Commissioners, granting this Board the authority to purchase at cost the Park Officers the Summer cloth known as the cloth denominated "Police Commissioners Cloth."

Communication ordered on file, and a copy of the ordinance was passed by the Board for the same purpose.

Seeds

A package of Seeds was passed by the Board to the following named persons as gifts presented to the Park viz:

From Hon. F. Sawyer 6 pkgs of Coffee Beans.
" " 6 " Italian Chestnuts.
" Hon. Charles Gaylor- Fifty packages of various kinds of seeds.
" E. J. Sullivan- Fifty pounds of Peppet Tree seed.

Bills

The total amount of demands allowed by the Commissioners, & audited during the month of February A.D. 1875 amounted to the sum of Seven Thousand Eight Hundred & Fifty Five and 100 (7,855.00) Dollars.

And there being no further business the Board adjourned.

C. S. Fleming
Secretary.

Park Commissioners, Ordinance, No. 7.

Section 1- The object of this Ordinance is to regulate the rate of speed at which it may be allowed to ride or drive upon the roads within the Grounds known as the Golden Gate Park, and the Avenues leading thereto.

Section 2- All persons are hereby prohibited from riding or driving upon the said roads at a rate of speed exceeding that of a mile in six (6) minutes, or ten (10) miles per hour.

Section 3- The Secretary of said Board shall, within five days after the passage of this Ordinance, make and certify to a true and accurate copy of the same, and cause the same to be published as required by law for ten days, Sundays excepted, and this Ordinance shall take effect and be in force ten (10) days after its passage.

Wm. Alvord
William Alvord
Park Commissioners.

Office of the Park Commissioners
San Francisco March 5th 1875.

I certify that the foregoing is a true and faithful copy of an Ordinance passed by the Board of Park Commissioners on the 5th day of March A.D. 1875, and duly entered in the books of said Board.

C. S. Fleming
Secretary

Wednesday March 24th 1875.

Board met — A meeting of the Park Commissioners, was held at their Office on Wednesday March 24th 1875, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
Wm. Atwood.

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Charges against Asst. Engineer — decision deferred — The investigation of the charges preferred against Assistant Engineer Garnet was resumed. W. B. Dolan was called and testified in accordance to the facts as set forth in the communication, containing the charges aforesaid dated February 23rd 1875. On motion decision in above matter was deferred, and communication ordered on file.

Lawrence applies for position of Head Gardener — A petition was received from Lawrence Lane applying for the position of Head Gardener. Ordered on file.

Receipt from City & County Treasurer for sale of hay and trees to Hall — The Secretary presented a receipt signed by the City and County Treasurer, for the sum of Eight Hundred, Twelve 76/100 ($812.76/100) Dollars, being for 30 Tons of Spanish Reed & Twenty Six (26) Cords of Trees sold to William Hammond Hall, and for use of tools and implements used in the reclamation of the land south of the Park. Approved, and receipt ordered on file.

Bids for Stone rejected — Four bids were received, and opened proposing to cut and furnish stone for Borders and Gutters in the Park. The bids were referred to the Engineer, with instructions to report at next meeting.

Resolution of thanks to Hawaiian King for gift of Plants — A vote of thanks was tendered by the Board to his Hawaiian Majesty King Kalakua for a gift of Twelve Plants, and a box of Shells, presented to the Park.

Adjournment — And then on motion meeting adjourned, to meet on Thursday Mar. 25th 1875, at the Usual hour. J. T. Fleming Secy.

Thursday March 25th 1875.

Board met — An adjourned meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Thursday March 25th 1875, at One O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
Wm. Atwood.

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bids for Stone rejected — The Engineer reported on the Bids opened for furnishing Stone for Gutters and Borders and recommended that they be rejected. On motion - Bids were rejected, and the Engineer authorized to do the work.

Bid for Bldg Tank & Mill accepted — On motion - The bid of Myers Atwood and Bodwell for building a Tank and Mill, was accepted.

Bid for Bldg Tool house accepted — On motion - The bid of N. Gasbolt for building a Tool House was accepted and Superintendent authorized to have the same built at the same rate bid for one.

Cypress Trees presented to Mechanics Inst. — On motion - One Hundred (100) Cypress Trees were presented to the Mechanics Institute.

Application of J. Coffey for leave of absence refused — On motion - The application of J. Coffey for a leave of absence from duty on the Park was refused.

Position of Asst Engr declared vacant — On motion - The following Resolutions were adopted. Resolved, That in view of the necessarily limited outlay for Improvements to which this Board will be able to make upon the Parks during the ensuing year, the services of an Assistant to the Superintendent should not be allowed, and therefore the position of Assistant Engineer should be and hereby is declared

vacant on and after April 30th 1875, and the Engineer and Superintendent is instructed to take immediate personal charge of the Department of Park Construction on and after that date. Also that for the same cause the services of the Draughtsman be dispensed with after May 31st 1875.

Salary increased. Resolved That in consideration of the additional services to be rendered by the Engineer and Superintendent in consequence of the effects of the foregoing resolution, the salary of the said Engineer and Superintendent be increased to Four Hundred (400.00) Dollars per month, and that he be allowed to keep two horses for use in the discharge of his duties at the Park Stables, in lieu of the Thirty Three (33.00) Dollars per month now allowed him, for that purpose. This resolution to take effect on and after April 30th 1875.

On motion the following resolution was adopted.

Sergt to reside at Park Stables. Resolved That the Sergeant of the Guard shall be required to reside at the Park Lodge.

And then on motion the meeting adjourned.

D. T. Fleming Secretary.

Friday April 9th 1875.

Board met. A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Friday April 9th 1875 at One O'Clock P.M.

Present.
D. D. Sullivan in the chair.
Wm Wood

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Sergt Cosgrove assigned to duty as Sergeant of the Guard at Park Stables.

Wm Sloan appointed Sergt of Guard. William Sloan was appointed to the position of Sergeant of the Guard at a salary of $50.00 per month, $5.00 additional to what he received as Private, it being understood that he is to reside at the Park Stables.

Carpenters work to be performed for Public Buildings & Grounds. Ordered that the Comptroller be instructed to pay the following accounts for work performed at the Park Stables and Mall.

Cornelius McCarthy	31.00
Lucius Meagles	10.00
B. Williams	10.00
Cornelius McCarthy	15

The Secretary is instructed to prepare a Warrant on the Treasury for the above amounts.

Contract & Sur
Robins Well &
Comm & S M B
Haley

Contract & Surveyors Robins Well &c. Communication from S. M. B. Haley was awarded contract for sinking of Artesian Well at the Park. he being the lowest bidder.

Accounts
May 1871

The following amount of Accounts allowed & the Commissioners Audited during the month of March A. D. 1875. amounted to the sum of $ 1164.26

Adjourned

And then on motion the Board adjourned.

P. L. Sterling
Secretary.

Board met

Wm. [illegible]

Miscellaneous Accounts

Asst Engineer [illegible]

Petitions

Petitions for Relief

N. Casebolt bill for blasting [illegible] Spindle and [illegible]

Sunday music

Petitions

Petition of Jas McClure

Petition for loss of Horse

Petition for loss of Horse

Petition for loss of Horse

Sundry reports presented

The Superintendent presented several reports in regard to the progress of the work in the Park during the fiscal year ending June 30th 1875.

Allowed & Ordered on file.

Vouchers

A vote of thanks was passed to the Board to Engineer in charge for the gift of a package of Fullerton Park seeds &c. &c. &c. to the Park.

Demands paid by City 1874

The total amount of Demands allowed by the Commissioners & audited during the mo. of June 1875 amounted to the sum of $1,810.00 for the month of July $1,695.00.

Adjourned

A motion to adjourn this Board adjourned.

J. S. Turner
Secretary.

Friday

October 15th 1875.

Board met

A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Friday October 15th 1875 at Four O'clock P.M.

Present

Comp. Ingham in the chair
Louis Wm and
Secy.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Supt reports sale of trees

A report was received from the Superintendent recommending the sale of three rotten trees belonging to the Park.

Supt authorised to sell trees

On motion of Louis Wm and the Superintendent was authorised to sell the said trees & report proceedings had.

Secy to present

The Secretary was instructed to present to the Common Council a petition for the sum of $1,000 for the purpose of completing the Park according to the plan adopted by the City Council.

Sum of $1,000 granted

The Secretary was instructed that a petition for the sum of $1,000 be presented to the Common Council for the purpose of completing the Park.

Report on Expenses of Rustic timber &c.

The Superintendent was instructed to call for tenders for the supply of Rustic timber &c. required by the Board in the Park.

A vote of thanks

A vote of thanks was passed to the Superintendent for the gifts presented to the Park by him viz Evergreens & Deciduous trees.

Nov. Sales of U. States & Sandwich Cuttings.

The total amount of Demands
Demands allowed by the Commissioners to be audited
Aug & Sept this month & August & Dec 1875
1875 amounted to the sum of $ 12.551 15/100 and for
the month of September $ 81.07 5/100

Board met

Voted that no matters
the Board adjourned. J. S. Strong
Secretary.

Wednesday 1st December 1875.

Board met A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Wednesday December 1st 1875 at Five O'Clock P.M.

Present
G. P. Swinerton in the chair
W. Reid.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Seeds to be purchased The Superintendent reported that the requisition for seeds to be purchased for the Park & Gardens & submitted to the Board was allowed and the Secretary instructed to advertise for tenders in the usual manner.

Gray mare Ranger Mark the Boy The Superintendent reported that the Gray Mare Fanny one of the horses belonging to the Park was attacked by Mark the Boy on the 1st Inst. and that the Mare could not be used to advantage at present.

Received.

Accounts Rec'd & Ord to be paid 1875 The following accounts were passed by the Commissioners to be audited & paid by cheque on the Bank of Montreal for the amount of $ 1.005.15 and of the month of December $ 1.560.00

Adjourned The Board adjourned. J. S. Strong
Secretary.

Thursday January 6th 1876.

Board met A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Thursday January 6th A.D. 1876, at Four O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C. E. Sullivan in the chair
William Alvord.
Louis McLane.

Absent:
Hayes Bryant

Minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Mr. B. Williams asks permission to erect a Stable in the rear of his premises on the Park

A petition was received from B. Williams asking permission to erect a Stable in the rear of his premises on the Park between the Sixth Ave. & Seventh Ave. which petition was referred to the President with power to act.

Commissioners Park to confer with Mayor & Aldermen in regard to amount to be appropriated for maintenance of the Park

A resolution was received from the Board of Aldermen requesting the Commissioners of the Park to confer with the Mayor & Aldermen in regard to the amount to be appropriated for the maintenance of the Park for the ensuing year, and that the same be placed before the Legislature of this State at its next session."
Adopted.

City of New York Department of Public Parks

A communication was received from the Department of Public Parks, giving notice that the Mall in Central Park will be closed to all vehicles on Sundays from 10 A.M. to 5 P.M. during the months of May June July & August.

Resolution in regard to Sunday Traffic in Central Park

On motion it was Resolved that the Secretary be directed to notify the Police Commissioners of the Police Department of the City of New York that the Board of Commissioners of the Central Park will not require the services of the Police Force in the Park on Sundays, except in case of riots or disturbances, or when the Police Force might be required

and which could be spared from the Park Force.

Report of Supt Concerning Implements used by him on outside work,

The Superintendent submitted a written report concerning implements and rolling stock used by him on private work of reclamation outside of Central Park.

Ordered placed on file, and that he get the use of the same paid at same price charged last year.

Concerning Carts loaned to Mount Sinai Hospital

The Superintendent stated that he had loaned two carts to Mount Sinai Hospital for a short time, which carts had been returned in the course of carrying out the work of grading for the new Hospital buildings.

Concerning Mr. Gragg's indebtedness

The Secretary called the Board's attention to the fact that Mr. Gragg had not yet settled his account for Park Commission Vest &c.

Blue grass purchased

The Superintendent stated that he had purchased for Thousand pounds of Blue grass seed at 40¢ per thousand pounds for distribution on the District Golden Gate Park.

Contractors want to haul

The Superintendent stated that the Contractors were desirous of hauling stone from the Quarry across drive

with grading carts.

Permission granted Contractor to cross drive with grading carts

On motion of William Atwood permission was granted the Superintendent authorized to have written understanding with Contractors that they would repair damage to Park roads inflicted by their use thereof.

Contracting permit

The Superintendent reported that he had submitted Water to be taken from Park Hydrants to the extent of two or three gallons per week by the Architects of the United States Jail as promised to arrange with the Water Company for payment for same should they demand it. That he had reported the fact finally, relative to the Superintendent of the Company. S.H. Elliott.

Also

Supt of Agricultural Soc

Read Supplemental report of the Superintendent of the Agricultural Society stating that he has taken down the Hydrant to during the making repairs in sheltering track that will be necessary during the summer and requesting that an understanding be entered into with the Society, that the Superintendent reported this action to Superintendent of Parks.

Action Approved.

Amount of Demands allowed

The total amount of Demands allowed by the Commissioners to be audited during the month of December A.D. 1875, amounted to the sum of $1.05 cts.

On motion the Board adjourned.

J. S. Fleming
Secretary.

Tuesday
January 15th 1876.

Board met

A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Tuesday the 15th 1876 at 10 O'Clock A.M.

Present

Geo. Allen in the chair
Geo. Reed
Chas. Lane

Minutes

Read & approved.

Adjourned

The Commissioners was held to take into consideration the making of repairs.

J. S. Fleming
Secretary.

Friday February 25th 1876.

Board met. A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Friday February 25th A.D. 1876, at Four O'Clock P.M.

Present:
C.J. Sullivan in the chair
William Alvord.
Louis McLane.

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Reply from S.F. Senate Delegation. In reply to a communication addressed to the San Francisco Senatorial Delegation, the following answer was received, stating that as Gen. was acting for the Legislature it was deemed best not to add or subtract any names at present, and that the Delegation would be ready to hear suggestions regarding the future improvement of the Park.

Ordered on file.

Petition for [illegible] A petition was received asking [illegible] not less than two [illegible] Park; [illegible] for [illegible] the [illegible] that no [illegible] used [illegible] Horses in Belt [illegible] Pasture [illegible] Ordered on file.

[illegible] Alvord, [illegible] was granted, [illegible] to locate a [illegible] Park.

[illegible] Commissioner Alvord [illegible] Dollars and Fifty Cents, [illegible] Hundred [illegible] for [illegible].

Donation. A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs D. B. Hall, for the gift of One Hundred Fig Tree Cuttings, presented to the Park.

Demands Febry 1876. The total amount of Demands allowed by the Commissioners, and audited during the month of January A.D. 1876, and [illegible] by the Board of Supervisors, [illegible] for the month of February [illegible].

The Secretary called the amount of Cash in Hand to [illegible].

Adjourned. [illegible] the Board adjourned.

J. D. Stevenson
Secretary.

Tuesday March 25th 1876.

Board met — A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Tuesday March 25th 1876, at Ten Oclock P.M.

Present
C. E. Sullivan in the chair
Wm. Floyd.
Louis McLane.

Minutes read — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Chairman asks to be reimbursed for expenses incurred — The Chair called the attention of the Board to the fact that he had been put to considerable expense in procuring plans &c submitted for the Park.

On motion of Commissioner Floyd the Secretary was directed to advertise for proposals for the erection of a Stable on the Park.

Bills allowed — On motion of Commissioner McLane the following bills were allowed and ordered paid.

Wm. Floyd	Expenses to Albany	$ 10.00
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To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.

Proposed Organization

Proposed Organization

		Days	pr. day	pr. mo.
Superintendent Park & Plaza				$200.00
1 Engineer	(Assistant)	30 @	$3.00	90.00
2 "	(Rodmen)	" "	2.75	165.00
2 Sub Keepers		" "	2.00	120.00
1 Night Watchman		" "	2.75	82.50
1 Horse Keeper		25 "	2.50	100.00
1 " "		" "	2.10	58.80
2 " Gardeners		" "	2.00	112.00
1 Gardener		30 "	1.00	120.00
2 "		21 "	2.30	119.60
8 "		21 "	2.10	109.20
1 Carpenter		30 "	3.00	90.00
1 Mason		30 "	2.00	110.00
1 Team Horses		25 "	2.00	330.00
1 Carriage		21 "	3.00	78.00
2 Laborers		21 "	2.25	117.00
2 "		25 "	2.00	360.00
10 "				$2,128.10

Incidental expenses not to exceed 250.00

$2,181.10

Respectfully Submitted

H. Hammond Hall.

Supt. & Engr.

Board adjourned.

J. D. Fleming

Secretary.

Copy

State of California
Department of State. }

I, Thomas Bell, Secretary of State of the State of California, do hereby certify that I have compared the annexed copy of Senate Bill No. 451 p. 21st Session with the Original now on file in my office, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom and of the whole thereof.

Witness my hand, and the Seal of my office, at Sacramento, the 5th day of April A.D. 1871.

(Seal)

Thomas Bell
Secretary of State
By W. A. Bell
Deputy.

An Act

to provide for the preservation, improvement and government of Golden Gate Park in the City and County of San Francisco.

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section One.

The Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco shall have the power to lay and collect in the manner and subject to the limitations provided by law for the assessment and collection of taxes to lay each year, on all property in said City and County, not to exceed one and one-half cents on each one hundred dollars valuation of taxable property within said City and County, for preserving and improving Golden Gate Park in said City and County; said sum of money so raised shall be distributed by the Park Commissioners of said Park in manner as the moneys appropriated by said Commissioners shall be directed by said

Section Two.

The Park Commissioners shall employ one General Superintendent who shall have charge of the labor employed and managing said Park and shall receive a salary not to exceed the sum of Three Hundred Dollars per month for his services. The City and County Surveyor shall be ex officio Engineer of said Park, and perform such engineering work as the Commissioners may require of him. Said Commissioners shall employ the said General Superintendent and may discharge him. He shall employ at wages such laborers and such workmen as may be necessary to carry into effect the duties required of him by this act, but such laborers, except as provided in this act. They shall in no case create any debt, liability or disbursement against the City and County, except such as may be authorized by this act, and such as can be paid by said Commissioners out of the funds provided

Section Three.

This act shall take effect immediately.

James A. Johnson
President of the Senate.

[illegible]
Speaker of the Assembly.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

of Supervisors of said City and County in accordance with the provisions of Section One of this Act.

Section 3.

This Act shall take effect immediately.

Approved
April 3rd 1876
William Irwin
Governor

G. D. Carpenter
Speaker of the Assembly.
J. P. Dibble
President of the Senate pro tem.

Endorsed.

Received in Assembly April 3rd 1876.

Read the second time April 3rd 1876.

C. S. Capral
Chief Clerk of the Assembly

Passed the Senate April 3rd 1876.

C. J. Shortridge
Secretary of the Senate.

Received from the Governor April 3rd 1876.

C. J. Shortridge
Private Secretary of the Governor.

April 28th 1876

Friday April 28th 1876.

Board met. A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at their Office on Friday April 28th 1876 at Half past Two P.M.

Present.
G. S. Sullivan in the chair
William Alvord
Louis Sloss

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Copy of Report of Assembly Park Committee ordered filed. A communication was received from the Assembly Park Committee relative to the Resolution of the Senate and Assembly appointing said Committee, which was ordered filed.

Spring Valley Water Co. The President reported that the Spring Valley Water Company had presented a bill for water furnished to the Park, which bill was referred to the Executive Committee with power to act.

San Francisco April 28th 1876.

Golden Gate Park Commissioners

To Spring Valley Water Works Dr.

To water furnished the year ending May 1st 1876 at $1.00 per 100 cubic feet $1,000.00
To water furnished Stock Yards from May 1st 1875 to May 1st 1876 at $.50 per 100 cubic feet 500.00
To water furnished Hospital from May 1st 1875 to May 1st 1876 at $.50 per 100 cubic feet 150.00
To water furnished Stock Yards from January 1st 1876 to May 1st 1876 at $.50 per 100 cubic feet 1.00.00
To Water furnished Stock Yards from January 1st 1876 to May 1st 1876 at $1.00 per 100 cubic feet 2,000.00
$11,500.00

San Francisco April 28th 1876.

Golden Gate Park Commissioners.

To Spring Valley Water Works Dr.

To Water furnished the Golden Gate Park as

per Gas for the year ending May 1st 1875 $11.8000

Keystone Coal purchased 31.1873 " 2000

" " " June 30 " 6000 8000 "

Sundries

Sd Stevens clerk to May 1st 1874, 2 years 10% 5000

Sd Water furnished the Golden Gate Park during the year ending May 4 1873 as per record of the Clerk of Supervisors

1 13.2000 yds Gabions at 10¢. 1320.00

Sd Stevens services to May 1 1874, 1 year 10% 1452

Sd Water furnished the Golden Gate Park during the year ending May 1st 1874, as per record of the Clerk of Supervisors

1833.5 yds Gabions at 10¢. 330.12
$16.31.50

Communication of Supt Parks Laying the Bills on the table and ordered filed.

Communication from Wm Hall Superintendent of Parks, offering the following-

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Parks be and he is hereby authorized to employ such number of laborers as may be necessary to keep the Parks in order, at a rate of wages not exceeding two dollars per day, and that he report to this Board on the first day of each month the number employed, and the amount of wages paid.

Adopted.

Communication from Commissioner Hall offering the following resolution, which was referred to the Committee on Regulations for the government of employees in the Parks and Squares of the City, with instructions to report at the next meeting of the Board.

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Parks may employ such laborers as he may require, not to exceed ten hours per day, except in cases of emergency, and that any violation of this rule shall be a reprimand by the Superintendent for the first offence, and discharge for the second.

Supt Hall resigns

Accepted

The resignation of Wm H. Hall as Superintendent of the Parks to take effect April 30th 1874, was received, accepted, and ordered on file.

Wm H. Hall elected Consulting Engineer & Landscape Architect

On motion of Commissioner Ward, William H. Hall was declared duly elected Consulting Engineer & Architect to this Board, and as such elected to retain possession of all maps, plans, books, instruments & other property belonging to this Board, and required to consult with and direct the Superintendent of the Parks in Superintendent of the carrying out of the said plans upon the grounds.

Hall must be present at meetings will serve without remuneration

The usual acceptance of the office of Consulting Engineer & Landscape Architect by William H. Hall to serve as such without remuneration, was received and ordered entered upon these minutes.

Fix hours of labor

Employees limited

The President stated that under the resolution adopted at the last meeting he had after consultation with the Superintendent Wm H. Hall, revised the roll of employees and brought it down to the standard of a yearly maintenance price, limiting the number of employees mentioned in the bills filed after the said period at the rates fixed by the Superintendent and duly submitted to this Board at the last meeting, to take effect May 1st 1874.

Wm H. Hall elected Superintendent

On motion of Commissioner Ward, D. E. Richard was declared duly elected Superintendent of the Parks and Squares at a salary of $200.00 per month, to date from May 1st 1874.

Mr. Lane

On motion of Commissioner Lane, William H. Hall, was appointed

Hall was authorized and instructed to prepare
to prepare being specially qualified by reason of
his statement long familiarity with the accounts, papers
& records, memoranda and works — a complete
organization statement of the disbursement in detail
to the Board in pursuance and [illegible] the
June 30th 1876 organization of this Board to the 30th day of
June 1876, together with such explanations
and [illegible] of Park Works completed in progress
and [illegible] according to the plans, as will
to the said account of the Work referred in
this Board, to be submitted to the Board
of Supervisors at the end of the fiscal
fiscal year, with the understanding that
the Hall

to examine and report thereon.

Hall's report on Investigation [illegible]

Report of Hall, Superintendent
concerning the result of investigation into the
Affairs [illegible] received & ordered on file.

Hall report on organiza-tion of Force

Report of Hall, Superintendent
concerning the organization of the Police
necessary for maintenance of the Parks
received & ordered on file.

Cash

[illegible]

Resolutions

[illegible]

Demands April 1876

[illegible]

Adjourned to Board adjourned.

[illegible]
Secretary

May 11th 1876. May 11th 1876 3.50 P.M.

A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
Board met pursuant to adjournment at their Office May 11th 1876 at 3.50 P.M.

Present.
E. J. Sullivan (in the Chair)
J. A. Wood
Wm. McLaren

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Professional opinion of McAllister & Hoge on powers of the Board Submitted a professional opinion of the Messrs McAllister and Hoge in relation to the subject, which was read, and ordered to be filed.

Address of Letter Communication from Alex Rosborough addressed to "His Excellency Governor Irwin Sacramento the State of California" was read & ordered to be filed by the Committee of the Senate & Assembly of the State Capitol, appointed to audit the expenses of said Board - was referred the communication to this Committee, & Board, ordered that same be filed in the Secretary's office & copy placed on file.

Application of Mr. Bowers for an appointment as Keeper of the Conservatory. The President of the Board laid before the Board the application of Mr. Bowers for the position of Keeper of the Conservatory, & moved that the Secretary be instructed to inform Mr. Bowers that the Board will not be in session for the purpose of making appointments until the 1st day of June next, at the regular meeting of the Board, & that his application will be considered at that time.

Motion carried.

Motion to instruct Secretary to notify Mr. Bowers of action of Board Mr. Wood moved that the Secretary be instructed to inform Mr. Bowers that his application will be considered at the regular meeting of the Board on the 1st day of June next.

Motion carried.

Secretary to report number & occupation of employees & amount of pay roll. Mr. Wood moved that the Secretary be instructed to report at the meeting of this Board on the 1st day of June next, the number and occupation of all employees who are employed for service Work and, men or teams, under Official Ordered Warrants issued & on pay rolls on file.

Motion carried.

Amount of cash on hand to be reported. The Secretary reported the amount of cash on hand to be $ 4,205.16.

Amount of demands allowed May 1876. The total amount of demands allowed by the Committee and audited during the month of May was $3,341.93.

Adjourned. There being no further business before the Board it adjourned.

June 30th 1876

June 30th 1876

Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present

Jno Ahern (in the Chair)
Jas C. Fox

Secy read the Minutes of the last meeting which were read & approved.

Matter of Mr Fox reported that since the resolution of the Board at its meeting held on the 16th inst. to proceed to complete the Gravel Road Contract, he had had an interview with the Mayor in reference to the Report of the Committee of the Board to the Council, & the proceedings of the Council thereon, & the Board to the Council of the Board dated the 16th inst. & the Council's minute thereon, & from enquiries he had made, as to what "Statutory Declaration" was necessary to be made before payment of the final Progress Certificate could be made, he found that a Statutory Declaration was required to be made by the Contractor, & that a form of such Declaration was given in the Schedule to the Act respecting Municipal Institutions, & that the Declaration should be made before a Justice of the Peace, & that the Board should be furnished with a copy of the Declaration, & that the Declaration should be made & transmitted to the Board before the Certificate could be issued.

Cor Jno Nelles Reports that he desires to be appointed Clerk

Cor Jno Nelles reported that he had been requested by the Council to act temporarily as Clerk of the Municipality, & that he had accepted the appointment, but that he hoped that the Board would not consider that he had thereby vacated his position as Member of the Board, & that he hoped to be appointed to the vacancy on the Board caused by the resignation of Mr Hamer, & that he would be glad to receive the appointment of Clerk of the Municipality, & that he would discharge the duties of both offices.

Mr Hamer resigns his seat at the Board

Mr Hamer's resignation of his seat at the Board was received & accepted.

Clerk to write to Mr Hamer

The Secretary was instructed to write to Mr Hamer informing him that his resignation had been accepted by the Board.

Clerk to be instructed to notify the Proprietors

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Proprietors of the Gravel Road that the Board had accepted the resignation of Mr Hamer as a Member of the Board.

Office to be moved to Jack Sedgewick

On motion of Mr Wm Lamont it was resolved to remove the office of the Board to the Jack Sedgewick building in Toronto.

Auditor replies to inquiry concerning powers of Board

The Official reply of Mr. J. Maynard Clerk of County Auditor to the Clerk of the City of Toronto answering the queries of the Board, made especially at the instance of Mr. Lamont, dated 11th inst. was received, and with the opinion of the City as a Court to Atty on the subject was ordered to be filed with the papers in the office.

Bal on hand

The Secretary pro tem reported that with the cheque at present drawn on the Bank in favor of Mr. Fox, which cheque was directed payment to be withheld pending the settlement of the Board the balance of Bank Account to the credit of the Board was $1,[illegible]

Adjourned

On motion Board adjourned.

Wm. Hamer Jack
Sec. pro tem

July 12th 1876

July 12th 1876

A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Board met their office July 12th 1876.

Present
E. L. Sullivan
Jno. Alvord,
Seth McEwen

Temporary Organization

On motion of E. L. Sullivan Esq. the Hon. Seth McEwen Commissioner Pro. Tem. Wm. Sullivan, Alvord and McEwen presided. Seth McEwen Pro. Tem. then announced that the Governor appointed them as Park Commissioners to the unexpired term ending April 21st 1878 when the Board Commissioners to the unexpired term ending April 21st 1878

Organization

Upon motion it was duly resolved that the Secretary be ordered and directed to be present at the meetings of the Board.

Bonds

On motion of Wm. Sullivan Esq. it was duly resolved that the bond of the Secretary be fixed at Five Hundred Dollars.

Adjournment

On motion duly seconded it was ordered that the Board do now adjourn.

Aug. 31st 1876

August 31st 1876.

Board met

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 32 Sansome Street on Thursday August 31st 1876 at 1 o'clock P.M.

Present E. L. Sullivan Chairman
Jno Alvord.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting dispensed with.

Mayor, Bd of Supervisors & Citizens request Park gates be open at night

The petitions of many citizens, His Honor the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors requesting that the Park Gates be opened at night, were presented, read and ordered on file.

Alvord offered the following resolution which was adopted.

"In compliance with petitions from many citizens and the request of his Honor the Mayor and the Board of Supervisors.

Resolved that the Gates of Golden Gate Park be kept open on moonlight nights until 11 o'clock P.M. until further orders, and that the Tower Bell be rung at half past 9 o'clock P.M. to notify all persons in the Park that the Gates are about to be closed.

Resolution ordering Park Gates kept open Moonlight Nights

U.S. Treasury Dept asks information concerning Life Saving Station

A communication from the Treasury Department of the U.S. requesting information as to best plan of material etc to be used in construction of the proposed Life Saving Station on Park Grounds at the Beach - Thereto with plan of said Structure, was read ordered on file. Supt H. B. Prichard was instructed to reply to said Communication giving the desired information.

The Board then adjourned.

July 12th 1876

July 12th 1876.

A meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Board mets their office July 12th 1876.

Present
E. L. Sullivan
Jas. Alvord,
Secy. J. P. Dana.

Testimony Opens [illegible] Commissioner Sullivan presented Commissioner Sullivan Alvord and the Secretary presented Alvord & the Secretary to the Commissioners

Communication [illegible] Read that the Park Commissioners in order [illegible] Board.

[illegible] Mr. Alvord that the [illegible] Resolved Resolved that [illegible] Alvord, carried

[illegible] That the [illegible] Board.

July 31st 1876

August 31st 1876.

Board met

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 32 Sansome Street on Thursday August 31st 1876 at 1 o'Clock P.M.

Present E. L. Sullivan Chairman
Jas Alvord.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting dispensed with.

Mayor, Bd of Supervisors & Citizens request Park Gates be open at night

The petitions of many citizens Hon Mayor and the Board of Supervisors requesting that the Park Gates be closed at night, were presented, read and ordered on file

Mr Alvord offered the following resolution which was adopted.

"In compliance with petitions from many citizens and the request of hon Mayor and the Board of Supervisors.

Resolution ordering Park Gates kept open Moonlight nights

Resolved that the Gates of Golden Gate Park be kept open on moonlight nights until 11 o'clock P.M. until further orders, and that the Tower Bell be rung at half past 10 o'Clock P.M to notify such persons in the Park that the Gates are about to be closed.

U.S. Treasury Dept asks information concerning Life Saving Station

A communication from the Treasury Department of the U.S. requesting information as to best quality of material etc to be used in construction of the proposed "Life Saving Station" on Park Grounds at the Beach - Ingleside - was read & ordered on file. Supt H. M. Pritchard was instructed to reply to said communication giving the desired information.

The Board then adjourned.

Dec 1st 1876

Dec 1st 1876

Board met — At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 320 Sansome Street on Friday Dec 1st 1876 at 1 O'Clock P. M.

Present — E. L. Sullivan in the Chair
Wm Alvord

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

To macadamize drive on Great Highway — The Supt was instructed to employ one or more teams of the Park in hauling rock to macadamize drive on Great Highway

Adjourned — Board then adjourned.

Mar 31st 1877

Dec 1st 1876

Board met — At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at room No 320 Sansome Street on Friday Dec 1st 1876 at 1 O'Clock P. M.

Present
Mr E. L. Sullivan
in the Chair
Wm Alvord
Chas Mayhew

Minutes — The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was upon motion of Commissioner Mayhew dispensed with.

J. J. Henderson applies for position as Gardener — A Communication from Mr James J. Henderson dated March 1st 1877 applying for the position of Gardener in the Park, was read and ordered on file.

Henderson employed, — On motion of Chas Mayhew it was ordered that James J. Henderson be appointed as Gardener in the Park to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Peter Dreyer.

Adjourned, — There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

Mar 21st 1871 At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 326 Sansome St on Wednesday March 21st at 1 o'Clock P.M. were present.

Commissioner E. L Sullivan (in the Chair)
" Levi McLane

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Present Commissioner Wm Alvord.

Watchmen's pay Commissioner McLane moved that the pay of the Day Watch be increased from $3.00 three dollars per day, and the pay of Sergeant of the Guard Thomas Sloan be increased to $3.25 three dollars & twenty five cents per day to take effect from 1st day of April next. Carried.

Additional Day Watchmen Commr McLane moved that the Superintendent be authorized to employ two additional Day Watchmen at three dollars ($3.00) per day each, one of whom shall be Stephen Bellinger, recommended by Mr Wm H. Hall Carried

Purchase of Horses Commr Alvord moved that the Superintendent be authorized to purchase two (2) Saddle horses for the Park Police the price not to exceed $100. one hundred dollars each. Carried.

Adjourned Board then adjourned

Mar 30th 1871 At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 326 Sansome Street on Friday March 30th 1871 at 12.30 P.M.

Present Comm'r E. L Sullivan (Chairman)
" Wm Alvord
" Levi McLane.

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with on motion of Commissioner McLane.

S.V. Water Co notice to Supervisors for water Charges A communication was read from Chas Webb Howard Vice Pres't of the Spring Valley Water Works, relative to the Park Commissioners to settle the water bills for water furnished Golden Gate Park, & was read and ordered to be filed.

Treasurer to S.V.W. Co Commissioner McLane moved that the Treasurer be authorized to issue to said Company his warrants in the following terms, Pending litigation the Park Commissioners are advised to pay the bills rendered in said suit, and their communication now read be forwarded & that the President be requested to forward a copy of his communication to his Honor the Mayor of the City & County of San Francisco.

Adjourned The Board then adjourned

April 3d 1871 At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 320 Sansome Street on Tuesday April 3d 1871 at 1.30 P.M.

Were present Comm'rs J. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Lyn Haight

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and approved.

Presidents correspondence with Mayor & Pres't Spring Valley Water Works & Pres't Pioneer Water Co.

The President stated that in accordance with a resolution adopted at the last meeting of this Board, viz: Friday 30th ult, he had addressed letters to communications respectively to his Honor the Mayor of the City & San Francisco and Chas Robt Conner Esq President of the Spring Valley Water Works

" San Francisco March 31st 1871

Hon A. J. Bryant
Mayor of the City & San Francisco.

Sir:

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Park Commissioners adopted at the meeting of the Board held on Friday the 30th ult, I have the honor to request that you will cause the Chief Engineer of the Water Department to report to this Board at its next meeting the probable cost of laying a main pipe from the Pumping Works at Lake Temescal to the City, and the probable cost of laying a main pipe from the Pumping Works at Lake Merced

Apl 9th 1877 At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 320 Sansome Street on Monday April 9th at 1:30 P.M.

Present Absent

Minutes Reading of the proceedings of the previous meeting was read and approved.

Auditor directed to audit Bills The President reported that he had received a bill from the City and County Auditor in reference to rendering bills to the Auditor, for audit, and that the Auditor desired that no bills should be rendered to him for audit after this date.

Resolution Adopted authorizing Auditor to audit Bills Upon motion of Commissioner Kellogg it was Resolved that the Auditor of the City and County of San Francisco be and he is hereby directed to audit all bills presented to him for services rendered or materials furnished to the Board of Park Commissioners, and that he issue his warrant upon the Treasurer of the City and County of San Francisco for the amount of such bills.

Adjourned Upon motion of Commissioner Kellogg it was Resolved that the Board do now adjourn to meet on Monday April 16th 1877 at 1:30 P.M.

Monday April 16th 1877 1:30 P.M.

The Board of Park Commissioners met pursuant to adjournment.

Present Commissioners C. J. Sullivan, (Chairman) and Wm Alvord.

Absent Commissioner Kellogg.

The minutes of the proceedings of the meeting of the 9th inst were read and approved.

The following bills were presented for audit:

Wm Alvord	$ 2.00
[illegible]	1.50
[illegible]	2.50
[illegible]	3.00
	$ 9.00

The Board then adjourned.

Apl 16th 1877.

Apl 19th 1877 At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 320 Sansome Street on Thursday April 19th 1877 at 1:30 P.M.

Present Commissioner C. J. Sullivan in the Chair
" Wm Alvord
" Jos. Kellogg
Absent

Minutes The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Requesting that Water be turned on The following communication was signed by the President of the Board and ordered sent to the Spring Valley Water Co

San Francisco, Apl 19th 1877.

Spring Valley Water Co
San Francisco

Gentlemen:

The Board of Park Commissioners, at a meeting held this day, directed me to request you to turn on the water in the Park Reservoir, in order that the Park Lake may be filled for the use of the public on Sunday next.

Very respectfully
C. J. Sullivan
President of Board of Park Commissioners

The Board then adjourned.

Apl 27th 1877 At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 2 on 3rd Session the Office of said Board on Friday April 27th 1877 at 1:30 P.M.

Present Present Commr E.L. Sullivan in the chair
" L. McLane
" Jno Bland

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication from Spring Valley Water Works relative to the Spring Valley Water Works which was read and ordered on file.

Spring Valley Water Works
316 California Street
San Francisco April 19th 1877

To the Board of Park Commissioners
San Francisco.
Gentlemen,

Your note of this date received and the proposition therein contained is accepted.

Yours very respectfully
Chas Holbrook
President S.V.W.W."

Bids The following bids for the erection of a Gardener's Lodge on Strybing Tract on the grounds of Golden Gate Park were received and ordered on file.

[illegible]

Bid [illegible]

[illegible]

Adjourned [illegible]

May 1st 1877 At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room No 2 on 3rd Session Office of said Board on Tuesday May 1st 1877 at 1:30 P.M.

Present Present Commissioners E.L. Sullivan in the chair
" L. McLane
" Jno Bland

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Adjourned There being no business the Board adjourned.

June 5th 1877

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Park Room in No 320 Sansome Street on Tuesday June 5th 1877 at 1:30 P.M. were present.

Commissioner E. L. Sullivan in the Chair
" Wm Alvord
" Jas McLane

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Ord. work

And after general discussion on matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

July 3rd 1877

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Park Room in No 320 Sansome Street on Tuesday July 3rd 1877 at 1:30 P.M. were present.

Commissioner E. L. Sullivan in the Chair
" Wm Alvord
" Jas McLane

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Ord. work

And after general discussion on matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

Aug 7th 1877

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room in No 320 Sansome Street on Tuesday Aug 7th 1877 at 1:30 P.M. were present.

Commissioner E. L. Sullivan in the Chair
" Wm Alvord
" Jas McLane

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Park Plaza ordered paid

Commissioner McLane moved that the Bill of Chas. Leland for Trees in Park be referred to the Auditing Committee with instructions to examine and report thereon at the next meeting of the Board. Carried.

Ord. Work advised

Upon Report of the Park Commissioners Committee on the Bill of Chas. Leland for Trees in Park, it was ordered that the Auditing Committee be instructed to examine and report upon the same at the next meeting of the Board.

Ord. Work

Commissioner McLane presented, and advised the adoption of, the following Order, which was adopted and ordered to be entered in the minutes of the Board, and ordered to be executed and delivered by the President of the Board.

Adjourned

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Sept 11th 1877 At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 320 Sansome St. on Tuesday Sept 11th 1877 at 1:30 P.M.
Were present.
Commissioner E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Wm Alvord
" Louis McLane

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

To hire Lake Sprinkler On motion of Comnr Alvord, the Superintendent was instructed to hire a Water Sprinkler temporarily, for use on the Park roads.

Adjourned After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

Tuesday Oct 2nd 1877
No Quorum

Oct 19th 1877 At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 320 Sansome St.

Board met on Friday Oct 19th 1877, at 1:30 P.M.
Were present
Commrs E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Wm Alvord
" L. McLane.

A communication from J. H. Wyld Captain U.S.R.M. was read, as follows:

Permission asked by the U.S. Govt to erect a house of about 100 feet sq on the ground of G.G. Park

"San Francisco Cal
Oct 16th 1877

To the Hon Commissioners
of the Golden Gate Park.
Gentlemen:

I am instructed by telegram from the Hon Secretary of the Treasury, to respectfully request that you will grant to the United States Government, permission to use and occupy about one hundred feet square of the land of Golden Gate Park near the North west corner thereof, the same to be in lieu of that granted by your resolution of August 9th 1875, a copy of which is herewith enclosed, viz for the establishment of a Life Saving Station.

I have the honor to be very
Respectfully Your Obt Servt
J. H. Wyld
Captain U.S.R.M."

The above communication was ordered on file.

Permission as above asked granted

Comnr Alvord offered the following resolution which was adopted.

Resolved — That permission is hereby granted to the United States Government to use and occupy about one hundred (100) feet square of the land of Golden Gate Park near the North West corner thereof, with the right of ingress and egress to and from the Beach, on foot or with vehicles with boats or any articles used for the purpose of carrying out the intentions of Congress as provided for the establishment of Life Saving Stations, and also the right to erect such structures upon said

land as the United States may desire for the purpose indicated, subject to consultation with the Superintendent and Engineer of the Parks and Avenue.

Capt Wm Wall U.S.A. to be transmitted to Capt W. Wm Wall U.S.A. to notify & enclosing a copy of the above resolution.

adjourned. The Board then adjourned.

Nov 6th 1877. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 11 No 32 E Fairmont

Board met Hall on Tuesday Nov 6th 1877 at two P.M. Five present.

Commissioner Grant Pres. in the chair

" Alvord

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read.

Permission to U. S. Govt. Comm. Alvord moved to amend the minutes so that that part of the Resolution adopted at the last meeting of the Board, granting to the United States the right to use and occupy the land and rock in the ground of Golden Gate Park - viz: "And also the right to erect such Structures upon said land as the United States may desire for the purpose indicated" should read as follows - "And also the right to erect such Structures, in conformity with the plans submitted by Capt W. Wm Jones U.S.A. upon said land, as the United States may desire for the purpose indicated." carried.

Minutes read and approved. The minutes as amended were then

Adjourned. But after a general discussion of matters affecting the interests of the Park the Board adjourned

Tuesday Nov 13th 1877 1:30 P.M. being the day and time for the regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners.

Present Commissioner Grant & Alvord.

No quorum being present Comm. Alvord declared the meeting adjourned until Tuesday Nov 20th 1877 at 2:30 P.M.

Dec 11th 1877 Tuesday Dec 11th 1877 at 1:30 P.M the
Board of Park Commissioners met pursuant to
Board met adjournment at Room 11 No 320 Sansome Str
Present, Commr E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Wm Alvord
" Louis McLane.

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read
and approved.

The Superintendent presented his
Report accompanied by Exhibits A & B &
Biennial Report closed, showing Statement in detail of the dis-
ordered bursement of the Park Improvement Fund for
printed the two years ending Dec 31st 1877. & copy
of the during said period, trees used, number of visi-
tors, accidents, arrests, animals impounded,
Receipts and Receipts &c &c, & a register,
Superintendents Report and Exhibits A & B received.
Copy to his The Chairman stated that he had
Excellency prepared a Report to accompany this
the Report, to be the Fourth Biennial Report of this
Governor Board to Hon Bd. The report after being
read was approved by the Board, ordered
transmitted to his Excellency the
Governor with the Superintendents Report
Annual number 250 for the Governor & Secretary of State of California,
Report and that from the Edition of that printed copies of
the Legislature the Law be forwarded to each member of
the Legislature.

A communication was read from
Application of C. P. Cox Esq requesting the Odd Fellows
Cemetery Association to permit the foregoing to pass over
grant through the three hundred feet of
property land in the Park. The Board de-
cided to defer action on the request for the reasons
that it could not be granted as the ordinance
was in violation of the Park Act and could
not be granted as contrary to the Deed.

The Board then adjourned.

January 2d 1878 At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held at Room 11 # 320 Sansome Street, on Wednesday
Board met June 2d 1878 at 1:30 P.M.
There present, Commrs E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Wm Alvord
" Louis McLane

The minutes of the previous meeting
Minutes were read and approved.

A Communication from Messrs James
Conservatories Lick and H. H. Whitney, was read, as follows
presented " San Francisco December 29th 1877
to " Messrs Eugene L. Sullivan. Wm Alvord and Louis
S.F. Park " McLane.
by " Gentlemen:
Citizens of " The late James Lick, in his
San Francisco " life time, at heavy cost imported and prepared
" the materials now stored at his homestead in
" San Jose, where they were designed to be used
" for a large and beautiful Conservatories, modeled after those in the Kew Gardens, England.
" These, after his death, were offered for
" sale by his trustees and were purchased
" by the following gentlemen, viz: Wm Alvord &
" Jno F. Whitney, James Lick, Thomas Blake
" H. P. Fuller, J. Kittle, W. Jones & W. Grant,
" Adam Grant & Jno F. Babcock, H. D. Grant and Sam'l
" Brown, Isaac E. Davis, Charles Gay, George H. Strobel
" Milton S. Latham, J. C. Flanders, M. T. Hotaling,
" Robert C. Johnson, Charles Crocker, A. S. Tuttle,
" D. Eastland, L. L. Jones & Spencer & Leland
" Stanford and D. A. McDermott who desiring
" among what they believe will be a very desirable
" addition to Golden Gate Park, and which will
" contribute to the future pleasure of the inhabitants
" of this City, have each contributed a sum of
" money toward the purchase and for that
" purpose. Acting as a committee for and
" in behalf of the purchasers, we respectfully ask
" you as the representatives of that great public
" trust, to accept of the Park this gift creating
" only the condition that the Conservatories shall
" be erected in the Park within eighteen months
" from this date, put in order and so many
" trained there for the use and benefit of
" the public. We respectfully James Lick
" H. H. Whitney.

The foregoing communication was ordered on file.

The following reply addressed to Messrs Jas Irvine & W. F. Whittier, Committee was transmitted

San Francisco December 9th 1870

Commissioners accept the gift of the Conservatory

Messrs Jas Irvine and W. F. Whittier, Committee

Gentlemen:

We have the pleasure to acknowledge the receipt of your communication of this date, tendering to the people of San Francisco, through the Park Commissioners the Conservatory imported from England by the late James Lick. On behalf of the public we thank you, and the generous subscribers to the purchasing fund for so valuable a donation to Golden Gate Park and if sufficient appropriations are made, the building will certainly be erected within the time you prescribe.

Very respectfully
E. L. Sullivan
Wm Hoerd
Louis McLane
Park Commissioners

Chairman to confer with Chairman

On motion of Comm McLane the Chairman of this Board was authorized to confer with the Chairman of the San Francisco delegation, to call attention to the donation mentioned above, the manner upon which the donation was made and to ask for funds to defray the charges of erecting the same.

Concerning Sec Gift

The suggestion of Comm McLane the question of location of site of the Conservatories considered.

Motion

Comm McLane moved that the Board elect a Secretary, under and pursuant to Sec 11 of an Act entitled "An Act to create and establish a Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco and to define the duties of Officers thereof and to make appropriations of money for said purposes" approved March 21st 1870. Carried.

J. B. Wolfe elected Secretary

Comm McLane nominated J. B. Wolfe. There being no other nominations, J. B. Wolfe was elected Secretary by a vote of three in favor.

Salary

Commencing from January 1st 1871.

The Secretary was ordered to be paid

Co & C Surveyor to be requested to establish boundaries

The Secretary was ordered to formally request the City and County Surveyor to be requested to establish the intersections of the East & Western boundaries of Golden Gate Park with the "Great Highway", at his earliest convenience.

Adjourned

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. Wolfe
Secy

Feby 3rd 1875

Board met

Minutes

Comm'r Sullivan's communication

J. Brandt's application for position

W. Howell's application

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 72, Safe Deposit Building on Tuesday Feby 3rd 1875 at 1:30 P.M.

There present.

Commissioner C. S. Sullivan (in the chair)

" Ingram Abord

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication from Com'r. P. Gaffney dated S. F. Cal. Feby 3rd 1875, containing information in regard to the Conservatories recently donated to the Park, was read & ordered on file.

The Secretary presented an application for position as Assistant Superintendent from J. Brandt, which was read & ordered on file.

The Secretary presented an application from W. Howell for the position of Rose Engineer, which was read and ordered on file.

A communication was read from Wm. H. Ellis, Secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, inviting the Park Commissioners to be present at the Annual Exhibition of the State Board of Agriculture, to be held at Sacramento commencing with the 15th inst. Whereupon, on motion of Com'r Abord, the invitation was accepted, and the Secretary was directed to notify the Board of Agriculture accordingly.

Adjourned

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. McClure
Secy

Feby 11th 1875

Board met

Minutes

The "David Bush Fund"

to be deposited in Nevada Bank

Adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 72 Safe Deposit Building Thursday Feby 11th 1875 at 1:30 P.M.

There present

Comm'r C. S. Sullivan (in the chair)

" Ingram Abord.

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with.

The Secretary was ordered to deposit all moneys collected upon the Subscription List of the "David Bush Fund" in the Nevada Bank to the credit of "J. B. McClure Secy of the Park Commissioners" and that said amounts be drawn therefrom daily or otherwise as the progress of the work and the expenses incurred might call for. Keeping a strict account of all Receipts & Disbursements.

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. McClure
Secy

Mar 5th 1878

Board met

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 22 Safe Deposit Building on Tuesday March 5th 1878 @ 1:30 P.M.

Were present

Commr E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Wm. Alvord
" Lewis McLane

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Communication from Mr J. B. Lamb asking appointment as Supt of B. S. Park

A communication was read from Mr J. B. Lamb, referring to his former communication and modifying application therein made for position as Supt of B. S. Park & asking employment in some suitable capacity. On motion of Commr Alvord the matter was laid on the table.

Commr Sullivan to draw on the Treas in favor of

On motion of Commr Alvord the Supt was authorized to hand the horse used in the Park business wagon, in some city stable.

Adjourned

The Board then adjourned

J. B. McVey
Secy

April 2d 1878

Board met

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 22 Safe Deposit Building on Tuesday April 2d 1878 @ 1:30 P.M.

Were present Commr E. L. Sullivan in the chair
" Wm. Alvord.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt to purchase drain pipe

Upon motion of Commr Alvord the Supt was authorized to purchase a sufficient quantity of Drain pipe to meet the present requirements of the Park.

Time of Meetings changed

Upon motion of Commr Alvord the day of the regular meetings of this Board was changed from the first Tuesday to the first Thursday of each month.

Communication from Eugene Sies Esq asking that Grade of Mountain Park be established

A communication was received from Mr Eugene Sies requesting that the permanent grade of Mountain Park be established in order that the land owners of the lands lying between Point Lobos Avenue on the South and Mountain Park on the North might be enabled to estimate the cost of the Grading & Macadamizing of Avenues between the lands mentioned above. Upon motion of Commr Alvord the matter was laid over for advisement & the communication ordered on file.

Horse for Supt

The purchase of a horse for Supt Sloan of the Park Board was authorized, the price not to exceed ($150.00) One hundred and fifty dollars.

Adjourned

The Board then adjourned

J. B. McVey
Secy

April 10th 1878 Board met

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Room 22 Safe Deposit Building on Wednesday April 10th 1878, at 1:30 P.M.

There present.

Comm^r Mc^n Lane in the chair

" Alvord

" Sullivan

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Commission Comm^r to U.S. Gov^t to take trees

Permission was given to the U. S. Government to take from the Park Reserve a few wagon loads of red rock.

Pipe lines to be purchased

The Supt was authorized to purchase the necessary quantity of water pipe for the proposed extension of Water Distribution.

Estimate of cost of conservatories submitted by Supt

Mr. J. P. Gaynor Architect submitted an approximate estimate of the cost of erecting the Park Conservatories, which upon motion of Comm^r Alvord was ordered on file.

Mr Gaynor then gave his views on the subject, and after a general discussion it was decided to defer further action in the premises until after the Board of Supervisors had acted upon the appropriation authorized by Act No 116 of the California Legislature

Authorization from Supervisors to expend the $40,000 appropriated by Act 116 of the Legislature

The Secretary was ordered to make a request in writing of the Board of Supervisors for the proper authorization to expend the $40,000. appropriated by Act 116 of the Legislature

Supt to lay out Drives

On motion of Comm^r Alvord the Supt was authorized to lay out the New Drive from a point near the "Lone tree" to its intersection with Arguello Drive

Supt to purchase Spirit Level

The Supt was authorized to purchase one Spirit Level, wages the cost not to exceed the sum of $350 each.

Adj

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. McClure
Secy.

May 2d 1878 No Quorum

On Thursday May 2d 1878 at 1:30 P.M. the day there fixed by order of the Board of Park Commissioners for the holding of the Regular Meeting of said Board, was present Comm^r Louis Mc^Lane

There being no quorum it was ordered that the meeting stand adjourned until Wednesday May 8th 1878 at 2 P.M.

May 8th 1878 Board met

Wednesday May 8th 1878 Commissioners E. L. Sullivan, Wm Alvord & Louis Mc^Lane met at the office of the Board of Park Commissioners.

Secy calls meeting to order

The meeting was called to order by the Secretary upon the appearance of E. L. Sullivan, Wm Alvord & Louis Mc^Lane

Mc^s E. L. Sullivan, Wm Alvord & Louis Mc^Lane present Commissioners

Mc^s E. L. Sullivan, Wm Alvord & Louis Mc^Lane presented their Commissions from the Governor of the State of California appointing them as Park Commissioners for the City & County of San Francisco

Election of President

The Secretary then called the meeting to order for the election of President of the Board.

Comm^r E. L. Sullivan elected Pres^t

Comm^r Alvord nominated Comm^r E. L. Sullivan, seconded by Comm^r Mc^Lane, Comm^r Sullivan was elected Pres^t

Regular order of business

The regular order of business was then proceeded with.

Minutes read and approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Board of Supervisors authorizes this Board to expend the $40,000 appropriated by the Legislature

A communication from the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco, dated May 8th 1878, together with a copy of Resolution No 12,319 was then read as follows:

Resolution

Resolved, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized to expend the amount appropriated for by an Act entitled "An Act to appropriate forty thousand dollars for the purchase of Lands for Public Parks and Squares in the City and County of San Francisco, and for the improvement of Golden Gate Park" approved March 27th 1878.

Resolved further, That the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized to expend the amount appropriated for by an Act entitled "An Act to appropriate forty thousand dollars for the purchase of Lands for Public Parks and Squares in the City and County of San Francisco, and for the improvement of Golden Gate Park" approved March 27th 1878, Relative to Parks and the erection of Conservatories, provided that the expenditure shall not exceed forty thousand dollars in any

month. The communication after being read was ordered on file.

Supt to complete Contracts without del

The Superintendent was instructed to enforce the Revd Sections and Connecting^g Acts and avoid all possible dispatch and that when said work was completed to discharge the Laborers engaged thereon. Also to reduce the Gardener's force as soon as possible in order that the expenses of the Park be lessened.

R. C. regarding Rock from B. V. Quarry

A communication was read from R. C. Page Esq. of the property owners on Hamlet Street below Presidents & Baker Sts. requesting the privilege of obtaining from the Bunker Vista Quarry sufficient rock for Rt. Mr. Adams, Haight St but between Presidents & Baker Sts. Upon motion of Comm^r Spence & Seal Mr Seal said matter was referred to the Supt. and authorized to report at an early date.

Adjourned

Mr. Read the engineer.

T. B. Hobbs
Secd

May 28th 1878

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday May 28th 1878 at 11:30 A.M.

Board met

Present Comm^r C. J. Sullivan in the chair
" Wm Alvord
" Louis M. Sloss

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Application of R. C. Page & Others for rock from B.V. Quarry, Filed

A communication was read from Mr Edw R. Chase asking permission to take from Bunker Vista Quarry rock for the purpose of Mr Adams road around Bunker Vista Park upon petition of Property Owners.

Refused

The request was refused.

Remit to R. C. Page & others & Reduces Stab below Presidents & Baker Sts & Set Confirmed

Remitted to R. C. Page & others the petition for permission to take rock from B.V. Quarry for the purpose of the Adams road around Bunker Vista Park as mentioned above, as the Secretary was instructed by Comm^r Sullivan that he address a communication to Mr Page informing him that the Board will not furnish, inasmuch as the Board has not employed an Architect in the employ Architect & Decided not to employ an Architect in the near future, but Commissioner of the Park Commissioners.

Seal & Burnham Builders propose to erect Cottage

Seal & Burnham Builders propose to erect the Park Commissioners a plan accompanying for the proposed three thousand dollar dwelling

Seal & Burnham employed to prepare working plans & specifications for

May Seal & Burnham were employed to prepare working plans & specifications for the following buildings & Stables

Compensation to be the sum of five thousand and one fifty dollars ($5150) in full for said plans and all services connected with said work, payable as monthly estimates may be approved & certified and paid upon by the Park Commissioners. All necessary material to be furnished by said Seal & Burnham at the Park Commissioners Office, free of charge, all benefits of commissions to be allowed by Seal & Burnham to accrue to the Park. The work of erection of the buildings to be commenced at as early a date as practicable & to be completed without any unnecessary delay. Said agreement to be executed in duplicate

the site selected by the Park Commissioners.

Adjourned The Board then adjourned

J. B. Mather

Secd

June 11th 87 At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday June 7th

Board met 1 1/2 P & 1:30 P.M.

There present Commr E. S. Sutton Chairman

" Wm Bloor

" Louis M. Jones

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Charges by Wm Clark vs Hostler Cornelius Sanz Night Watchman

The Supt submitted a letter containing charges preferred by Wm Clark Hostler Cornelius Sanz Night Watchman [illegible] and recommended that said Sanz be discharged

After examining into the matter the Board ordered that Cornelius Sanz be discharged at once & dismissed from the Park Police

Commr Sutton presented the following

R. H. Curtis Appointed Watchman

Mr. Curtis's application for position as Park Police was received and ordered filed

Applications for positions as Park Police

The applications of [illegible] for positions as Park Police were received and ordered filed

Adjourned

J. B. Mather

Secd

June 21st 1875 — At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Friday June

Board met — 21st 1875 at the office of the President of the Second Bank at 1.30 P.M. were present
Comm'r Sim Abood
" Louis McClave
Upon motion Comm'r Abood took the chair

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Application of E. F. Ohm for rock — A communication was read from E. F. Ohm Esq requesting privilege of taking rock from Buena Vista Quarry.

Referred to Supt — On motion of Comm'r McClave the matter was referred to the Supt with instructions to report thereon.

Force reduced — Comm'r McClave moved that in view of the fact that the Board of Supervisors had cut down the reserve

Park Keepers cut down by Board of Supervisors — fund of the Park Dept. the Supt be and he is hereby instructed to reduce the Park force so as to conform with the scheme of organization this day adopted and on file, said reduction to take place next Saturday night adopted.

Complaint against Walker — The complaint of Mr Nolan vs Wm Clark together with Walker's report, claiming a small amt due by Mr Clark.

Laid over — On motion the matter was laid on the table

Adjourned — After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned

S. J. Hilton
Secy

July 23rd 1875 — At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commission held at their office on Tuesday July

Board met. — 23rd 1875 at 12 o'clock M. were present.
Commr's E. L. Sullivan in the chair
" Wm Abood

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Communication from E. F. Ohm relating to Buena Vista Quarry, Rock Privilege — A communication was read from Mr E. F. Ohm referring to his application for rock from Buena Vista Quarry, heretofore made, & requesting that action be had thereon

Referred to Supt — On motion of Comm'r Abood the matter was referred to the Supt

Annual Report to be transmitted to Board of Supervisors — The Secy presented Statistical Report & Financial Statement showing fully account of the Government of the Park for the past year, which were ordered received and ordered appended to the annual report of this Board to the Board of Supervisors, and it was further ordered that the Secy file said report in the office of this Board of Supervisors on or before the 1st day of August 1875, retaining a copy thereof to be placed on file in this office.

Secy reports interview with Mayor concerning delivery of McCoy's Deed to this Board — The Secy reported that at the interview with his Honor the Mayor in regard to the Park Bill Read which by Act of the Legislature is placed under the charge of this Board, the Mayor stated that he had prepared the necessary deed transferring said Road to the Park Dept. and that he would forward the same to this office at an early date.

Secy to notify Supt upon receipt from Mayor — Whereupon it was ordered upon receipt of said written authorization from the Mayor, the Secy to notify the Supt to receive & take charge of the Road pertaining to said Park & upon receipt thereof to enter and file in this office an authorization from Mayor

Permit to haul granite — Permission was given to Capt J. H. Tibbets to haul granite from the Quarry on the Park through the Park to the U.S. Life Saving Station

Adjourned

After a general discussion of affairs affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

E. B. Dicks
Secy

Aug 1st 1875

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday the 1st day of August 1875 @ 12 o'clock M. were present

Present

Comm E. L. Sullivan (in the chair)
" Jno Alvord
" Louis McLane

Minutes read

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's report

The Supt submitted a report upon the application of Mr E. P. Chase for rock from B't Park quarry, wherein he states that "according to the representation of Mr Louis Enright the aunt of Macadam desired for the purpose will be about 3000 cubic yds, & think that if this quantity in addition to what the Park Commissioners will need for improvements be taken out of the quarries of B't Park it will disfigure the grounds & render it difficult and expensive to put them in good shape."

The report was ordered on file.

Comm McLane moved that the request of Mr E. P. Chase be refused. Carried.

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

E. B. Dicks
Secy

Aug 3d 1875

Read &c

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday the 3rd day of Aug 1875 at 12 o'clock M. were present.

Comm Jno Alvord
" Louis McLane

On motion of Comm McLane Comm Alvord took the chair.

Minutes read

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Resignation of Comm E. L. Sullivan

A communication was read from Mr E. L. Sullivan informing the Board that he had forwarded his resignation of the office of Park Commissioner, to His Excellency the Governor. The communication was read, whereupon Comm Alvord stated that as soon as he was informed of the intended resignation of Mr Sullivan, he had called upon and urged him to reconsider his announced intention to resign, but that Mr Sullivan stated that he regretted that his business affairs were so pressing as to render such a course necessary, and that his decision in the matter was final.

Comm McLane moved that the resignation of Mr E. L. Sullivan as Park Commissioner be accepted, carried.

Request of E. B. Watkins photographer for permission to occupy a space at Gotham Gate Park for the purpose of carrying on the business of photographer was read & read.

The Commissioners after deliberation upon the matter, refused to grant said request

Communication of Mr J. Watkins

A communication was read from Mr J. Watkins Esq asking a decision in regard to the boundaries of the Park - read & ordered on file.

The Secretary was instructed to obtain

Secy to reply to Communication of Mr Coleman

the thanks of the Board be tendered Mr Coleman for the information & suggestion afforded, and be requested that he attend previous to the next regular meeting of the Park Commissioners for the purpose of giving said Commissioners a trial upon the obstructions of the Park.

Holbrook applies for position

H. E. Holbrook filed his application to be placed in charge of the Conservatory when completed. The Commissioners decided that they were not prepared to make any choice for such position

Ullman Communication to Secy

A Communication was received from Mr Ullman concerning re-planking of the road which threatens to encroach upon the road around Buena Vista Park. Referred to the Gen Supt.

Adjournment

The Board then adjourned.

J. P. Wetherbee
Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday the 7th day of Dec 1878 at 12 M.

Present

Comrs. Jas Alvord &
Louis M. Dow

On motion Comr M. Dow took the chair

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Hermann

The application of Mr Kinsa for employment on the Park was read, accompanied by letters of recommendation from several Citizens.

The Secy was instructed to inform Mr Kinsa that there are no vacancies on the Park force

Capt Alvord moved that the Board proceed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Comrs C. F. Sullivan, carried.

Comr Alvord then nominated Capt Oliver Eldridge & there being no further nominations, Capt Oliver Eldridge was elected Park Commissioner for the unexpired term of C. F. Sullivan Esq resigned.

The Secy was instructed to notify Capt Eldridge of his election, and to the effect of his acceptance thereof, to inform the Governor of the State of the action of the Board in order that the Commission may issue.

And after a short discussion of matters affecting the interests of the Park the Board adjourned

J. P. Wetherbee
Secy

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Monday the 25th day of Dec 1878 at 12 m.

There present

Comm Alvord
Lewis McLane

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

A communication was read from his Excellency the Governor of the State of California, in reply to the letter from this Board containing notification of the election of Capt Oliver Eldridge as a Park Commissioner to fill vacancy caused by the resignation of E. S. Sullivan Esq, which with his recommendation for the non-issuance of a Commission to Capt Eldridge, and calling the attention of the Board to various points of law on the subject, especially to Sec 3 of the Act providing for the Commission (Stat of 1870-71) which directs that all vacancies shall be filled by the remaining members of the Board for the residue of the term this vacancy.

On motion the Communication was filed and the Sec ordered to acknowledge receipt of same stating the concurrence of this Board with the opinion of the Governor in the matter & also stating as the reason for asking for the Commission that the precedent had been established in the cases of Comms Alvord & McLane who were respectively elected to fill the unexpired Term of C. P. Huntington, vacated by operation of law & J. Bensworth deceased, and in both instances Commissions were issued from the Exec office separate & apart from the Act.

Comm Alvord stated the next business in order to be the seating of the new member of the Commission Capt Oliver Eldridge, to whom a Commission had issued from the executive in pursuance of the Board as entered on the minutes of Sat Dec 23rd 1878.

Capt Oliver Eldridge then presented his Commission together with his oath of office as a Park Commissioner & took his seat as

the Board

On motion the Board then proceeded to organize by electing a President

Comm Alvord nominated Comm McLane for President of the Board of Park Commissioners seconded by Comm Eldridge.

There being no further nominations Comm Lewis McLane was elected President of the Board of Park Commissioners.

And after a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned

D. P. Hobbs
Sec

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday 3rd Dec 1868 at 12 M.
Were present Comrs Wm Alvord & C. Eldridge
On motion Comr Eldridge took the chair

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Complaint vs Officer

Mr S Mansbridge presented to the Board a complaint against the Officer that closes the gates of the Park at night, of shutting at his door without provocation & otherwise conducting himself in an unofficerlike manner
On motion of Comr Alvord the matter was referred to the Supt

Application for position

The application of Mr Kiernan Kelly for position as foreman of the men that may be employed on Park hand road, was read and on motion referred to the Supt

Adjournment

And after a general discussion of matters affecting the interests of the Park the Board adjourned

J B Morton Secy

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday the 15th day of Dec 1868 at 12 M.
Were present.
Comrs J. McLane in the chair
" Wm Alvord
" A. Eldridge

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The Chairman stated the object of the meeting to be the consideration of the offer of the Citizens Yellow Fever Committee to appropriate the balance of funds remaining in their hands for the furnishing of supplies and for laborers men at the rate of one dollar per day to the Poor

The following Communication from Mr J. C. Patrick Chairman of C. F. Committee was read read & ordered to be

San Francisco Dec 15th 1868

James McLane Esq
Pres't Park Comm's
Dear Sir:

I have the honor to enclose resolutions adopted at a meeting of the Citizens Yellow Fever Relief Committee and state that the amount of funds in the hands of the Treasurer is $11,000

An early reply whether the Commissioners will accept the trust so that the money can be given over early the coming week will oblige

Yours very truly
(Signed) James C. Patrick
Chairman

A copy of the Resolutions referred to was read & ordered to be

The Secy was instructed to reply to Mr Patrick that the Comrs accept the trust & will receive the funds & disburse the same in accordance with the Resolutions

The Board then adjourned J B Morton Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their Office on Thursday the 22 day of Jany 1874 at 12 M.
There present
Comm. S. McGaw in the Chair
" Jno. Alvord
" C. Edwards
The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

E. W. Serrell filed his application for a position on the Park Police force.
The Secy was instructed to reply that there is no vacancy.

The Supt reported that he had caused the Grand Jury Presentment on the Park Commissioners to be published.
The petition was ordered filed & on motion was referred to the Supt.

The Supt reported verbally on the complaint of J. Hanrahan against Right Officer [illegible] stating that upon investigation the matter is held to be without that ground for the Board to interfere & recommended that the complaint was dismissed.

Upon motion of Comm. Edwards it was ordered that the Supt be authorized to employ such number of men as he may deem necessary to complete the grading of the Park, at a rate of wages not exceeding $1.50 per day.

The Board then adjourned
J. D. Steele Secy

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Monday the 26 day of January 1874 at 12 1/2 o'clock P.M.

There present Comm. Jesse M. Shaw in the chair
" Jno. Alvord
" Chas. Edwards
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Chairman reported that the Citizens Central Relief Committee had paid over the balance of funds in their hands amounting to $18,000 for the purpose of employing men at the Park at the rate of one dollar per day, and that the same had been deposited in the Lincoln Bank to the credit of the Park Commissioners.

The Supt was instructed to commence work with the dollar a day men at once, employing a force of about fifteen men to begin with and to increase the number as the work progressed, to about sixty men per day.

The Supt was instructed to retain the regular Park force of thirty men during the Winter months, said reduction being made on account of the limited amount of money at the disposal of the Board.

The Board then adjourned
J. D. Steele Secy

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday the 24th day of February 1870 at 12 Oclock M. at their office.

Present. Comm. Denis McSauley (in the chair)
" Wm. Alvord
" Alvin Eldridge.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Messrs Reed & Burnham presented invoices of Heating & Ventilating apparatus, Castings &c furnished the Park Conservatory amounting to $1,481.

On motion the bill was referred to the Gen'l Supt with instructions to examine the same & report thereon as soon as practicable.

The Supt was instructed to discharge all painters & Carpenters at present employed in the construction of the Park Conservatory.

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

E. B. Mott
Sec'y

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office in Thursday the 6th day of March 1870

Present
Comm. Denis McSauley (in the chair)
" Wm. Alvord
" Alvin Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Appointments

The Gen'l Supt reported verbally that he had examined the invoice for heating & ventilating apparatus, castings &c furnished the Park Conservatory by Messrs Reed & Burnham as ordered by the Board at their meeting of the 24th ult. and found that the charges in said invoice had been rendered according to the contract & that the goods had been received in accordance with the terms of said contract. Viz:

12	Circular Wrought Iron Heating Pipes 6 feet long	each	$ 36.
5	" " " 4 feet "	"	10.
5	" " " 3 feet "	"	10.
16	Small Cast Iron Elbows	"	4.
16	" " Tees	"	8.
21	Small " Pipes	"	21.
22	" " Caps	"	11.
44	3 " " Tees	"	44.
3	Large Circular Castings	250 lbs	100.
12	Flat Cast Iron Rings		3.
3	" " " Segments		1.
32	Cast Iron Bars		32.
10	" " Bars		10.
22	" " Bars		22.
1	" " Bar		1.
300	Cast Iron Bars		60.
125	" " Bars		25.
21	Wrought Iron Bars		1.
10	" " Bars		1.
24	Steel Bars		9.
2	Cast " Bars		1.
			$ 1,481.00

The above articles were shipped on the Steamer Queen and duly received & receipted for by Park Supt.

The Gen'l Supt was also instructed that inasmuch as the

tickets issued [illegible] and lost by the wreck
of the Steamer "Oregon", has been Shipped
per order and at the cost of the Co. interested
that the loss of M. S. Sard & Sons shall be allow
to the sole amount thereof to said Co.

The following bills were presented and after
examination by the Board, were allowed & ordered
[illegible]

J. C. Woodward & Co. Lumber [illegible]
Paul Ford Com. [illegible]
[illegible] Lumber [illegible]
Sampson & Tyman [illegible]
Wm. Ford [illegible] & Lumber [illegible]
Smith & Parker [illegible]
Fitch & Co. [illegible] Lumber [illegible]
Amount [illegible]

I certify the above to be correct

J. B. Fitch
Secy

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held at their office on Wednesday, March 27
1878 at 12 M.

Were present
Comm. Louis McLane in the Chair
" Wm. Elwood
" O. Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read
and approved

The following bills were presented and after
examination allowed and ordered paid

Geo. E. Wood [illegible] Lumber [illegible]
Dean pipe & Flask [illegible]
Wm. Crosby [illegible] Lumber & [illegible]
Horse Cabinet
Hook & Kirk [illegible] Lumber & [illegible]
Coal & Coke
Farrell & Nelson [illegible] Coal Scoop & [illegible]
Horse Shoeing & Mise repairs
Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson [illegible] Lumber & [illegible]
Iron Pipe &c
Howard Gallaher [illegible] Coal Scoop & [illegible]
Repairs Rolling Stock
Second Ward [illegible] Coal Scoop & [illegible]
Stationery &c
J. C. Hill. Coal [illegible] Lumber [illegible]
Lumber
Geo. Hazard [illegible] Oil Scoop & [illegible]
Iron Pipe &c
[illegible] Coal [illegible] Coal Scoop & [illegible]
Fuel
[illegible] Lumber [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] & Iron
F. F. Kelly & Co. [illegible] Lumber [illegible]
Glass &c
Lucien Harriman & Co. [illegible] Coal [illegible]
Carpenter &c
Savage & Son [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible] Lumber & [illegible]
Stationery &c
Jonathan Peddle & Co. [illegible] Coal & [illegible]
Lumber &c &c

Newton & Tolerts Bill Sept 1 1901
Plumbing, Tinning &c $133.60
W. F. Garratt " " Oct 1 1901
Fittings 12.25
Andrew Christensen Bill Sept 1 1901
Hauling 50
U. S. Glass Co Bill Sept 1 1901
Tools for Sept 1
F. A. Seed Bill Sept 1901 19.16

Mr Coit Supt submitted his report upon the application of the S. F. Bicycle Club for the privilege of using the Park roads therein. He recommended that the Club be allowed to use that portion of the Southern Drive commencing at a point about One hundred feet from the intersection of Main Entrance Drive and ending at a point about Six hundred feet from its intersection with Transverse Drive Beyond Stanyan Street, between the hours of 8 o'clock A.M. and 1 and 3 o'clock P.M. on week days and on Sundays before the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock A.M. and 12 and 5 o'clock P.M.

The report was received and ordered filed.

On motion it was ordered that the privilege asked for by the S. F. Bicycle Club be granted on the terms of their petition, to wit: That the Club use only the road recommended by the Supt of Parks and during the hours as stated above,

It was ordered that F. A. Seed be authorized to set such pipe and fixtures as may be found from the break of the Chutes to the Lake and that the cost thereof shall be charged to the City & County to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

F. L. Abbott
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday the 3rd day of Sept 1901 at 12 o'clock M.

Present: Commrs Louis H. Sloss
" Wm Alvord
" M. Dalton

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion the Supt was authorized to pay the two horses Nancy and the mare on account of their having been worked for further service on the Park and to charge the proceeds of said sale to the City & County Treasury to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund.

The Secretary reported that Mr. Thos Smith Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors had advised the Auditor of the City & County of San Francisco that the Commissioners could not be paid out of the Salaries Fund for the month just ended unless the Commissioners should put in another month upon the order of the Board of Supervisors, basing his opinion upon the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to fix salaries of persons upon the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco and the Auditor and Treasurer thereof and to authorize certain appropriations to pay the same" Said Board approved June 7th 1901 Acts of 1901 page

Whereupon the Secretary was instructed so to submit to him the above mentioned demand to the Board of Supervisors for approval in accordance with the ruling of the Chairman of the Finance Committee above referred to.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

F. L. Abbott
Secty

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday the 15th day of April 1879 @ 12 M.

There present

Comm^r Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Wm Abend
" C Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved

The following bills were presented and after examination were allowed and ordered Paid

For Manure Bell Bank $ 40/
For Labor
Wm A Fuechsler " 22/
Supplies &c
Colbert & Allen " 50
Paper Mac Shroud
Wm J Elkin " 60
Printing Blank
C P Spence & Co " 5/1
Labor Supplies
Francis Redden
Services & Wire Signs
Bills vs Park &c
Repairs & Supplies
Lewis Gras " 3/5
Supplies
Southern Carriage Co " 29
Work on Carts
Coll Wm Parks " 2/0
Labor & Supplies
Wm Cook " 3/0
Labor
" 1/1
Supplies
" 2/
Labor
" 2/1
Supplies

Ordered that the Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Office of the Secretary on Thursday the 1st day of May 1879 @ 12 M.

There present Comm^r Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Wm Abend
" Oliver Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

A Communication was read from the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors relative to the passage of the adoption of the Resolution authorizing the Auditor to pay to the sum of Two thousand Dollars from the General Fund to the Park Improvement Fund for the purpose of defraying the expenditures to be incurred in the Construction of a roadway leading from the Old Mill House along the Ocean Beach to the Entrance of Golden Gate Park.

The sum above mentioned to be $2000 was transferred as above stated under the authorization of an Act entitled "An Act to Confer additional powers on the Board of Supervisors" the Statutes of 1873-4 page 37 whereby the sum of Ten thousand dollars was appropriated for the improvement of Golden Gate Park &c.

The Chairman stated that immediately upon the signing of the Resolution above mentioned by the Mayor, instructions were given to the Supt & Engineer and that considerable progress had been made to date.

On motion of Comm^r Abend the Supt was instructed to make an estimate of the cost of Planting the West end of the Park and of the Avenue called Cross Avenue and report at next meeting of this Board.

The Board then adjourned

J. P. McElroy
Secy

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday May 22nd 1879 @ 12 Oclock M. at Office of Parks Board were present

Commr Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Jno Abell
" A Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented and after examination were allowed and ordered paid.

W. B. Prichard Sec Board &c
Cash advanced for Sundries $46.00
Harrell & Wheeler Bill Book 2.00
Thomas Ferris & Blacksmithing 60.13
Cash & Keir Bill Book 3.13
Coal
Geo F Sibrell
Seeds
Cogan & Sons
Seeds
City Cat. Stable
Seeds & Feed &c
Colburn M'f Mch
Repairs
N. Peet
Glass Sundry
Geo Mercer
Hay & Grain
Cole Bonded Store
Powder & Fuse
H. C. Brown & Brother
Coke &c
Chas Avery & Co
Packing &c

A Second Communication

W. B. Prichard
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday June 5th 1879 @ 12 Oclock M.

were present Commr McLane (in the chair)
" Jno Abell
" A Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Secretary was instructed to ask the City Engineer to give the exact grade of the Steel Carderock Mountain Park Drive on the South

The application of Simeon Sawyer for position on the Park Police Force was read and read. The Secty was instructed to inform Mr Sawyer that there was no vacancy.

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned.

W. B. Prichard
Secty

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday June 12th 1879 at 12 o'clock M. at the office of the President of the Nevada Bank
were present. Comm's L. McLane in the chair
" Jno Alvord
" E. Eldridge

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The following bills were allowed after due examination.

Parvell & Nelson (See Bills on file) $31.65
Shoeing horses & blacksmithing
J. B. Thorne 28.12
Cash adv'd for letters
M. J. Co 55
Stabling horses
Geo Wood 165.00
Hay & grain
E. Wood 1[illegible]
Shrubbery
Geo Lewis 2[illegible]
Peddling &c
Thermometers 45.00
Stable Repairs 2[illegible]
Pacific Rolling Mills 1[illegible]
Coal
[illegible] 215
Castings 15.00
G. P. Schenks 215 15.30
[illegible]
[illegible] 57
Sundries 5[illegible]
Gray Hair Dye 1[illegible]
Board of Park Commissioners for $[illegible]

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. Thorne
Sec'y

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Tuesday the 24th day of June 1879 at 12 O'clock M. at the office of the President of the Nevada Bank.
were present

Comm'r Louis McLane
" Jno Alvord
" O Eldridge

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Geary Street, Park and Ocean R. R. Co presented a petition asking permission from this Board to operate that portion of their road over Point Lobos Avenue from Central Avenue to Front Avenue by means of Steam motors until such time as Point Lobos Avenue between those points shall be graded and sewered, also that they may be permitted to lay their rails on the south side of the roadway instead of the center.

Messrs Herron & Hayes representing said R.R. Co appeared before the Board & made a statement in support of their petition to the effect that the motors to be employed will be noiseless and consume their own smoke, similar to those now used in the City of Philadelphia.

Comm't Alvord offered the following resolution which was seconded by Comm'r Eldridge That in view of the statement of facts laid before this Board by the representatives of the Geary Street, Park and Ocean R.R. Co and in consideration of the beneficial results to the citizens generally by reason of the establishment of a cheap and easy means of reaching the Park — an object being desired by this Community

Resolved that the privilege asked for by the said Company be granted, in accordance with their petition on file in this office.

Carried.

A letter expressing regret at having unintentionally violated the rules of driving on the Park was read from Mess Geo Vest & W Rifenburg.

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. Thorne Sec'y

Thursday July 3rd 1879. the day for the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners. No Quorum present.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Thursday Aug 7th 1879 at 12 O Clock M.

Present

Comm. S. M. Stone in the Chair
" Wm Akers
" C. Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Annual Report of this Board to the Board of Supervisors Ground has been prepared by the Secretary was received & adopted and the Secretary ordered to file the same in the office of the Board of Supervisors and to attend to the publication of this Report.

The Resolution of Ellis Stone for resolution to Clarence a Hill Crest Road [illegible] was read, read and referred to Mr Stone

A Communication was received from Geo Reed Esq proposing to purchase the Homestead Property from the City offering the sum of twenty dollars [illegible] Committee for purpose named.

There being no other business

[illegible]

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office of the President of the Board Park on Monday August 18th 1879 at 12 O Clock M.

Present

Comm. S. M. Stone in the Chair
" Wm Akers
" C Eldridge

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Bills Allowed

The following bills were presented and after examination were allowed & ordered paid.

City Hall Stall.	Bill Book page 220	
Board of Horse Mts	same Book & Repairs Buggy "	11.75
Geo Morton.	page 221	
Hay & Grain		19.20
H. S. Langley	" 220	
1 City Directory		.50
Wm Hardock	" 220	
Repairs Rolling Stock		.50
J. K. Polly & Co	" 220	
Supplies		12.45
Farrell & Mehegin	" 221	
Horse Shoeing & Blacksmithing		11.25
Wm B. Akers	" 221	
Nursery Stock		1.50
Cole Powder Mark	" 222	
Powder		10.50
S & A M Cook	" 222	
Lumber		1.75
Main & Winchester	" 222	
Stable Stock		6.75
J. Morton & Co	" 223	
Hauling		.50
H. T. Schutt	" 223	
Painting Apparatus		39.10
Farnham Hannigan & Co	" 223	
Chandeliers &c		15.00
Geo F. Schuster	" 224	
Seeds		1.00
J. Gallagher	" 224	
Repairs Rolling Stock		61.00

Forward

Forward.
Parks & Hamilton Bill Book page 223 $ 28 59
Hardware, Locks &c
J. B. Martin " 223 11 25
Cash allowed for Letters 11 25
To Count Bills " 224 11 35
February

On motion the Board authorized the employment of an additional gardener.

It was ordered that an earth closet be erected at some suitable location near the Pic Nic Grounds

Mr Supt was authorized to purchase, subject to the approval of the President of the Board, 12 Benches with iron frames and wooden slats to be placed at proper & convenient places in the Park for the accommodation of visitors.

Mr Supt was instructed to have soil in the Conservatory about the Camellias also to have the necessary draw ups in the same locality also to crack the Walks on the Terrace.

The Secretary was instructed to write to Mr J. A. Seed requesting him to purchase for use of the Commissioners Cases of assorted bulbs and Plants described on the price list.

The Board then adjourned

J. B. Martin
Secretary

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Office of the President of the Nevada Bank on Thursday Sept 4th 1890 12 M. there present

Comm'r D. McDonald (in the Chair)
" Wm Alvord
" O. Eldridge

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr Macdonald offering to lay Count Walks in the Conservatories at a stated price per square foot

The Secretary was instructed to ask Mr Macdonald what he would charge in round sums for said work.

Uniform of Park Guard

On motion the uniform of the Park Guard was changed from Grey to blue trimmed with brass buttons. Pants and vest to be of regulation Police Cut, Coats to be of pattern last adopted by Board of Park Commissioners.

The Ocean Beach Rail Road Co presented application asking for right of way to Point Lobos R.R. from Fleet Pavilion to Cliff House for single track railroad.

The application was rejected.

The Board then adjourned

J. B. Martin
Secretary.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the Secretary of the Board on the Tuesday the 4th day of September A.D. 1877 present

Comm. Jesse McSwain in the Chair
" Wm. Alcock
" C. Ebbing

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

The following accounts were presented and after examination were allowed and ordered to be paid

City Road Steam Traffic Co. for Coal for Board of Park business to date ... £25

Clerk ordered for the day ... £1

Jesse Fuller & Co. for Carpenters Work ...

Geo. Hodgson for Horse & Cart ...

J. S. Fuller & Co. for Sundries ...

Wm. Cubitt & Co. for Iron Work ...

Emil Frank for Wire Work ...

Thos. Mellors for Stone Work ...

... for Iron Work ...

... for Iron Work ...

C. R. Cave for Water on Park ...

Jesse Fuller & Co. for Carpenters Work ... £50

Supplies &c. ...

The Board then adjourned

J. B. Mellor
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Board on Thursday the 13th day of September A.D. 1877 present

Comm. Jesse McSwain in the Chair
" Wm. Alcock
" C. Ebbing

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interest of the Park the Board adjourned

J. B. Mellor Secretary

Special

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Park on Tuesday the 21st day of October 1873 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Present

Comm'r S. H. McSpar in the Chair
" Jno. Abeel
" C. Ehlers

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented and after consideration were allowed and ordered paid

To Register Bill [illegible]

[illegible]

Supplies

[illegible]

Stationery

[illegible]

Sundries

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at the office of the Register of Deeds in the Wake County Court House on Monday the 29th day of October A.D. 1866 at 2 o'clock P.M. present the Court J. McCaw in the chair

Jno Rhodes
A Gilbreath

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with

A petition was read from sundry persons praying for the location of the Point [illegible] Road to intersect the Louisburg Road at the Junction of the Road leading from Capt Gaston's to Capt Ruffin's & Capt Ruffin's to Louisburg & also praying for the location of a Road from Capt Ruffin's to Capt Ruffin's

After reading and discussing the above the Board proceeded to vote upon the question & Rhodes declined to vote. The decision of the question was decided in the affirmative by the Board & Capt Ruffin's Road was located as prayed for the reason that the petitioners have right of way for such roads on the part of the Board of Commissioners.

The Board then adjourned

J B Hicks
Secretary

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at the office of the Register of Deeds in the Wake County Court House on the 1st day of December A.D. 1866 at 11 o'clock A.M.

Present

Comm's Jno J McCaw in the chair
" Jno Rhodes
" A Gilbreath

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read & confirmed

Secretary presented a bill for the sum of forty three dollars & ninety cents as follows

[illegible]

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interests of the County

Board adjourned

J B Hicks
Secretary

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Com'rs held at the Office of the President of the Board on Friday the 21st day of December A.D. 1877 at 11 o'clock A.M. were present

Comm'r Louis McLane in the chair
" Wm Abercrombie
" Oliver Ellicott

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Read

The following bills were presented and the examination were allowed & ordered paid

[illegible]		$ 36.25
[illegible]		
[illegible]		
[illegible]	

ordered paid as follows

Thos. H. Blakeslee Bill Book page 235		
Furnishing & delivering Seam		$858.11
Enfield Bank		
Salaries (in bal)		162.5
Copy books		
Repairs Sewers		43.20
Coulin & Schenk		
Plumbing		2.25
Parrott & McGarvin		
Horse shoeing & gen blacksmithg		1.25.00
S. L. Hosford		
Cash advanced for Subs &c		30.00
S. P. Kaye		
Sawing & laying office carpet		5.00

The Board then adjourned

S. L. Hosford
Secretary

Meeting

Thursday June 1st 1871 being the day for the holding of the regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners being a legal holiday the Board last passed the meeting until Saturday June 10th 1871 at 12.30 P.M.

Meeting

Saturday June 10th 1871 at 12.30 P.M. the Board of Park Commissioners met at the office of the President of the Board

Present

Comm. Lewis H. Jones in the chair
" Jno. A. Reed
" Chas. Eldridge

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with

On motion permission was granted to Wm. Wells and Smith to have certain cars pass over Park tracks from the entrance at Kings St to the gate near the Creek, until the outside road shall have been repaired

The Secretary was instructed to write to Messrs Pat Gallagher & Thomas Gallagher notifying them that unless a receipt for the sum awarded to the Park Commissioners by the Board of Public Works and which sum was paid into the hands of Messrs Gallagher & Co. was produced that they will not pay over the money to them when the Board has received an assignment of Gallagher and Brand's claim against the Board of Public Works

The Board was adjourned

S. L. Hosford
Secretary

[illegible]

At a special Meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at the Office of the Supt of Streets Lamps & Cleansing on Thursday June [illegible] present

Comm[illegible] Francis McGuire in the chair
" John Morris
" Chas Gildersleeve

The minutes of the last previous meeting were read & approved

The following bills were presented and after examination were allowed & ordered paid

Farrell & McKeon for Gas Lamps &c [illegible]
Gross Shering & Southmayd [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
E. R. Frost [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[

Ord Sergt Thos Sloan be paid his wages for the month of January when he was sick & unable to do service, he having contracted said sickness by exposure while in the line of his duty as Ord Sergt

The Board then adjourned.

J. B. Thurber
Secretary

March 11th 1880

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday March 11th 1880 @ 11 o'clock A.M. at the office of the Board of the Records of said Board were read.

Present Comm^r Louis McLane in the chair
" Jno Abbott
" Alex Eldridge

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Ocean Beach The Ocean Beach R.R. presented a communication asking that this Board take action on their petition heretofore filed for the withdrawal of the protest of the Park Commissioners to the granting of the franchise by the Board of Supervisors. After discussion it was decided that the protest be not withdrawn.

Spring Valley Water Co The Spring Valley Water Co presented their bill amounting to $ for water furnished the Park in the month of [illegible] ult. The bill was not allowed as it having been officially announced that there will be no charge for [illegible] that [illegible] for water furnished the Park would not be audited unless under an order from the Courts.

Several applications for employment on the Park were received & referred to

The Board then adjourned

J. B. Thurber
Secretary

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Lincoln Bank on Monday March 14th 1853 @ 11½ A.M. were present
Commr Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Jno. Abell
" Chas. Oliver

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A letter was read from Mrs Sarah Lemmon accompanied by a list of plants & trees, on motion the same was referred to Commr Abell

Several applications were made for the privilege of selling refreshments on the Park the Board declined to grant such privilege

The Sec'y reported that the Contributions to the Park Fund were being deposited in the Lincoln Bank by Jno Bush to the credit of the Park Commissioners

The Supt reported that under the Park Fund he had employed, so far, 115 men, 5 teams & 2 carriages, he also submitted a statement showing the description of work at which they were engaged

On Board the adjourned

J. L. Thurston
Sec'y

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Tuesday March 22 1853 @ 11 o'c A.M. at the office of the President of the Lincoln Bank were present
Commr Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Jno. Abell
" Chas. Oliver

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The Supt submitted a map showing the survey of the proposed extension of Eutaw Street, and reported against the undertaking of said work for reasons which prevent satisfactory [illegible]

The following gentlemen were [illegible] the Supt to locate and survey [illegible] for a straight and at right angles on the South side of Baltimore Street. to run a branch drive leading from [illegible] at a point near the present entrance to the Park at the [illegible] the said line with the [illegible] establishing a [illegible]
to survey a line alongside [illegible] road to the [illegible] to define the reasons why [illegible]

On Board the adjourned

J. L. Thurston
Sec'y

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Saturday Feb 28th 1880 at 11:45 A.M. at the office of the Presidt of the Pacific Bank were present

Comm Louis McLane in the chair
" Jno Abbott
" C. Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved

The Supt submitted a map of the survey of the road around and up to the Summit of Strawberry Hill and reported against the undertaking of the construction of said road.

The Supt was instructed to survey a road around and up to the Summit of Buena Vista East.

The resignation of Asst Keeper on of the Park Guard was accepted. Nicholas James Dean was appointed to fill the vacancy for the period of 30 days, or less.

The Board then adjourned

J. P. Wilson
Secretary

Resolution No. 14,605 (New Series) Resolved, That the Park Commissioners be and they are hereby granted permission to extend the fences of Golden Gate Park to the outer lines of the sidewalks on Fell and Oak Streets between Baker and Stanyan Streets, on Stanyan Street between Frederick and Fulton Streets and on Fulton, D and H Streets between Stanyan Street and the Great Highway; also, to grade a portion of any or all streets abutting on said Park according to the official grade.

And the Clerk is hereby directed to advertise this resolution as required by law.

In Board of Supervisors, San Francisco, April 19, 1880

Adopted by the following vote:

Ayes. Supervisors Schottler, Mason, Litchfield, Drake, Whitney Eastman, Fraser, Taylor, Doane, Bayly, Stetson

Absent - Supervisor Torrey.

Jno. A. Russell, Clerk.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Saturday March 29th 1856 at 11:45 A.M. at the office of the Pres. of the Nevada Bank were present-

Comm. Louis McLane in the chair.
" Jno. Aboard
" C. Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

The Supt. submitted a map of the survey of the road around and into the Mission [illegible] road.

[illegible] road
of Mission
[illegible]
the Park
Lands
Vacant
Beach.

Upon

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Monday the 14th April 1856 @ 10:45 A.M. at the office of the President of the Nevada Bank were present

Comm. Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Jno. Aboard
" C. Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Secretary was instructed to request the Board of Supervisors to transfer the sum of $1000 allowed in the levy for the current year for the maintenance of the Park from the General Fund to the Park Improvement Fund.

The Secretary was further instructed to communicate with the Board of Supervisors and request that the Board of Park Commrs be granted the privilege of extending there leases to the outer line of the Lots fronting on the following streets, viz: Fell and Oak on the [illegible] Baker & Stanyan Sts., on Stanyan St. between Fulton & Frederick & Fulton & on Fulton St. from Stanyan to the Great Highway also to grade a portion of any or all streets abutting on the Park according to the Official Grade.

The following bills were presented & after examination were ordered paid

[illegible] & Mahoney for bills [illegible] page [illegible] $ [illegible]
Morse Stevens & Whitcomb " 207 [illegible]
Noel & Keir " 207 [illegible]
Coal " 205 [illegible]
Wells Horton " [illegible]
Carpenter work " 208 [illegible]
J. B. Stone & Son " [illegible]
Sd Bird & Burnham bill " 209 [illegible]
[illegible] " [illegible]
Water Appropriators [illegible]

Oct

A. Foster (See Bill Book page 230)		
Mdse		$ 30.60
H. B. Pickard	230	
Cash advanced sundries		16.32
Potsdam Brick Co	230	
Brick & Cartage		6.48
Lavin & Carroll	231	
Clean & Count		32.50
Geo Spaulding	231	
Painting		12.
Geo Norton	231	
Carpenter work		3.50
J. Vanderveyde	231	
Paid		12.
Evans & Mitchell	232	
Coal Stock		6
Geo Parsons & Co	232	
Mdse & Repairs		2.15
Peter Schmidt	233	
Labor		21.00
J. D. Kelly & Co	233	
Coal		27.50
U. S. Express Co	233	
Freight		1.50
Sullivan Corrigan & Co	233	
Hardware		11.75
A. Vanderveer & Co	233	
Labor		7.50
J. Parsons & Co	236	
Labor		36.05
City Hall & Office	236	
Coal & Coal Hod		56.73
Cleaning Hall	236	
Labor		2.50
H. C. Bradley	237	
Plumbing & Gas Fitting		15

Read and approved,

E. B. Hamilton

Attorney

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Monday May 9th 1892 at 11 o'clock A.M. at the office of the President in the Niagara Bank and present

Comm. Lewis H. Van Cleve chairman

" Jno. Alvord

Minutes

The minutes of the various meetings were read & approved.

A communication was read from Mr. Peters Grant proposing to erect a summer house on the park provided the Park Commissioners would grant him a lease of certain portion of Prospect Terrace for a period of ten years. After discussion it was decided by the Board that it was not within their province to grant leases for so long a term but that part of the Parks under their charge.

The protest of Mrs. H. H. Savage to the application of this Board to acquire control of the sidewalks on certain streets bounding the Park and known as Park Terrace was read and ordered filed.

A petition was read from laborers employed on the Park Lake Road under the authority of the Board of Supervisors during the months of May & June 1892, asking that the Park Commissioners allow the claims for work performed, after deducting it was declared that as these men were not employed under & by the authority of the Park Commissioners that the Board is not authorized to allow their claim.

The appointment of ... as Night Watch and Guard was ... and ... approved and confirmed.

The Supt was authorized to remove the water tank from the present location to the Lake in the N. E. corner of the ...

A Communication submitting a Resolution
read from the Board of Supervisors regarding
the Fair Grounds to repair the Sidewalks be-
fore the Fair Grounds be sold. The Secretary was
instructed to reply to state that this Board is
not authorized to grade & repair the Streets
before the Fair Grounds are sold, neither has it the
funds at command, nor if so authorized

The Board then adjourned

J. P. Moore
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Fair
Commissioners held on Thursday the 3rd of June
1880 at 11 o'clock A. M. at the office of the Secretary
in Lincoln Neb. were present

Comm. Lewis McClure (in the chair)
" Oliver Eddy

The minutes of the previous meeting were read
and approved.

The Supt was instructed to
to purchase a Coal Cellar of 2 Ton weight
and to receive bids for the Construction of the
same. The purchase to be made at the lowest
figure.

The application of W. J. Higgins for
the privilege of establishing a Stock Yard
within the Park was declined.

The Secretary was directed to prepare
the Annual Report of this Commission
to the Board of Supervisors

There Board then adjourned

J. P. Moore
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Port
Commissioners held at the office of the President
of the Senate Port on Thursday June 21st
at 12 o'clock M. there present

Comm.rs Louis M Sloss in the chair
" Jno Abbott
" C Eldridge

The reading of the minutes of the previous
meeting was dispensed with.

The Port of Ocean Beach R. R. Co. made
application for the right of way over and
portion of the Port of Great Highway as shown
on map accompanying said application
Also a deed dispensing of the wall and
to portion of the Board under the Commis
Act was referred to Atty to obtain to the
of the Commissioners, when Thereon
to the Board of Supervisors

At a regular meeting of the Board of Port
Commissioners held at the office of the President
of the Senate Port on Thursday June 28th 1866
at 12 o'clock M. there present

Comm.rs Louis M Sloss in the chair
" Jno Abbott
" C Eldridge

The minutes of the two previous meetings
were read and approved.

The following bills were presented audited
examined allowed & ordered paid

J. A. Donahoe & Co. Bill Sand & Co.		
Bill [illegible]		2 00
G. L. Proctor.		
Cash advanced		1 00
L. & S. Co.		
Coal		500
G. L. Ashwell		
Spars & Water Pipe		
Kinsell & Co.		
Supplies		
Jos Hooper		
Cap & Stain		
[illegible] & Co		
P.C. & S.		
Cunham Carrigan & Co		
Plumbing		
Rathbone Bros		
Coal		
Langley & Michaels		
Printing		
C. J. Truman		
Coloring Opt		
Leonard & Sons		
Stationery		
Cal. Sand Co.		
Powder & Fuse		
Hooper & Sons		
Signal		
Cordelia Packing Co		
Coal		
Fassett & Roberts		
Blacksmithing Steering &c		

Jas. Y. Winchester Sec. Bd. Pilot Com.		$ 15.00
Pilot Commrs		
City Hall Stable		
Board of Horse &c		92.50
Bernard Ballentine		
Keeper Bathing House		62.50
H. L. Dungan		
Copying Letters		11.00
A. Legrid		
Book Keeper		60
Jas. Hutchinson		
Scales		3.00
Crocker & Pollock		
Earth Closet Contract		12.00
H. O. Ta Co		
Coal		13.00
Board Health		
Coal		4.00
Central Pacific R.R. Co.		
Coal		1000.00
Hunt & Eells		
Coal		1000.00

Mr. Hall a general discussion of matters relative to the interior of the Board of Supervisors

H. D. Hunt
Secretary

Pilot Com

At a regular meeting of the Board of Pilot Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Board Pilot on Thursday August 11th 1870 at 10 A M were present.

Comm Louis McLane in the Chair
" Wm Ward
" Alex Ellis

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Comm Alexander called up the communication from the Pilot Commrs in regard to the right of way on certain portions of the Pilot Grounds, and after the reading and discussion of the two bodies of the Commissioners instructed the Secretary to reply to said communication in the following terms.

By Section 7 of the Act of April 1870 entitled "An Act for the improvement of certain lands in the City of San Francisco" the Commissioners are authorized to lease any portion of said reserve for a term not to exceed three years and the money paid for said lease must be used in the improvement of said lands and reserve.

The Commissioners are therefore willing to lease to the Pilot and Comm Exchange for a term of three years a strip of ground at the S E corner of Pilot Hill Lot in consideration of the Company filling in a portion of said reserve to Stockton St by the first of May next. Said filling to be not less than 8 feet above high water mark and to be used as a breakwater to protect the Company's Coal Sheds on the Pilot Hill Lot which must be removed from the present site of the Pilot Station House. The Commissioners cannot consent to the Company's Coal Sheds remaining on the present site of the Pilot Station House after the completion of the breakwater and filling in of the reserve to Stockton St.

The Commissioners cannot consent to the building of any Coal Sheds on the Pilot Hill Lot except such as may be necessary for the use and comfort of the Pilot Station House.

H. D. Hunt
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Office of the President of the Nevada Bank on Friday Aug. 27th 1880 at 11:30 A.M. were present

Commissioner Louis McLane in the Chair
" Milton Alvord
" C. Clevenger

The minutes of the previous were read and approved.

A communication was received from the Park and Ocean Rail Road Co. stating that they declined to accept the proposition made at the Board to lease to said Company a piece of ground at the S.E. Corner of Golden Gate Park and that they would be willing to give the right of way on the line of Haight St. The communication was ordered filed.

The following bills were presented and ordered allowed and ordered paid.

W. B. Hughes (See Bill Book page 267)
Labor at Painting $25.00

Jas. C. Hayes (See Bill Book page 267)
" " at Nursery 8.50

Chas. A. Dana (See Bill Book page 268)
Engraving Map 30.00

Chas. A. Dana (See Bill Book page 268)
Engraving Map 96.00

Chas. A. Dana (See Bill Book page 268)
Engraving Map 123.00

Chas. A. Dana (See Bill Book page 268)
Engraving Map 116.00

Chas. A. Dana (See Bill Book page 268)
Engraving Map 36.00

After a general discussion of matters affecting the interests of the Park the Board adjourned

J. B. Morton
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners at the Office of the President of the Nevada Bank on Thursday October 7th 1880 at 11:45 A.M. were present

Commissioner Louis McLane Chairman
" C. Clevenger

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A petition was received from Bicyclers asking that they have the privilege of riding on all the Park roads daily from 5 o'clock to 11 o'clock A.M. and from 2 o'clock P.M. to the hour of closing the Park. Said permission as petitioned for was granted for the period of thirty days.

A communication was received from Mayor A. Sutro stating that if the Park Commissioners had no objection that he would [illegible] Mr. Stratton's permission to cut for horses in the Park the Sessions was willing to [illegible] with the latter and state that [illegible] Board does not [illegible] to said Stratton [illegible] The Secretary was directed to accompany the communication with the [illegible] Engineer and the [illegible] of Public Parks as to the [illegible]

After discussion of other matters the Board adjourned [illegible] October 11th 1880 at 12 M.

J. B. Morton
Secretary

Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Park Office on Monday October 11th 1880 at 12 M. [illegible]

J. B. Morton
Secretary

Monday October 14th 1878 the Board met pursuant to adjournment - Present

Commissioners John M Hare Chairman
" William Ahern
" Chas Alexander

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were presented and after consideration allowed and ordered paid.

[illegible]		
[illegible]		
[illegible]		

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Nevada Bank of San Francisco, Monday, December 22nd 1890 at 12 M. there were present:

Commissioners Geo. W. McNear, Chairman
Oliver Eldridge
and
The Secretary of the Board.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supplemental Report re Point Lobos Avenue

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the City and County Attorney requesting his official opinion as to the rights of the Board over the Point Lobos Avenue and also as to what steps should be taken for the protection of the same. This action is taken in view of the fact that the Ocean Beach Rail Road Company is constructing a rail road on Point Lobos Avenue from 48th to 49th Avenue under a franchise granted by the Board of Supervisors.

Report of Committee on Point Lobos Avenue

On motion of Commissioner Eldridge it was resolved that no person shall be employed on any employment whatever upon the Park Lands without the approval of this Board.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

S. B. Morton
Secretary

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Friday Dec. 26th 1890 at 12 M. at the office of the President of the Nevada Bank all were present:

Commissioners Geo. W. McNear, Chairman
Oliver Eldridge
and
The Secretary.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was on motion dispensed with.

The Secretary was instructed to address a communication to the City and County Attorney requesting an official opinion as to the rights of the Board over the Point Lobos Avenue and also as to what steps should be taken for the protection of the same. This action is taken in view of the fact that the Ocean Beach Rail Road Company is constructing a rail road on Point Lobos Avenue from 48th to 49th Avenue under a franchise granted by the Board of Supervisors.

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S. B. Morton
Secretary

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Monday Dec. 6th 1880 at 12 o'clock M were present

Commissioners Louis McLane Chairman
Oliver Ebbinghaus

Minutes

The minutes of the two previous meetings were read and approved

The Supt. was instructed to employ six additional men on the garden force for planting trees during the present planting season, a list of the names of such employees being furnished by the President of the Board.

The Secretary submitted a communication to the City and County Attorney relative to the construction of the street rail road on Point Lobos Avenue from the 25th Avenue in the Ocean Beach Rail Road Company and requesting an official opinion as to the powers of the Board in the premises.

The Secretary was instructed to file said communication inclosing copies of the correspondence between the Park Commissioners, Board of Supervisors and Ocean Beach Rail Road Company.

The Board then adjourned.

J. P. Martin
Secretary

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on the usual day pursuant to adjournment at one o'clock P.M. were present

Commissioners Louis McLane in the chair
Oliver Ebbinghaus

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Commissioner Ebbinghaus the Secretary was instructed to prepare a bill to be presented to the Legislature for the purpose of [illegible]

On motion of Commissioner McLane it was ordered that [illegible] be transferred from the Treasury to the Park Commissioners Special Fund.

The Board then adjourned.

J. P. Martin
Secretary

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Tuesday January 11th 1881 at 10 o'clock P.M were present

Commissioner Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Alvord
" Chas Eldridge

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

W. B. Morris Secretary tendered his resignation to take effect Feb 1st 1881 which on motion of Commissioner Alvord was accepted.

The Board then proceeded to fill the vacancy Commissioner Alvord nominated Mr. F. P. Hamilton

There being no further nominations Mr. F. P. Hamilton was duly elected Secretary of the Board of San Francisco Park Commissioners.

The Secretary read an official communication from the Citizens Committee requesting an appointment for the purpose of the said Committee urging the necessity of the Park Commissioners to fence Point Lobos Avenue and stating that the request had been favorably acted upon heretofore by the Supervisors that the Committee to petition them in the premises.

The communication was ordered on file. Commissioner Alvord moved the following preamble and resolution which was seconded and it was ordered that the Secretary be instructed to file the petition presented and that the Supt be so notified.

The Supt was directed to remove the fence around the Conservatory flower and to have it placed on the Northern side.

The Supt was further instructed to have the Orchard immediately and to construct a road for the same.

The Board then adjourned.

F. P. Hamilton
Secty

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday January 13th at 12 o'clock M were present

Commissioner Louis McLane (Chairman)
" Alvord
" Eldridge

Bills

The following Bills were approved and ordered paid.

Geo Gluyas ... $ 3.00
Hayden Carpenter ... 20.00
D. [illegible] Harrington ... 2.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
Wm Hall & Co ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
Wm Hall & Co ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
Edward Rogers ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00
[illegible] ... 1.00

[illegible] The Secretary was ordered [illegible]
[illegible] Park Commissioners [illegible]
[illegible] Park [illegible]

The Board then adjourned

Regular Meeting

At a Regular Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday Feby 3rd 1881 at 12 o'clock M. were present

Commissioners Louis H. Glass Chairman
" Wm. Alvord
" O. Elainge

Resignation of Superintendent Received

Wm. B. Richards tendered his resignation of the office of General Superintendent of Park and Avenues, to take effect on the first day of March 1881, which, on motion, was accepted and ordered on file.

The Secretary was authorized to sign the minutes of the meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Jany 20th 1881 and Jany 27th 1881.

The Board then adjourned

D. G. Harmony
Secty.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office Thursday Feby 3rd A. D. 1881, at 12 o'clock M. were present Commissioners Louis H. Glass in the chair
" Wm. Alvord
" Oliver Elainge

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication from Hon. Horace Rowe Congressman and Col. William H. De Lacy [illegible]

Application for Position

Communication from C. [illegible] asking for the Secretaryship of the Board of Park Commissioners [illegible] for the position of Park Engineer [illegible] for the position of [illegible] Superintendent of Parks [illegible]

A communication from Mr. Bridges [illegible] asking permission to [illegible] on the Park [illegible]

Ordered that [illegible] Bridges [illegible] the Park [illegible] the Southern [illegible] Avenue [illegible] the [illegible] Avenue [illegible] the [illegible] Avenue [illegible] the

Transmission Resolutions

The Secretary was instructed to forward a copy of thanks to Dr. J. H. Ross and Mr. G. H. Watkins for donations of rare plants, and also to G. K. Warren for donation of bird.

Payment to Report to Trustees

The Secretary was instructed to report to the Chairman of the Board as often as practicable the condition and needs of the Park, also to notify the Board of Trustees and Conductors of the Park that they are hereafter to take their fares from the Park Commissioners through him.

The Secretary was further instructed to have blanks prepared for the simplification of the issue.

Bills amounting to $ were examined and ordered paid.

The Board then adjourned.

E. T. Dennessy
Secty

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office in the City on Tuesday, April 9th, 1872.

Commissioners Present:
" William Alvord
" Oliver Wolcott

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and on motion, amended and accepted.

Police Detail Tuesday

The Secretary was instructed to request the Chief of Police to detail Police officers for duty at the Park on Tuesday.

Salary warrants Chairman

On motion, the usual monthly warrants in favor of the Chairman of the Park Commissioners for fifty dollars to be delivered to him upon his signing the oath of office, were ordered issued.

The Secretary presented a statement showing the cost of labor and material for the month of March 1872 which was accepted and ordered on file.

On motion Joseph Parsons was appointed Park Keeper at a salary of

Refusal of Supervisors to pay Expenses

[illegible] the Supervisors of the County of [illegible] to pay the expenses of the Commissioners [illegible] ordered that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Supervisors that the Commissioners decline to [illegible] during the month of [illegible] unless the same be paid by the Supervisors.

All communications pertaining to the Park are hereby ordered to be addressed to the Secretary at the office of the Board in the City Hall and not to individual members of the Board, unless otherwise ordered by the Board.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at office on April 11th 1881 were present
Commissioner Louis McLane in the chair
" William Elwood
" Oliver Charing

The following business was transacted

Election of Clerk

Upon motion by Commissioner Elwood unanimously seconded by Commissioner Charing that Truman Snyder take the oath of office and enter upon the duties of the Clerk of the Board, in the place vacated by the Secretary; also that he attend the Board meetings and the meetings of the Commissioners of the County Court House Clerk to keep them in order.

The Clerk in this connection before the Commissioners the Board adjourned

L. McLane
Chairman.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at their office on Tuesday May 3rd A.D. 1881 at 10 o'clock A.M. present
Commissioners Louis McLane in the Chair
" William Elwood
" Oliver Charing

Minutes approved

The minutes of the regular meeting the 5th inst. and the special meeting held on the 11th inst. were read and on motion approved.

Permit Bank [illegible]

Application was presented from Solomon [illegible] for permission to erect a [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible] and ordered on file.

Request Superintendent

On motion it was ordered by the Board that the Superintendent be instructed to [illegible] from the Commissioners Spring [illegible] and that he [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Employment of Watchmen

[illegible] Commissioners [illegible] Park [illegible] Court [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Special Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of
Regular Meeting Count Com^rs met at the Office of the Clerk
Co. Com^rs present at the Court House in the
Monday June 5th 1882 was present

Commissioners Powell Chairman in the Chair
" Mc Glaun
" Irwin Absent

In Jailmans business was transacted

Nomination Jurors The records of a regular term was read as
Jurors follows to wit: Mon. Sept. was set apart and appointed for
nation of Jurors

Bills Ordered Ordered that the account of J. T. for the work of
Clerk and Sheriff for
Ordered that J. Richards and Ogle's Bank
for account
Ordered that Thomas Dean
for account

Ordered that

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Ordered that

and the Clerk instructed to
as much as possible the natural development
of trees, shrubs & plants in the Park

It was further ordered to put forth
best efforts for getting up to the level of
native rubber plants which may be found
of value for the ornamentation of the Parks

Also to advise the Jury Commissioners to keep
to the last previous Monday.

There being no further business the
Board then adjourned —

E. P. Lemmon
Clerk

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Atlanta Bank on Friday June 7th, 81 were present

Com'rs Com'rs Commissioners on the chair)
" Wm Ward

The following business was transacted

Minutes approved

On motion the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Resignation

Resolved that the resignation of Sam'l Venable as Secretary be accepted to take effect forthwith;

and that the sincere regret of the Board at his severing his connection with it be recorded.

Z. P. Kennedy
Chairman

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of the President of the Atlanta Bank on Friday June 10th/81 at 12 o'clock M were present

Commissioners Z. P. Kennedy (in the chair)
" Wm Ward
" Hugh Inman

The following business was transacted

Minutes approved

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with & on motion of Com'r Ward, seconded by Com'r Inman, the resignation of Sam'l Venable as Sec'y to the Board was accepted

Resignation & Sec'y Secretary appointed Edward Sheldon

On motion of Com'r Ward seconded by Com'r Inman, Edward Sheldon was elected to the position of Sec'y to the Board to take effect from & after this date.

Printing Plans &c

On motion of Com'r Inman the Sec'y was instructed to have a set of plans for the use of the Park Commissioners & others interested prepared by the Engineer.

Appointment of Park Police

On motion of Com'r Ward seconded by Com'r Inman, Mr. Wm. Hemphill was appointed Park Policeman at a salary of $30 per month.

Vacation Park Police

On motion of Com'r Ward seconded by Com'r Inman, the Sec'y was instructed to request all the Park Policemen to take their vacations during the months of July & August.

Appointment of Park Police

On motion of Com'r Ward seconded by Com'r Inman, Mr. Wm. Hemphill was appointed Park Policeman at a salary of $30 per month.

Resignation

On motion the resignation was formally
accepted to accept the first bids with no further
Bonds meeting was to be held at all
meetings to attend to the duties.

There being no further business
to come before the meeting adjourned.

J. P. Sherman
Sec.

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the
Board of Park Commissioners held at the
office of the President of the National Bank
of Sherman July 1st 1891 at 12 M. the
following were present
Jno. Adams Pres. in the chair
" Wm. Wood
" Thos. Strange

The following business was transacted.

Minutes approved

The minutes of a regular
meeting held on Monday June 1st and of
three special meetings held on Monday June 8th
Tuesday June 9th and Thursday June 30. 1891
respectively were read, amended and on
motion adopted.

Bills

Bill to the amount of $1043.40 for
the month of June for work on motion
ordered paid.
Bill of $100 for work on reservoir
for irrigation, amounting to $103.00 was
also ordered paid.
Bill of $3.00 for work on reservoir
for irrigation was ordered paid.

Secretary appointed Secretary

The Sec. presented a
financial statement to date from which
it was discovered that a motion
ordered on bills — a detailed statement
of receipts & disbursements during the month of June was
also handed in and ordered to be

Day laborers

It was ordered that day laborers
all work $2 per day for 10 hours of work
hours work, pump tender to
receive $1 per day

On motion it was decided to contract with Chas. E. Gilden for three years at $225- each, the location for the same to be settled hereafter.

On motion of Mr. Slattery owing up the land now occupied by him by Mr. Robt. Bell & Co. belonging to the Park, was ruled out till the next meeting.

Application was made by the Supt. for an appropriation of $20- per month for 4 horses for the Park which was granted and the Supt instructed to make out a book and bill for the same.

Upon a motion duly made & the question put by the Chairman and the Supt reported that Mr. Thomas Hayes had taken down the fence from the Park, there by the Supts order and if there is any damage to the fence he is to be allowed for the same.

The Supt submitted a drawing of plan for a proposed road up the [illegible] to the South end of the Park, which was referred to the Park Committee.

[illegible]

Regular Meeting

Minutes Approved

re-bids

Secretary Instructed

Notice

Land Business

A communication was read from A. Kelly relating to a bid for 200 Settee for the Park, and laid over on file of Book of Bids.

Fence

On application that Com. O. Sutro was permitted to build a fence some 300 feet on the N. W. corner of the Lot, the Supt. is authorized to build his own and if the other lands are Sutro's is to be repaid by the same and the Com. concurred.

Report of Supt.

Supt. was instructed to see the parties who put the gate on the entrance from the Park & the gate on the alley. The Supt. was instructed to see the parties who put the fence on the Park from the Conservatory to the Stable & have the same removed. The Supt. was instructed to make

O. H. Wilson Sec.

Regular Meeting

Minutes Approved

Financial Statement

Salaries

Summary

Park Commissioners Ordinance No 8

Park Commissioners Ordinance No 8

Section 1 The Board of Park Commissioners shall have power to make such rules and regulations for the government of the Parks and the protection of the property and appurtenances, under the control of the Board, as they may deem proper, and may prescribe penalties for the violation thereof, not exceeding fifty dollars for any one offense, upon conviction before any Justice of the Peace, Police Court or Court of Record.

do 2. The Superintendent shall be appointed by the Board, and shall hold his office during the pleasure of the Board. He shall devote his whole time to the duties of his office, and shall have charge of the Parks and property belonging thereto, subject to the rules and regulations of the Board. He shall appoint, subject to the approval of the Board, such assistants, foremen and laborers as may be necessary for the proper care of the Parks, and shall have power to remove any person employed by him. He shall keep a record of all his official acts, and shall report to the Board at each regular meeting thereof, and at such other times as the Board may require, the condition of the Parks, and all matters pertaining thereto, and shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board.

do 3. The Secretary of said Board shall keep a full and accurate record of all the proceedings of the Board, and shall preserve all papers, documents and plans belonging to the Board, or relating to the business thereof. He shall keep a record of all contracts made by the Board, and shall countersign all orders drawn upon the Treasurer for the payment of money, which orders shall specify the purpose for which they are drawn, and shall be signed by the President of the Board. He shall keep a correct account of all moneys received and paid out by the Board, and shall report the same to the Board at each regular meeting thereof, and at such other times as the Board may require. He shall perform such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held on Tuesday, Sept 2nd were present.

Com. Louis McLane (in the chair)
" O. Eldridge

No business was transacted.

Minutes Approved

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Supt. reported that notwithstanding the efforts made by Messrs. the Messrs Brown & Co. to [illegible] the [illegible] are not [illegible] and the dam is [illegible] that [illegible] will be [illegible] the 18th inst. Messrs [illegible] [illegible] of the case: in such a [illegible] of circumstances it would be unjust and [illegible] from the Messrs B. [illegible] [illegible] in the Courts

[illegible] to the Supt and to the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held on Tuesday Sept 20th 98. at 12 M. were present

Pres. Adolph Sutro (in the chair)
Wm Alvord
J Deuprez

The following business was transacted.

Telephone

A resolution was passed authorizing the Supt. to have a telephone connection between the Park and the City, according to the terms contained in a communication from Sec. C. Doxey the Supt. to be sent Wm Alvord, viz. $25.- for setting the instrument and $2.50 per month for rental and keeping battery in order.

Sand Dunes

A motion of Wm Alvord carried that Supt. be instructed to proceed with the planting of sand dunes with the trees and shrubbery on the Park, now growing at the Nursery, and that the Secretary be instructed to procure 1000 more trees.

The Supt. upon being asked by Mr Alvord if the gate at the Park entrance on the Point Lobos road, was to be left open or closed, replied that it would be left open as at present, but that he would have a gate to the Ocean Beach road, and a fence to the Ocean Beach, and he be instructed to procure a number of suitable trees for the latter, and Park Comrs to be held responsible for the same.

Adjourned

Park Commissioners Ordinance No 9.

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Section 1. The entrance to the Park on the Point Lobos Road, shall be on the line of Cabrillo Street, and the Superintendent of Public Works in the City of San Francisco, shall cause to be constructed that certain road, known as the Ocean Beach Road, from the end of Point Lobos Road, to the Ocean Beach, and shall cause to be constructed a fence on the first of that certain Statute of the State of California, passed April 1st, 1870, and entitled "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Park Commissioners over a certain tract of the City and County of San Francisco, which said road commences at Point Lobos and extends to the Pacific Ocean.

do 2 Any person occupying any portion of the grounds, or roads or sidewalks of said Golden Gate Park, who after written notice from the Supt of said Park to remove himself, and his property from said premises, shall refuse or neglect so to do, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor according to law.

do 3 Any person who shall injure any of the trees, shrubbery, or property of the Park, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof, shall be punished as provided by law for the punishment of misdemeanors.

Wm Alvord
Park Commissioners

Office of the Board of Commissioners
of Cook County, Sept 2nd 1881.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and
full record of such proceedings as were had in
the Board of Commissioners at the
regular session of Sept 1881 and duly entered on
the records of said Board

[illegible]
Clerk

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of
Cook County held at Chicago on Tuesday Sept 6th A.D. 1881.
were present

Chas Dunn Esq in the chair
" Wm Hunt
" J. Hertz

The following business was transacted.

Minutes Approved

The minutes of a regular meeting held
on Tuesday Sept 5 and of two special meetings held
on Saturday Sept 2nd and Tuesday Sept 30th were
read and approved

Bills allowed

Bills to the amount of $1200.00 for the month of
Sept. were examined and ordered paid.
The Sec. presented a petition of John Hale dated
Sept. 30th. which was examined and ordered on file

On motion of Mr Hertz was authorized to buy
a new lock for the use of the Supt of the
poor not to exceed $140.

The Supt was instructed to have the front of
house work mill, as petitioned against
by Hale.

Application was made by Mr Hertz that
the Supt. for the purchase of the Dr. to build
for extra rooms, at the Asylum, which
to be used as lying in rooms, which was
was granted

The Sec. was ordered to procure a Plan
and Specifications for the same to be laid before

The Supt was instructed to procure the [illegible]
for the use of the poor for the ensuing

After a general discussion as to the
purchase of [illegible] and
and it [illegible] was moved that
it was not wise without [illegible]

Tue Meeting

the Supt was instructed to see to the road and also to look after the mowing machine and the Foreman was authorized to hire extra teams for the purpose of planting trees and attending to the same in part as the Park.

re Park Supplies

It having been ascertained that there was a quantity of lumber on hand belonging to the Park and the Park is being put in such a condition as to require it, the matter was left with the Supt.

Board adjourned.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Thursday, Mar. 5th at 10 o'clock a.m. present

Pres. D. McCarthy, in the chair
" Wm. Wright
" J. Hindle.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read & approved

Bills

Bills to the amt. of $ were examined & ordered paid

The financial report showed that the monthly expenses were running so near the appropriation as to have little or no margin.

Bank of Commerce Deposit

The Sec. reported that there was not enough money in the City Treasury to the credit of the Park Comp. Fund to pay the demands. Comm. Wright was requested to have the matters right at the Bank of Commerce.

Supt. wages raised

The Supt. was instructed to retain Albert Peters who has been a substitute for Wellinger, for this month at $60.00.

Supt. authorized to purchase hose

The Supt. was authorized to purchase to the amount of $ 25.00 worth of hose, to be used for the ensuing month.

Gas Engine Pump

Gas Engine was ordered placed in Shop No 1 Eastmans Park and to be paid for at contract price of $250.00

Secretary to deposit money

The Secretary is instructed to deposit the Park funds to the credit of the Park Comp. Fund in the Bank of Commerce.

Board adjourned

Board of

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Harlem Nov 21, 81 at 1.15 P.M. were present

Com. Bowe, Mc Lane (in the chair)
" Wm Ahearn
" O'Brien

The following business was transacted:

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

Supt reported that he had suspended Thos. Shaw, Supt of the Out Island, for being drunk and disorderly in company with a woman on a Bowery St car, on the evening of the 21st inst. 1881. After a general discussion as to the facts in the case, the matter was made and ordered that said Shaw remain suspended till Dec. 1st, 81, be reported from the Secretary of Supt and allowed to resume his duties as one of the Guard, in presence of future misconduct.

The Comrs authorized the Supt to notify the Guard that on the 1st of Dec so soon thereafter as practicable each man shall furnish his own boots and uniforms and to receive $3.33 per day under [illegible]

[illegible] to have the [illegible] Comrs to [illegible] from [illegible] the [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible] at Central Park on the 1st inst. Emp. Guard

[illegible] that he has [illegible] the Comrs [illegible] on the 20th inst. [illegible] Supt. Jones. [illegible] to [illegible] the [illegible]

To [illegible] to have a standing [illegible] desk for the Supt.

Depot Building

Action was deferred on the matter of building a depot either at 110th or 6th avenues

Board adjourned

Wm. H. Baldwin
Jr

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held on Tuesday Dec. 6th 1881 were present.

Comr. Louis McLane (in the chair.)
" Wm Alvord
" Oliver Eldridge.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of a special meeting held on Monday, Nov 21st, 81 were read, amended & approved.

Bills allowed

Bills to the amt of $519.46 for Nov. were examined & ordered paid.

Superintendent authorized to sell

The Supt. was authorized to employ an Auctioneer to sell at Public Auction a lot of miscellaneous implements accumulating on Lease and the following list of horses & mules, to large to use for Park purposes.
2 horses in Comrs: 1 gray mare, Nelly: 1 bay horse Tom 1 gray horse Jim: 1 black horse Baldie 1 gray horse Jerry: 1 mare Kate: 1 mule Larry: 1 mule Seal:

The Supt gave a list of park property which will be left by Capt Cochrane his predecessor: the Comrs directed him to have the same returned by Jan 1st 82 as left to the parties now in possession. viz, a large roller to House of Correction for $250 — 2 carts to Farms of Mercy, water cart, carts & steel bars to Wms House.

The Supt was directed to notify M. Flattery to vacate the house on St. Johns Road by Feb 1st

The matter of building a new depot at 6th & Jay Avenue was then taken up.

It was directed to issue a communication to the Land Office that the Park Comrs will visit their Committee at any time convenient to them to select a suitable site for the proposed [illegible]

E. Eldridge Sec.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held on Friday Dec 16th 81 were present

Comrs. Louis McLane (in the chair)
" Wm Alvord
" Oliver Eldridge.

The following business was transacted:

Casino leased

A lease of the Casino lately erected on Golden Gate Park, to R. Warren for a term of three years from Monday Dec. 19th 1881, was executed, and the Sec. was instructed to have the same recorded in the City & County Recorder's Office.

Tree Planting Contract

The Supt was authorized to employ the extra men taken on for the tree planting season, wherever he sees fit

Board adjourned.

E. Eldridge Sec.

Auction Sale by Newhall's Sons & Co. Nov. 16th 81

1	Gray	Horse	"Kelly"	$ 37 50
1	Harness	Single		9
1	Buggy	Side Spring		55
1	Mare	Mare		70
1	do	Cab		46
1	Horse	"Jim"		65
1	do	"Sam"		46
1	do	"Jerry"		42 50
1	do	"Baby"		37
1	Mule	"Nell"		75
1	do	"Sal"		122 50
1	Horse	(from pound)		21
1	Mare	"		250
6	Cultivators			6
3	Plows		37	113
1	Harrow			1
1	Set Wheels			8
2	Wheels		2	4
1	Hand Cart			350
1	Roller			13
1	Crane			5
1	Water Cart			8
12	Hames		pr	150
410	Hands		per	8
7½	Tons			750
1	Carriage			5
305	Lbs Iron			3750
1	Set Iron Gears			14
1	" Axles			7
1	" Mare			350
	" Buggy			2750
1	" Cab			1
8	Collars		pr	1
∞	Fastenings			75
1	Plow, Iron			1
1	Set Mule Gears & Plow Irons			14
1	do			10
1	do			6
				822 50

Brought over 180 225 6 12.05

Summary) Miscellaneous Articles Call Charcoal $ 12.05
Amount of Sales 1.19 5324
770 64

Deposited by Sid Shelton Esq with the C. & C. Treasurer, Jany. 15th 1882

Pound fees, Nov. & Dec. 81.	$ 2150
Police fines, do	180.
Auction sale fees 3%	770 64
Bal of the $2000 deposited by R. Thomas to pay for Cabin on Pawnee "Sarah"	253
	$ 1266.14

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comm's held on Thursday, Jan. 12th 82 there were

Present, Comm's Stone, in the chair
" Ware
" Hall
" Strong.

The minutes of the last regular meeting and of a special meeting held on Friday, Jan. 13th 82 were read & approved

Letter of the resignation of Wm. Ware as Comm'r was read.

On motion of Comm'r Hall the resignation of Wm. Ware was accepted.

On motion of Comm'r Strong a suitable note for the proposed monument to Francis Parkman Esq., the Secty was directed to refer the matter to the Supt. of the Park and to Copt. Clark

Mr. Comm'r Hall having expressed a communication to the Comm'rs stating that officer Sloan had been arrested taking a tree from a person who stated that he was arrested for past service, the matter was given to the Supt. to investigate

The Supt. asked for permission to purchase two tons of Hay required for use in the Lower Park Nursery

After a general discussion of matters relating to the interests of the Park the Board adjourned

C. H. Hall
Sec

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comm'rs held on Monday Jan 16th, were present

Pres. Isaac Stone, in the Chair.
Comm'r Ware
" Hall
" Strong.

The following business was transacted

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved

Letter to the Supt of Park's were taken up and action had.

The Supt submitted a list of plants wanted for the Park, on the motion of Comm'r Strong it was resolved that the Supt be authorized to purchase such trees, plants and shrubs as are necessary with the labor force and money now at his disposal not to exceed the appropriation of $500. per year.

Purchase Parkman Monument

Motion was made by Comm'r Ware and seconded by Comm'r Strong that the Supt of Parks & the superintendent of Public Grounds be authorized to lay the matter before the Supt of Streets & see if there can not be a circle for the monument.

Board adjourned

C. H. Hall
Sec.

Regular Meeting

Regular Meeting

Regular Meeting

January 4th 1887 Comm's Mr Allard and Frank M. Pixley met at the office of the Board of Park Commissioners.

In waiting one hour to wait for the Mr

Appointment Wm Allard Frank M. Pixley Louis Monte

Allard Mr Pixley and Louis Monte then presented their Commissions from the Governor of the State of California appointing them Park Commissioners for the term of four years from and after the 1st day of January 1887

Mr Louis Monte

Louis Monte then took and subscribed the oath of office required and filed the same with the Secretary of State

Election of President

On motion of Commr Allard Mr Louis Monte was unanimously elected President of the Board

Mr Louis Monte then took the chair and presided at the meeting

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Bills to the amount of $ were presented and ordered paid

Adjournment

On motion the Board then adjourned to meet on the 11th inst at 10 o'clock A.M.

Secretary

W. H. Hall

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held on Tuesday June 1st 1875 were present.

Jas. Lyon Pres. (in the chair)
J. M. Bixby

The following business was transacted.

Minutes approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Com. to wait on Governor

Pres. Lyon stated that the Pres. & Sec. had sent a communication to the Governor requesting his re appointment as a Park Comr. which Comr. Bixby moved be filed by the Secretary.

Com. to examine witnesses

Pres. Lyon moved to open the testimony of various witnesses in the matter of the charges against the several members of the Park Board.

Com. reported that the witnesses had been sworn and that the different witnesses had been behaving in such a manner as to reflect on the management of the Board stated that the entire testimony be taken down and the Sec. was instructed to copy the same in full in the minutes and that copies could be issued to any of the Comrs.

Com. reported that Comrs Parkes Bixby and Lyon as a committee of the Board had met and agreed upon a plan for the improvement of the Park, which Com. Bixby moved be filed by the Secretary, which was carried.

Com. reported that they

Fund = Flower Mason Flood Brother

Application was made by the S. T. Jewett & Sons Mason allowance for flowers from the Park on Thursdays, to use in their chapel on Thursdays. The Board decided that they could have them as heretofore, a portion of the Park to cut the flowers when they were required.

Treasurer's Statement Quarterly

The Sec. stated that there was remaining in the Park Imp. Fund about $4500 which would hardly suffice for the expenses of the ensuing month, the last on the fiscal year. Director that the Comptroller was at the rate of 12 cents on the $100 instead of 8 cents, as for the last seven years. The audit will put $31000 a year. Supt. remarked it will be necessary to make improvements

After a general discussion as to some means of relief, Director was appointed a committee to draw up plans, the same to be official and signed by the Comptroller, stating to the Board of Supervisors the amount absolutely necessary to put the Park in its present condition & meet the requirements.

Trees

The Sec. reported that all trees & shrubs in the Park required to be trimmed, the last one of which was so long as to require that it should be attended to at once, the shrubs of the Park to be cut down

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Sec

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held on Monday June 4th present

Comr. Alex Rosenthal in the chair
" J. H. Tinsley
" Wm Sharpless

The following business was transacted

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Appointment John Kemple

The Sec. stated that Mr Wm Campbell had left his son in charge the avenue with his cart, and was therefore entitled to a seat on the Board.

The Sec. submitted to the Comrs a statement of the amounts paid to keep on the Park together with a list of the employees as the same now stood.

The Supervisors instructed requested that the funds in the Treasury should be sufficient to pay all the bills for labor and materials to Sept 1st next would be sufficient to meet the salaries of the employees Board of

Sec absent

Pres Rosenthal
Comptroller Sharpless
Supt Kemple

The minutes were read and approved that the office of Supt be abolished from and after the 1st of the present month and the Secretary be instructed to notify the employees on the Park accordingly.

Office of Supt abolished Vacant

After a general discussion as to what steps to take in order to retain the services of Supt Kemple, same finally agreed to $2000 per month, same to be was referred to a committee to report the Park with a list of the employees, the to be paid and the salaries

Claim
Mr Cutler

The Sheriff each having received a
letter from J. P. Bowen & Co Attys
in the matter of a claim of $22 hours of
extra labor performed on the 2nd Avenue
Extension on the 4th & 5th Decks, the
Sheriff was directed to send a reply to these
gentlemen stating that a similar case was
then on Appeal.

Sheriff's Office

Rendered with City & County Treasurer
October this 7th day of July 1882
Five hundred thirty three 50/100 Dollars proceeds
of sale of 7 Stocks June 7th by advertisement
& fee Gallowsay bell.

1	1 Share	Bank		00
2	1 "	"		00
3	1 "	"		00
4	1 Share	Insurance		00
5	1 "	"		00
6	1 Share	Bank		00 50
7	1 Share	Bank		200
				533 50

Charges
Advertising 2 50
Commission 5% 2 13 — 5 63
527 87

Sheriff

Secretary ordered to write to Hiram Lodge

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Friday July 21st at the Park Office, were present

Jas. Wm. Moore, in the chair
Jas. Ralph
Wm. Sharpless

The following business was transacted

Minutes approved

Minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved

Appointment of Delegate

Mr. Sharpless proposed that Mr. Ralph should be appointed Supt of the Park for the ensuing year to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Mr. Wm. Hamilton

Meeting adjourned

And then the Board to meet at the Park on Friday 28th inst at 10 A.M. for the purpose of considering the estimates for the ensuing year & such other business as may then be brought before them

Jas. Wm. Moore
Chairman

Leland Stanford Appointed

Since Friday last nominations were made of Leland Stanford and there being no further nominations Mr. Stanford was declared duly elected a Park Commissioner for the unexpired term of William Hamilton, Esq. resigned.

The Secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Stanford of his election and to ask him to accept the office and have it signed by the other Commissioners so that Mr. Stanford could take the oath of office and qualify to serve as a member of this Board

There being no further business of importance to bring before the Board, it adjourned

Jas. Wm. Moore
Chairman.

Deposited in City and County Treasury this 27th day of July, 1882 Seben Dallam Distributed as follows:

To Pound Fees	$	5.
" Relief Hay		

E. H. Dallam

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Monday, July 31, 1882 were present:

Comr. F. M. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Children to play on grass

On motion of the Commissioners it was decided that the Superintendent be instructed to allow children to play on the grass during each and every day in the week

Assistant to trim trees appointed

Comr. Pixley stated that Jas Taylor, head gardener, had reported that it was necessary for him to have another man to assist in trimming the trees and shrubs. The Commissioners decided that Wm. McLaren an old employee, be given the place at $4.- per day

The Secretary reported that Mr. Leland Stanford had filed his commission in the office of this Board July 26, 1882 and having taken the oath of office was therefore entitled to a seat in the Board of Park Commissioners.

Edward H. Shelton handed in his resignation as Secretary to this Board, the same to take effect July 31, 1882, which, on motion was accepted.

The Board then proceeded to fill the vacancy caused by Secretary Shelton's resignation. Commissioner Talbot nominated Jos L. Howell which was seconded by Comr. Pixley

There being no further nominations Jos L. Howell was duly elected Secretary to the Board of Park Commissioners to date from Aug 1, 1882.

The Board then adjourned.

J. L. Howell
Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comm'rs held Aug. 1, 1882, were present:

Comr. F. M. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills

Bills were allowed as follows:

For labor	$ 2136.65	
" material, etc.	2079.37	$ 4216.02

The Board then adjourned

J. L. Howell
Secy

Deposited in City and County Treasury this 30th day of Aug 1882 - Four Thousand and on same day One Dollar Balance $10.

J. L. Howell
Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commrs. held this "4" day of Sept. 1882, were present

Comr. F. H. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and allowed.

Bills

Bills were allowed as follows:

For labor	$2159.85	
" material, etc.	455.39	$2615.24.

The Board then adjourned.

J. L. Howell,
Secy.

Deposited in City and County Treasury monies as follows:

Sept. 11	for Pound Fees	$	9.
"	" Police Fines		10.
16	" Pound Fees		13.
"	" "		3.	$35.

J. L. Howell

At a special meeting held this day of Sept. 1882, Comrs. Pixley and Rosenfeld being present, Secy. Howell was instructed from the Secretary's office to purchase material at a salary of $2.50 for supt. R. Schmidt, right of the Park Guard Capt. made Secy. of the Commission, at said position at a salary of $100. per month, and use of the Police in case of the Park Police

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 2nd day of Oct. 1882, were present

Comrs. F. H. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Re. bills

Bills were allowed as follows:

For labor	$2015.65	
" sundries, etc.	781.15	$2796.80

The Board then adjourned.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 3rd day of Oct. 1882, were present

Comrs. F. H. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

Supt. of Parks

Comr. Pixley moved that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the Supt. Road Department, said notice to be published in the Call, Bulletin and Chronicle for ten days, and that the Secretary be instructed to report to the Park Commissioners the bids received in response to said notice. Carried.

Comr. Rosenfeld moved that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the grading of the Park Panhandle, and that the Secretary be instructed to report to the Park Commissioners the bids received in response to said notice. Carried.

Comr. Pixley moved that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the grading of the Park Panhandle

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held this ___ day of Nov. 1882, were present

Com: T. M. Fiske (in the chair)
" Jno. Rossfeld

" Clerk Read and approved as follows.

To labor	$1089.67	
" material etc.	336 15	$2425.82.

The Treas reported monies collected by him and deposited to-day with the Treasurer of the City and County, to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund, as follows:

To rent of Capt. E. Smith's horse &c	July 1 to Sept. 30	
" " for mo.	$ 35.!	
To Pound Fees	6.	
" Police Fine	15.	$ 56.

The Board then adjourned.

E. S. Smith,
Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held this ___ day of Dec. 1882, were present

Com: T. M. Fiske chairman
Jno. Rossfeld,

Bills were allowed as follows

To Bills	For labor	1 pay. 25	
	" material &c.	13 " 16	$1438.41

Adjourned

E. S. Smith
Secy

County Treasury, this 30 day of
follows:

$	¢
	25

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 2nd day of Jan. 1883, were present:

Comr F. M. Pixley, Chairman.
" John Rosenfeld.

Bills were allowed as follow

To [illegible] $19798
" etc. 7915 04 $27713 85

Letter was addressed to the Board of Supervisors. The following printed slip is a copy of that letter:

SAN FRANCISCO, January 2, 1883.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the City of San Francisco:

GENTLEMEN: The undersigned, Commissioners of the Golden Gate Park, came into the discharge of their official duties about the beginning of July, 1882. This report must, therefore, be necessarily confined to the period since that time. When we first came to the performance of our duties, we found the ten hundred and twenty acres of land, which was originally shifting sands and oak chaparral, still largely in its original condition. A very handsome tree-lined avenue had been made from the city side-entrance to the Park Conservatory. A narrow and irregular road had been extended to the ocean; other drives and bridle foot-paths had been built. Some two hundred acres of land had been planted to forests, which were beginning to show favorably. The Park was provided with a cottage residence for the superintendent, and offices suitable for the secretary; also, hot-houses, stables, with cottage for gardener and superintendent of roads. An elegant conservatory, well appointed, was the gift of private citizens. Some fifteen acres in and around Conservatory Valley was laid out to lawns and flower-beds, forming a garden landscape of great beauty. We found an imperfectly constructed stairway of artificial stone and wood; a music stand in wood, artistically built and well located; a Casino, erected by private enterprise, well conducted, an ornament and convenience to the Park. We found the larger portion of the Park grounds still covered with sand, with here and there, on the western side, groups of shrubs and patches of grass, around which the sand was drifting. Private property, both on the north and south sides of the Park, is a barren sand waste, and is continually encroaching upon the Park. We found the improved portion of the Park depending upon Spring Valley for water, with a four-inch sheet-iron main and inadequate distribution pipes—pipes so inefficient that the filling of a water-cart arrested the work of men engaged in watering lawns or roads. We found the roadways worn to a degree necessitating immediate repairs. We found Conservatory Valley, the Casino, and the Conservatory without adequate drainage. Conservatory Valley was planted with forest trees that would in time have destroyed its present beauty.

The first thing necessarily and naturally for us to do was to ascertain what we ought to do. Our conclusion was that the shifting sands must be anchored and fixed before it was practicable to begin the construction of a Park that should be anything more than a pretty flower-garden; the next, to lay out a broad boulevard for family and fashionable driving; to provide bridle-paths, and especially to build broad walks, with comfortable resting-places, for pedestrians, commanding the best Park views, and overlooking Conservatory Valley, where, in the future, it is presumable public displays will take place, where music will be provided, and where it is already arranged the Garfield Monument shall be placed. We have kept constantly in view the fact that this is the resort of that class of citizens who are not too rich nor too proud to visit it on foot or by five-cent fares; who seek it as a recreation for themselves and children, and find pleasure in spending their leisure hours in sight of the ocean. We found a grass growing in bunches on the west side of the Park, known as "Bent-grass." The seed originally came from Holland to ex-Commissioner Alvord. It had not distributed itself extensively, because its seed did not generally ripen, and drifting sands are not favorable for volunteer grasses. We have made the experiment of digging it up and planting it by roots in plowed furrows, as potatoes are dropped and covered. This spring will give us an area of four hundred acres thus planted. The plants are now doing well, and we feel confident that in this scheme we have solved the problem of shifting sands. We believe this grass will anchor the sands, and in its place give us a meadow of waving grass. The "Bent" is a long-rooted, coarse grass, of olive-brown, not agreeable to the eye as a landscape picture, but useful in making it possible to cover the Park ground with forest. We believe this experiment will be accepted by the owners of adjoining sand-lands, and will be imitated by them. When all the sand-drift of our peninsula is covered, it will be a saving to our eyes, will be economy to our street department, and our sewers will not so rapidly fill as now. We feel great confidence in this experiment, and hope we shall be allowed to thoroughly test it. When this sand is planted to grass, we will cover all the west of the Park with a dense forest of pines, cypress, eucalyptus, acacias, and such other hardy trees and shrubs as can resist wind. We have departed from the former custom of endeavoring to build our forest against the wind by beginning our work of planting at the ocean shore and working eastward. When the forest is grown, or partly grown, and its dropping foliage begins to make soil, we can begin to build roads, and drives, and walks. WE CAN THEN BEGIN TO MAKE A PARK.

We need a new system for water distribution. Without water the Park must remain a sterile desert. The Commissioners feel that they have no authority over the water supply. We have authority to negotiate for water either from Spring Valley, or from any other source, but have no funds which were intended for expenditure in this direction. As we consider this whole business of water properly belongs to the Board of Supervisors, we leave the question, only remarking that water is for the Park an absolute necessity in the summer time. The immediate requirement is an eight-inch main from the Spring Valley pipe, a distance of 2,200 feet, to connect with our present system, and which is estimated to cost $3,500. This will give us ample water for this summer. In this connection, it is proper for the Commissioners to say that but a fractional acreage of the Park is irrigated; that the roads on the west side of the Park are sprinkled from pump and wind-mill, and that it is not the present intention of the Commissioners to increase the irrigable area. There are several natural valleys in the Park which could be connected into lakes, if water were abundant. There are several places within the grounds where water might be supplied from wells by pumps. Strawberry Hill reaches to an elevation of 200 feet, and occupies a central location, well adapted for the storage and distribution of water. These matters are simply stated without suggestion.

The Geary street Company's road now reaches the Park on the north side; its termination should be removed one block westward, where a more convenient entrance is attainable. The Haight Street road will soon be completed, and will demand an entrance and Park roads for its connection. The California Street cable road will soon be completed to the Park, touching its northern boundary at Twenty-fourth Avenue. Drainage in certain places is indispensable. The widening of certain roads is demanded by the increased driving in the Park. Very much of our present drive, indeed nearly all, from the cemetery to the ocean, is only thirty feet in width; it is inconvenient and dangerous.

When the present Commission—all of whom are new to the position—came into office, after first ascertaining what was to be done, most naturally inquired what was the appropriation within which their expenditures must be confined.

During the fiscal year ending July 1, 1882, the former Commissioners had received and expended the sum $72,718.49. We had on hand on the first day of July, $25.57. The sum of $51,352.92 was realized from the operation of two acts of the Legislature—one authorized a tax levy of one and one-half cents on each $100 of valuation, and the other of one cent on the $100. The last act had expired by its terms, and we found ourselves compelled to work within an appropriation of $51,500. The Supervisors of that year had transferred funds from the general to the Park fund of $6,900. When we found that our means would not justify the expenses then running, and that we must come down from an annual expenditure of $72,718 to $50,500, we began at once a system of rigid economy. This economy began with reducing the salary of the Superintendent; reducing the police force, consolidating the office of Sergeant of Police with Secretary at one salary, dispensing with messenger, store-keeper, extra Sunday watchmen, removing our office to the Park-lodge, and cutting off every possible source of unnecessary expenditure, and most unwillingly discharging many industrious and faithful laborers that had long been in the Park service. We retained those men who were indispensable in the management of the conservatory, the garden, and the nursery.

In the nursery we found a large number of young plants and trees, and when the rainy season drew near, we found that without additional funds we could not plant our trees, and they would have been destroyed. The rainy season demands certain work that can not be undertaken at any other time. Under these circumstances, we went to the Board of Supervisors, and asked for $50,000. They could not give us the money, but passed an appropriation pledge, guaranteeing that they would, after the first of January, 1883, transfer that amount from the general fund to the Park fund—which transfer has been made. Under that guarantee we acted, increasing our working force and purchasing two pairs of mules, with wagons and plows, to do our planting. In our new appointment of laborers we favored the old hands who had been faithful and were discharged for no other cause than want of funds. We have now some fifty-five men upon our pay-roll, and our work is laid out and in process of accomplishment. With the $51,500 we felt able to accomplish important results. We believe that with that amount we can do work, in the direction of grass and tree-planting and road-building, which will in time show to advantage. We are expending the greater part of the money in forestry and drives. We desire to widen the drive from the Conservatory to the ocean, for family driving. We have every reason to believe that from the voluntary gifts of certain citizens we can, during the coming summer, present the city of San Francisco with a "speed mile" within the Park, where fast horses may be speeded.

We say, in conclusion, to the Honorable Board of Supervisors, that the members of the Commission, either or all of them, hold themselves in readiness at any time to explain or answer questions. Our Superintendent, Secretary, and books may be sent for at any time, for any examination to which it may be desirable to submit them.

This official communication is made to the Board of Supervisors in realization of the fact that, as it is charged with the responsibility of the appropriation of funds for the Park management, it should be advised by the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park with all expenditures made by them. We hope to establish with the new board the same intelligent and friendly relations maintained with the old.

We have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servants,

FRANK M. PIXLEY,
Chairman Park Commission.
JOHN ROSENFELD,
Park Commissioner.

Hon. Leland Stanford, Commissioner, absent from the State.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 10th day of January, 1883, were present:

Comr F. M. Pixley, Chairman.
" John Rosenfeld.

The supplemental letter, of which the following is a copy, was addressed to the Board of Supervisors, and ordered printed with both letters to the [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO, January 10, 1883.

To the Honorable the Board of Supervisors:

GENTLEMEN: Since writing the above, those portions of the Conservatory building—viz., the central dome, the potting-house, furnace-room, and parts of the rear hot-houses, together with all the tropical plants under the centre dome, and many other valuable plants, have been destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire was from the furnace-room. We can not ascertain that it has resulted from carelessness or negligence on the part of our employees. We have not undertaken to enter upon the work of restoration, nor with our limited funds can we undertake to rebuild the Conservatory. Our moneys are anticipated by work already projected and under process of being carried out, which we can not now change without serious disarrangement of plans which involve the future of the Park.

We have ordered the repair of the furnaces and broken pipes, in order to so far heat the remaining parts of the building as to save the plants. We have restored broken glass, and so far cleaned up the débris as to present a less ruinous outlook than the place presented after the fire.

From various persons we have obtained estimates of the cost of reconstructing the building, and restoring it to its former condition. Mr. O'Connor, architect, has given us his voluntary services, free of charge. From him, and from Messrs. Wessinger and Tilden and Thom, we have received approximate estimates of the cost of restoration, varying from seven thousand to twelve thousand dollars; from Messrs. Whittier & Fuller, for glass and glazing; from David Bush, for repairing the pipes and heating-apparatus; from Hopps & Son, painters, we have received figures—convincing us that the whole can be restored for the sum of $9,000. The additional sum of $3,500, for a new water-main, making an aggregate of $12,500, would be an ample appropriation to cover this calamity, and make another by fire quite improbable.

We refer this whole matter to your honorable Board for such action as in your judgment the circumstances may demand. We may be permitted to suggest the anticipated gathering of summer visitors, and the ceremonies of the laying of the corner-stone of the Garfield monument in August, as a reason for prompt action. Very respectfully, we are yours, etc.,

FRANK M. PIXLEY, Commissioner.
JOHN ROSENFELD, Commissioner.

Hon. Leland Stanford absent.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Commissioners held in the office of Commissioners and Rosenfeld present, Commissioner Raleg in the chair.

Minutes Approved

The minute of the last meeting were read and approved.

Reduction of Force

Commissioner Rosenfeld moved
Whereas the finances of the Park Commission require a reduction in the expenditures within the limits of the receipts and whereas the condition of the Park since the ceasing raining and the commencement of the remaining months of the year, resolved, that on and after the 30th instant that and month that result in a necessary reduction in the number of the working force that you discharge all every, to the number of the working force the monthly allowance shall not exceed $175.

On motion of Commissioner Rosenfeld it is resolved that the following employees be retained upon the Park the compensation set opposite their respective names and that all other employees and laborers be for the present discharged with

Superintendent		$175.
Secretary		50.
Clerk	$100 per day	91.
Foreman	" "	90
Assistant	"	60.
Gardener	"	60.
Teamster	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.
Laborer	"	52.

General Work	John Conley,	26 days @	1 per day	$26.
	Daniel McCready,	26 "	" 1 " "	26.
Scavenger,	Patrick McAdams,	30 "	" 1 " "	30.
Assistant in Nursery	Thos. Taylor,	26 "	" 1.50 " "	39
Concourse Keeper,	John McDermott	30 "	" 1 " "	30.
Lawn Keeper,	John Lomax	30. "	" .50 " "	15.

Discharged Employees for Lack of Funds

On motion of Commissioner Rosenfeld it was resolved: That in dismissing the Park employees the Superintendent be directed to inform them that they are discharged for lack of funds and for no other cause and that in event of the Park funds being increased at any time within the next year the said men now will be employed in preference to any others who may apply.

On motion of Commissioner Rosenfeld it was resolved.

Four horses or mules

That four animals obtained or to be obtained be used: two of mules or horses for double team, one mare or gelding for Park buggy and that the said mare or horse mules or mares be kept to produce colts equal or next year and that the Superintendent be hereby authorized to have charge of the animals.

Monthly Allowance Exceeded

Commissioner Raleg offered the following resolution.

Whereas the aggregate of monthly expenses, viz: $100. as salaries and $ 00. as incidentals has been estimated at $100. while the monthly allowance has been estimated at $175. leaving a balance of $ for incidental monthly expenses, be it Resolved that, until the Park Improvement Fund be increased, the average monthly expenditures of Golden Gate Park shall not exceed the average monthly allowance; and that in the event of the said being increased that the number of employees shall be increased and the schedule of wages readjusted as the Commissioners may hereafter determine.

Police Guard Withdrawn

On motion of Commissioner Rosenfeld it was resolved that the Secretary be directed to communicate to the Chief of Police the fact that the Grounds of the Golden Gate Park have been dismissed and assertion of the Park no protected by a night and day guard from the general force.

The Board then adjourned

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 3rd day of Feb. 1883, were present:

Comr. F. M. Pixley, Chairman.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the special meeting of the day before were read and approved and the Secy was directed to take care of those minutes to the various daily newspapers.

Minutes approved

Bills were allowed as follows:

re Bills.

For labor,	$ 323.22	
" material, etc.	188.29	$ 511

The Secretary then announced that he had deposited that day with the City and County Treasurer, moneys as follows:

For Pound Fees,	$ 3	
" Police Fines,	30.	$ 33.

The meeting then adjourned.

W. E. Smith,
Secy.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this 5th day of Feb. 1883 Commissioners Pixley and Rosenfeld present, it was decided to keep the animals owned by the Park, in the Park stables and yards, feeding them on hay, until good pasturage can be obtained for them, and that a further effort be then made for continued employment in the Park work.

W. E. Smith
Secy.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on March 3, 1883 were present

Comr. F. M. Pixley (in the chair)
John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Minutes approved

Bills to the amount of $ 149.83 were examined and ordered paid

re Bills

The Secretary then announced that he had deposited that day with the City and County Treasurer, moneys as follows:

re receipts

For Pound Fees $ 2.

The Board then adjourned.

W. E. Smith
Act Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on April 2nd, 1883, were present

Comr. Franc M. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $ 1569.96 were examined and ordered paid

The Secy then announced that he had deposited that day with the City and County Treasurer moneys as follows

For Pound Fees $ 3.

Board adjourns.

W. E. Smith
Act Secy.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 2nd 1883 were present

Com'r. Frank M. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Bills Paid

Bills to the amount of $1411.45 were examined and ordered paid.

Salary Increased

Com'r. Rosenfeld recommended that the salary of Superintendent be increased from $125. per mo. to $100 Head Gardener, from $3.50 per day to $3; Foreman of Conservatory, from $3 per day to $2.50. which was allowed.

Board adjourns

N. E. Smith
Act. Secy

Deposited in City and County Treasury May 4, 1883
For Pound Fees $14.

N. E. Smith
Act. Secy

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 11th, 1883 were present:

Com'r. Frank M. Pixley (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills Paid

Bills to the amount of $1914.46 were examined and ordered paid: $899.90 to be paid from the Park Improvement Fund, and $1014.56 from the Private Subscription Fund.

Board adjourns.

N. E. Smith
Act Secy.

Deposited in the City and County Treasury June 7, 1883
For Pound Fees $1.

N. E. Smith
Act Secy.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held on Friday, June 29, 1883 at the office of John Rosenfeld were present.

Comr. F. M. Pixley in the chair
" J. Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

On motion of Mr. Rosenfeld the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

Resignation of E. E. Smith accepted

A communication was recd. from E. E. Smith, per. N. E. Smith, tendering his resignation as Secy. to this Board the same to take effect June 30, 1883, which, ~~on motion~~, was placed on file.

On motion of Mr. Rosenfeld the resignation of E. E. Smith was accepted.

Communication from Thos. Crocker re resignation as Comr. of Golden Gate Park accepted

A communication from London dated June 19, 1883 was recd. through Chas. Crocker, Leland Stanford, member of the Commission offering his resignation as Comr. of Golden Gate Park which, upon motion of John Rosenfeld, was duly accepted by the Commission and the communication ordered to be placed on file.

Vacancy filled by appointment of Miss Valence A. Bevis

The Board then proceeded to fill the vacancy caused by Secy Smith's resignation and Mr. Rosenfeld Miss Valence A. Bevis which was confirmed by vote of both Comrs. Salary at $50. per mo. to begin on July 1, 1883.

The Board then adjourned.

N. E. Smith
Act'l Secy.

Regular Meeting

Tuesday July 3, 1883.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held [illegible]

Com[illegible] Present.

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Minutes Approved

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Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held September 1st 1915, were present.

Com. Frank M. Riley, (in the chair.)
John Rossfeld

The following business was transacted.

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills

Bills to the amount of $1618.10 were presented and ordered paid. $1610.10 to be paid from the Park Improvement Fund and $8.00 from the Forest Preservation Fund.

Salary Order

The salary of Supt. was raised from $125.00 to $150.00 per month, from and after the 1st day of September 1915.

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General Power McDonald appointed

At a special meeting of the Board of Selectmen held at Stamford on Friday the 1st day of September A.D. 1865. Brevet Major General Power McDonald was elected a member of the Board to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Lyman D. Stanford, Esq.

Valorus P. Hoyt
Clerk.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Selectmen held October 2nd 1865 were present.

Lyman Scofield Esq. President pro tem.
Power McDonald

The following business was transacted.

Examination Approved

The examination of the Bank Books was examined and approved.

Interest

Bills to the amount of $398.91 were examined and ordered paid & $91.66 of interest from the Bank Deposits on hand and $307.25 from the Soldiers Relief Fund.

Power McDonald
Lyman Scofield
Selectmen

Separation with the Town of Greenwich

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Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Friday Oct. 19th 1883, was present.

Comr. Jas. K. McAuley in the chair.
" J. Rosenfeld
" J. McGuill.

No other Comr. was present.

Minutes approved

Minutes of Comr. Rosenfeld the reading of the minutes of the last meeting were dispensed with.

Letter from Judge Sanderson

A communication from Judge Sanderson addressed to the Hon. the Commissioners for the Golden Gate Park, was read by the Secretary, and on motion of Comr. McGuill, the Secretary was instructed to write a letter to Judge Sanderson informing him that the Board of Supervisors had granted the petition.

Comr. McGuill presented the following resolutions and asked that they be read for information, and that action be deferred for one week.

Resolution

Whereas, It appears that on the 18th day of October 1883, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco passed an order entitled "Order No. 1336 to open and extend Cross St. from Stanyan St. to Arguello Blvd." which order No. 1336 was approved by the Mayor on the 18th day of October 1883, and

Whereas, The said order No. 1336 directs the opening of Cross St. from Stanyan St. to Arguello Blvd. and

Whereas, The said Cross St. is not dedicated as a public street, and

Whereas, The said order No. 1336 directs the opening of said Cross St. through the Golden Gate Park, and

Whereas, The said Golden Gate Park is a dedicated park, and

Whereas, The said Cross St. is not a necessary street for the purpose of opening communication between the Richmond District and the City proper, and

Whereas, The said Cross St. if opened through the said Golden Gate Park would cut off a large portion of the said park from the main body of the park, and would render the same useless for park purposes, and

Whereas, The said Cross St. if opened through the said Golden Gate Park would destroy the natural beauty of the said park, and would render the same useless for park purposes, and

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Resolution

Whereas, The said grant was made upon the express condition that Haight St. should be opened and graded from Stanyan St. to the Park, and

Whereas, Subsequently, to wit on the 18th day of October 1883, the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco passed an order entitled "Order No. 1336 to open and extend Cross St. from Stanyan St. to Arguello Blvd." which Order No. 1336 directs the opening of Cross St. from Stanyan St. to Arguello Blvd. through the Golden Gate Park, and

Whereas, The said Cross St. is not dedicated as a public street, and

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Whereas, The said Golden Gate Park is a dedicated park, and

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Whereas, The said Cross St. if opened through the said Golden Gate Park would destroy the natural beauty of the said park, and would render the same useless for park purposes, and

and occupied by said grantee, their successors, assigns, or their agents, shall have been performed and authorized to be done by and under the Board of Park Commissioners.

Provided also, that the road shall, where it crosses the Stanyan Entrance to the Park, be constructed and operated in due said manner by means of a tunnel, the width of which shall be as wide as the driveway, but not less than 25 feet therein.

And the grantee, Central, that the said grantees, or such persons as they may hire, choose or may cause to be so operated under the laws of the State of California, its successors and assigns shall and will be authorized to construct and operate the road hereby granted in such manner as may be prescribed by the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, and subject to all the conditions and restrictions in said Act.

Approved.

On motion of Commissioner Foley the following Resolution was offered.

Resolved, That the Board of Park Commissioners hereby grant unto the Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, its successors and assigns, the right to construct, maintain and operate a single railroad track for the passage of cars, carriages and other vehicles propelled by steam, electricity or other motive power, over and across the Park lands of the City and County of San Francisco, in the manner and upon the terms and conditions set forth in the petition of said Presidio and Ferries Railroad Company, dated the 1st day of March, 1893, and filed with the Secretary of this Board, and in accordance with the plan and profile of said road, filed with said petition, and subject to the following conditions, to wit:

First, That the location of said road shall be subject to the approval of the Park Superintendent, and that the same shall be constructed in such manner as he may direct, and that the grade of said road shall not exceed 6 per cent.

Second, That the said road shall be constructed and operated in such manner as not to interfere with the use of the Park roads by the public, and that the cars shall be run at such speed as may be prescribed by the Park Superintendent.

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Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Comrs. held this 1st day of Dec. A.D. 1853, were present.

Comr. F. W. Pixley (in the Chair)
" John Rosenfeld.
" Wm. D. Arndt.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes read and approved

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Bills

Bills to the amount of $2817.99 were examined and ordered paid. $2717.99 to be paid from the Park Improvement Fund. and $100 from the Private Subscription Fund.

Board adjourned
F. W. Pixley
Chy.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Comrs. held Dec. 1. 1853, were present.

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Special meeting

At a special & called meeting of the Golden State Park Commissioners held at the office of John Rosenfeld, corner of Pine & Sansome Street in the City of San Francisco, Monday Oct. 13th 1873 were present.

Comr H. Dr. Bailey
" John Rosenfeld
" Dan. McCloskey

Park & Ocean Railroad Company to construct road

On motion of Commissioner McCloskey seconded by Commissioner Rosenfeld for the purpose of correcting and filing forth with more specific enactment the intentions of the Commissioners toward the Park & Ocean Railroad Company defining the relations to the Golden Gate Park & prescribing the conditions for crossing said park be passed. Resolution was unanimously passed as follows to wit:

Whereas by order of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco passed Dec. 1st 1869 approved December 23rd 1869 authority was given to the right was granted to [illegible] Stanford Collis P. Huntington Charles Crocker [illegible] and such corporation as they may cause to be incorporated under the laws of the State of California, its successors and assigns to construct, lay down, maintain and operate for the term of 50 years from and after the passage of this order a single or double tracked steel railway with all the necessary and convenient sidetracks, turnouts and stations provided, the tracks shall be constructed within 10 feet of any sidewalk along the route, along and upon the following streets in the City and County of San Francisco, to wit;

Commencing on Stanyan Street at its intersection with Haight Street, thence along Stanyan Street to Waller Street, thence curving to the right through the North East corner of Block 729 to a point on the center line of N Street extended East through N Street along N. Street to the Great Highway, thence Westerly along the Great Highway to the intersection of [illegible] Avenue and [illegible] Avenue, thence along said [illegible] Avenue to a point in the center line of B Street, thence on diagonal to the Point Lobos private property to a point on B Street.

Provided that the foregoing grant is to such upon the express condition that so far as the said railroad [illegible] the limits of Golden Gate Park it shall not be authorized by said grantee, its successors or assigns, until they shall have been expressly authorized so to do by some Ordinance of the Board of Park Commissioners

Provided further, that the said right of way across the Park known as the Park Avenue shall be constructed under said Avenue by means of a tunnel to the extent of the width of said Avenue, to a distance of not less than 150 feet therein.

And Provided the said Park and Ocean Railroad Company a corporation duly organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, and [illegible] the center of all and singular the [illegible] rights and privileges granted and not [illegible] of the aforesaid [illegible] and ordinances.

And Whereas, said last named company has selected, marked out and indicated the line

of its road as proposed to be constructed under the aforesaid order and ordinances.

And Whereas, the construction of said railroad as proposed will not interfere with the use and enjoyment of said Park or the improvement of the same and will greatly conduce to the convenience of the public in the use and enjoyment of said Park.

Resolved that said Park and Ocean Railroad Company be and it is hereby authorized to construct, operate and maintain its railroad over, along and upon the route thereof as hereinbefore mentioned and this Board do and it does hereby lease, demise and de farm let unto said Park and Ocean Railroad Company so much of said Park as is and shall be covered by the route of the railroad of said Company, constructed, operated and maintained along, upon, and over the line of the route thereof as hereinbefore stated for the term of three years from the date thereof at an annual rental of $100.00 per year. It is understood and agreed by and between the Board of Park Commissioners and said Park and Ocean Railroad Company that when ever the railroad of said corporation crosses over or under any street now or hereafter to be constructed so it corporation shall at its own express and without charge to said Board of Park Commissioners construct such street bridge or viaduct as said Board of Park Commissioners may require and at such grade as will make the same form even and continuous streets. It is further understood and agreed by and between the Board of Park Commissioners and said Park and Ocean Railroad Company at its own proper cost and charge and without cost or charge to said Board of Park Commissioners shall erect and maintain at such point or points in said Park as said Board of Park Commissioners may designate waiting rooms of such dimensions and form of construction and of such ornamental design as shall be planned by the Park Commissioners and also at its own proper cost and expense and without cost or charge to said Board of Park Commissioners, provide and construct an ornamental entrance way to the grounds of said Park of such width and at such point as said Board of Park Commissioners shall indicate.

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Office of Commissioners Reynolds, Ga. Jan. 13th 1873. there present.

Comr. Riley (in the Chair)
Comr. Mayfield.
Comr. Drew the Clerk.

Squatters on Park property

A Petition was presented to the Board by various persons living at the head of Hardman's Creek, the center of a dam across which has been put down by Con Mooney. Of which dam-age is complained by Otis Cox, Benjamin Gilbert and others, praying that the said dam may be removed, and that the Board cause such to be done, as to them may seem proper.

Whereupon it is ordered that the Petition be received and filed, and that a special meeting of the Board be held on the 25th day of January 1873. at 10 o'clock A.M. at which time the Petitioners and others interested may appear before the Board and be heard touching the matters set forth in said Petition, and that the Clerk of this Board cause a copy of this order to be published in the Reynolds Banner, a newspaper published in Taylor County, Ga. for four weeks previous to the said 25th day of January 1873. at which time the Petitioners and others interested may appear before the Board and be heard touching the matters set forth in said Petition, all of which is ordered and done.

Ordered that Con. Mooney be notified of the pendency of said Petition, and that he be restrained from building any more dams across the Creek, until the further order of the Board.

Ordered that the Petitioners be allowed to file their affidavits in support of their Petition

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 2, 1884 were present

Comr. J. P. Foley, (in the chair)
Comr. John Reddington.
Comr. Wm. H. Orrell

The following business was transacted.

Minutes approved

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved.

Bills

Bills to the amount of $2978.31 were examined and ordered paid. $1978.31 to be paid from the Park Improvement Fund and $1000 to be paid from the Parks Protection Fund.

Board adjourned

P. J. Koch.
Secty

Entered with the City and County Treasurer Dec 2 1883
Per Order Parks fund.

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Special Meeting

A special and called meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at the office of Commissioner John Reddington, corner of Fell and Baker sts January 11th. 1884. were present

Comr. J. P. Foley, (in the chair)
" John Reddington.
" Wm. H. Orrell.

The following business was transacted.

Supervisors Park Hearing

Comr. Foley reported that he had consulted with Messrs Harrison & Page in regard to the petition to compel the Park Commissioners to grant the following portion of Point Harrison as agreed to by Supervisors upon the Park Hearing.

San Francisco Dec 29 1883

Board of Park Commissioners
of the City & County of San Francisco
Gentlemen

In your communication of the 22nd inst. I reply
1st The United States has no objection to any part of the land back of the Western San front of the City and County of San Francisco.
2d The State of California by virtue of its sovereignty as a State, has the control of title to land below the line of the ordinary high water
3d The Board of Supervisors of San Francisco, having the rights as a private owner of the land below the line of ordinary high water, by virtue of the Act of the State of March 1, 1868 as shown by the Act, and the Act amended by Act of Legislature of the State of March 1, 1868 a copy of which was referred to the City by Board of Supervisors, was duly executed. Said Act was passed at Rock and contained, Deed of grant of land below the line of ordinary high water, with a width of not less than one hundred feet, to the Supervisors for San Francisco County. That reservation was within the Pueblo

of the City under the trust mentioned and as of the undedicated property. From the moment of the passage of the conformatory Act of March 27, 1868 the strip of land mentioned, became and still remains a public street of this City. By the Act to Provide a Map that street was named the "Great Highway".

4. Without in any way affecting the question between the City, adjoining the Great Highway on the East and all private ownerships and the Pacific Ocean there is no dereliction, above or below high water mark upon to private claims or settlements, or capable of private occupation or ownership.

5. The State of California and the City and County have a right to open part of the Great Highway over property reserved to the City of San Francisco. The State, as the sovereign municipality has power under the Constitution and laws of the State, and the Board of Park Commissioners, are empowered under the use for recreation of Golden Gate Park over the Great Highway for the general purposes of said Park mentioned in the Act of Public Parks, and to keep the Great Highway open to the public, except as hereinafter provided for. Nothing in this Act shall be construed to prevent the City and County of San Francisco from exercising its police power, as to the Great Highway, or any portion thereof, as provided for in the Charter of said City and County, through the Board of Police Commissioners, or any other department of the City and County, or from the exercise of such police power as is not mentioned. Nothing in this Act shall operate to prevent the City and County of San Francisco from exercising its police power, such as for the protection of the sewerage system, and of property belonging to the City and County, or to prevent the Board of Police Commissioners, or any other department of the City and County, from exercising its police power, as to the Great Highway, or any portion thereof, as to the public peace, health, and safety of the inhabitants of the City and County of San Francisco, and the right to suppress nuisances and obstructions of whatever kind. I believe

municipal sovereignty of the State for special purposes and within a limited portion. It legal right to make the Board of Park Commissioners, as an department of the City Government?

It follows, therefore, that all laws & ordinances of the Board may, upon request of the Board be enforced by the officers of the City, as in matters of their ordinances may be prosecuted by the City Courts.

That the authority of the Board over the Park and adjacent is not exclusive, to the extent of keeping out the operations over those grounds & lands of the State and especially of the City for public purposes and not inconsistent to any lawful ordinance of the Board. Nevertheless, the Board may request the Police Force of the City to enforce any ordinance of the municipality properly applicable to the use, care or police and legislations governing public streets, highways and squares. Under the pressure of the necessities for open the Park's residents of water in the Park to keep all State highways free of obstruction, and that of the most squares pile from obstruction, and that of the most at your request immediately remove from the Great Highway any obstructions after

For obstructions above the rock below the ordinary high water mark, you must notify to the Park Commissioners, and if the latter shall not after a proper notice, remove the same, you may remove the same, and if any person shall resist such removal, you may arrest such person and bring him before the Police Court of the City and County of San Francisco, to be dealt with according to law.

Should any of these questions arise, you will please refer them to me, that I may be enabled to give you my opinion thereon.

Yours truly,

H. H. Haven

Esq.
City Attorney

that ordinance were immediately passed.

Whereas, The Park Commissioners, deeming the danger necessary to the regulation and government of Golden Gate and Buena Vista Parks and avenues leading thereto, the Great Highway, Mountain Lake Park, Lake Merced, and such other State parks or public places as are placed under the jurisdiction and control of said Park Commissioners by and in pursuance of the "Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to establish the State Government of the State of California,' approved April 19, 1870." "An Act to provide for the public government of the City and County of San Francisco," approved March 11, 1872" "An Act to amend the jurisdiction of the Park Commissioners over certain highways in the City and County of San Francisco," approved March 11, 1872, and all Acts and statutes thereof, and amendatory thereof, and supplemental thereto, and all ordinances and regulations now in force and effect, and not inconsistent with the following, namely:

— Ordinance No. —

Golden Gate Buena Vista Park Ed avenues leading thereto, the Great Highway, Mountain Lake Park, Lake Merced and such other streets parks & places as are placed under the jurisdiction & control of the State Commissioners

Sec. 1. No person [illegible] the exception of [illegible] Sec. 2. All the gates of the said Golden State Park [illegible] Sec. 3. [illegible]

Sec. 4. All persons or persons or vehicles using any portion of the ground, or avenues, or roads or sidewalks of said Golden State Park, who after a notice given from the Chief of said Park to remove therefrom, shall fail or neglect to move therefrom without further warning or receipt of such notice, shall be fined according to law, or Offending against an order of the Board.

Sec. 5. No person or persons shall hunt, fish, place, set, have or keep, or cause to be hunted, fished, placed, set, had or kept any gin, trap, building, enclosure or fishpond, or do anything unnatural or necessary to the use of either of said parks, roads, highways, streets or places, or nuisance to the same, or obstruct the same or any part of said parks, roads, highways, streets or places in any manner whatever, or injure the lands, buildings, or improvements thereof.

By reason of the duties of the Superintendent of Golden State Park and of the Inspectors of Streets, Highways and Squares of the City and County of San Francisco, it shall and may be lawful for them, and each of them, and they are hereby required to arrest the above named offenders and persons and all persons building and erecting fences and buildings and placing signs or using or making obstructions or nuisances of any kind upon, or in front of said parks, roads, highways, streets or places as provided by law, and to take and keep in custody the materials and implements used in

Spitters

Dumping wagons banned

carrying on, if not carrying employed and actually in carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil or other articles by common or trade, shall be allowed to travel upon the drives of the said Avenues for any other purposes than to cross same at the regular street intersections, nor upon any of the drives of the said Park, except such roads, traverse tracks, paths or ways as may hereafter be provided for such use.

Sec. 6. All persons or persons shall have, keep, or cause to be kept, or cause to be hunted, fished, placed, carried, had or kept upon the grounds, buildings, enclosures or fishponds, or do anything unnatural or unnecessary to the use of either of said parks, roads, highways, streets or places, or nuisance to the same, or obstruct the same or any part of said parks, roads, highways, streets or places in any manner whatever, or injure the lands, buildings or improvements thereof.

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or obstructions appear to the officers overseeing them to be of any nuisance they may be removed to such point as shall be designated by the Park Commissioners or the Mayor of said City and County

Persons entering Park Commissioners grounds liable

Sec 6 If any persons shall injure any part of any portion of said park, avenue, highway street or place, or cut or fell or injure or remove any articles there whatever without the written license and consent thereto of the Park Commissioners

Violations of Rules & Regulations

Sec 7 Every person or persons who shall violate any regulations or ordinances shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof before any police or municipal court or justice of the peace shall be punished as provided

Sec 8 The Board of Supervisors shall take effect and be in force twenty days after its passage but the provisions of Section 6 hereof shall not be published for the space of thirty days. Provisions accepted as to the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, hereby elected for that purpose [illegible]

On motion of Supervisor Brickell, seconded by Supervisor Dwyer, the following amendments were unanimously adopted:

Amend Section 1 of the Supervisors District of Precinct, a portion of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, as said District is now established by Ordinance No. [illegible] and all that portion of said Precinct lying [illegible] Avenue and Lake Street, and

said Superintendent be, and he hereby is directed and required to summarily remove the said trees, buildings and all other obstructions now on and maintained upon the said Great Highway.

On motion of Supervisor McGlynn seconded by Supervisor Dalrymple it was unanimously ordered that the Commissioners be prohibited from granting any franchises or privileges to any person or persons over the Park or Great Highway until the jurisdiction and power of the Commissioners is finally and fully judicially determined.

On motion of Supervisor Kelly, seconded by Supervisor McGlynn, the Commissioners then adjourned subject to the call of the President.

W. H. Stark
Secretary

Special Meeting re Injunction

A special and public meeting of the Board of Fire Commissioners was held at the office of Chief Engineer Sullivan, January 29th, 1866, at 12 M. for the purpose of considering the communication of D. Harris & Co. Engineers, offering to serve to the Board of Engineers upon the Steel Ram, asking for speedy action in the matter, as it will enable him to give them an early opportunity of asserting their rights under the law.

Present: Commissioners Reynolds, Blake and Scott.
Chief Engineer Sullivan.
Assistant Engineer Merritt.

The communication of D. Harris & Co. having been read, on motion it was ordered that the Secretary notify the Chief Engineer to report to the Board at its next regular meeting the cost per ton of the Steel Ram belonging to D. Harris & Co.

Board of Fire Commissioners,
San Francisco, January 29th, 1866.

to the law. It proposes that at the next general meeting of the Board, any one of the Engineers shall be allowed to discuss the duty to which they have been assigned, and be speedily relieved if he feels that he is unable to perform the duties of the position.

Very truly,
Jos. Scott, Secretary
Henry C. Hayes

To the Engineers and Commissioners
of the Fire Department
San Francisco

Board of Fire Commissioners
San Francisco, Cal. January 30th 1866

To
Henry C. Hayes, Esq.
No. 521 Clay Street
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

County of San Francisco be specially for the Records of the Commissioners

Office of the Board of Commissioners
Yellow State Road Lodge
San Francisco, July 21, 1858.

To the Co. Pa. Board of Supervisors }
of the City & County of San Francisco }
San Francisco }

Gentlemen:

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on the 20th inst. the following order was passed, which order is the

Re-appointment of Commissioners

Ordered that the Secretary of this Board be instructed to notify the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco that the term of office of the present Commissioners will expire on the 31st inst. and that the Commissioners desire a re-appointment.

Upon the application of the Park Commissioners for a grant of land, known as the Public Square, situated between the Mission Road and the Ocean Beach, and bounded on the North by the Old Mission Road, on the East by the Mission Road, on the South by the Ocean Beach, and on the West by the Ocean Beach, and containing about 160 acres, more or less, for the purpose of a Park, and for the erection thereon of a Public Building, and for the purpose of a Cemetery, and for the purpose of a Public Square, and for the purpose of a Public Square, and for the purpose of a Public Square

ing the Board of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park
ask your favorable consideration. We ask permission to
address you further upon this subject, and respectfully
request such action as will give us the control
by your Honorable Body as well over the Streets
of Private property within the City and County as Park-
ways. We ask the Co-operation of the Collector, the Superintendent
of Streets, Highways, especially of the Chief of
Police in the performance of this duty under his authority.

By order of the Board of Park Commissioners
Frank McCoppin
President

W. F. Reed
Secretary
San Francisco, January 20th 1871

At a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Francisco held at the Office of said Board of Supervisors
in said City and County on the 23rd day of January
A.D. 1871 present Supervisors Brickell, Dwyer, Kelly, Mullany, Pond, Shafter
and Wetherbee, the following Order was passed
to wit:

Ordered, That the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco
hereby approve the action of the Board of Park Commissioners in the matter of
the encroachments upon the Golden Gate Park, and that the Attorney
of this Board be and he is hereby directed to take such steps as may be necessary
to protect the rights of the City and County of San Francisco in the premises.

Ordered, That the Clerk of this Board be and he is hereby directed to transmit
forthwith to the Board of Park Commissioners a certified copy of this Order.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Order was passed by the Board of Supervisors
of the City and County of San Francisco at a regular meeting thereof held on the
23rd day of January A.D. 1871.

Attest: W. J. Adams
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Major W. A. Jones Engaged to survey Park Highways

Comm. Mc. Dowell, Dept. V. U. S. A. Chief of Engineers of the U. S. Army, Headquarters Division of the Pacific, San Francisco, Cal.

Dept. No. 1
Office of the Chief Engineer
Dept. of the Columbia
Portland, Oregon

Headquarters of the Department of the Columbia
Chief Engineer's Office
Portland, Oregon, January 23rd 1871

Major W. A. Jones, Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army,
San Francisco, California.

Sir:

I have the honor to enclose herewith a letter from the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, dated January 20th 1871, and a copy of a resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco, dated January 23rd 1871, relative to the encroachments upon the Golden Gate Park, and to request that you will confer with the Board of Park Commissioners and the Board of Supervisors in relation to the matter, and report to me your opinion as to the steps necessary to be taken to protect the rights of the United States in the premises.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
R. S. Williamson
Major of Engineers
Chief Engineer, Dept. of the Columbia

Major W. A. Jones
Corps of Engineers
U. S. Army

the city Streets. Furthermore it has recently been discovered on the ground by Mr Campbell acting under the instructions of the Surveyor General that a wall shown on the north side of this field work and also the location of the remaining outlines of the Great Enclosure. That wall could have been subsequently built on the position of the Circle and it was thought best not to open that question by tracing for the purpose of obtaining Mr Jeffery's way to meet side of the boundaries of the Great Enclosure.

On the north a straight through Section Line running thence N. 45.35 E from the Prospect Mound a distance of 1863 feet to the Section corner between Sections 6 & 7 T 16 N R 3 E and 31 & 32 T 17 N R 3 E from which a Pecan tree 12 inches in diameter bears N. 45 E 2 links distant, and a Pecan tree 12 inches in diameter bears S. 45 W 2 links distant, the section line running N. 45 E and S. 45 W.

On the East side a straight line running N. 45 W from the Section corner between Sections 6 & 7 T 16 N R 3 E and 31 & 32 T 17 N R 3 E from which a Pecan tree 12 inches in diameter bears N. 45 E 2 links distant, and a Pecan tree 12 inches in diameter bears S. 45 W 2 links distant, the section line running N. 45 E and S. 45 W.

[Act of Congress of March 3 1857 - 11 Stat. at Large 251 - and Act of June 21 1860 - 12 Stat. at Large 337 - and Act of July 2 1862 - 12 Stat. at Large 503 - and Act of March 3 1863 - 12 Stat. at Large 796 - and Act of July 1 1864 - 13 Stat. at Large 338 - and Act of July 2 1864 - 13 Stat. at Large 356 - and Act of March 3 1865 - 13 Stat. at Large 541 - and Act of July 26 1866 - 14 Stat. at Large 289 - and Act of July 27 1866 - 14 Stat. at Large 292 - and Act of March 2 1867 - 14 Stat. at Large 541 - and Act of March 2 1867 - 15 Stat. at Large 1 - and Act of March 3 1869 - 15 Stat. at Large 337 - and Act of March 3 1869 - 16 Stat. at Large 11 - and Act of July 15 1870 - 16 Stat. at Large 291 - and Act of July 15 1870 - 16 Stat. at Large 304 - and Act of July 15 1870 - 16 Stat. at Large 305 - and Act of July 15 1870 - 16 Stat. at Large 306 - and Act of July 15 1870 - 16 Stat. at Large

San Francisco, California, January 29, 1866.

Dear Sir

Journal of Ct. Ct.
vs. The Board. Park Comrs.

Question of Equality of Taxation

It is ordered and decreed that the Chairman of the Board of Park Commissioners do communicate to the Chairman of the Board of the Park that the Thursday January be devoted to all sufficient labor for a boulevard on all streets upon the West Highway and that the Chairman be authorized to request the Chief of Police to furnish such force as may be deemed sufficient to protect the laborers on the said day.

Powers of Park Commissioners

And it is further ordered and decreed by the Court that the Board of Park Commissioners be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to cause to be opened and laid out such streets and highways as may be necessary to connect the Park with the public roads and streets in the vicinity thereof.

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Valentine P. Davis
Chancellor

FEB. 1884 -
FEB. 1896
incl.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Feb. 1. 1864, were present:

Comr. D. D. Bixby, (in the chair)
" John Rossfield.
" Isaac D. Caudle

The following business was transacted:

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

re bills

Bills to the amount of $ 282.07 were examined and ordered paid. $ 209.07 from the Park Improvement Fund, and $ 113.00 from the Private Subscription Fund.

The Board then adjourned.

D D Bixby
Secretary

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held March 4 1884 were present:

Com'rs. P. M. Pixley (in the Chair)
" Irwin Mc. Donell.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $243.33 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

Re-bills

The Board then adjourned.

P. M. Pixley
Sec'y.

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held March 24th 1884, at the office of Com'r. John Rosenfeld. were present;

Com'rs. P. M. Pixley. (in the Chair)
" John Rosenfeld.
" Irwin Mc. Donell.

Minutes Approved

The reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with.

Furnaces

On motion of Com'r. Rosenfeld seconded by Com'r. Pixley the Communication of Mr. Parrott in reference to new furnaces for the Conservatory, with estimates of their cost, etc was referred to Com'r. Mc. Donell, to investigate the same, and with power to act in the premises.

On motion of Com'r. Rosenfeld seconded by Com'r. Mc. Donell, the Board then adjourned.

Edward P. Hall
Sec'y.

Special Meeting

A special called meeting of the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park held on March 25th 1871 at the office of Commissioner John Rosenfeld on the City of San Francisco.

Present:

Com'r. J. P. Ridley.
" John Rosenfeld.
" Thos. A. McGavill.

On motion of Commissioner Rosenfeld seconded by Commissioner McGavill the following resolution in reference to supplying Golden Gate Park with water was duly passed according to the vote of all the Commissioners.

Resolved. That the Spring Valley Water Works Co. are hereby requested or authorized to lay pipes for the distribution of water in and through Golden Gate Park in and along such lines as shall be from time to time necessary and convenient, the said lines shall be designated by the Superintendent of the Park & the direction of the Park Commissioners, and the said corporation is hereby entitled to all & every right & privilege to lay the said mains & pipes aforesaid. But in laying said pipes along and across the roads & ways of said Park the said Water Co. shall be bound to put them in as good condition & order as prior to laying the said pipes.

Commissioner McGavill moved that the word "requested" be stricken out & the word "authorized" be inserted in its place & that the word "permitted." This amendment was duly seconded by Commissioner Rosenfeld the resolution was declared as passed as amended.

The Secretary was authorized to serve the Spring Valley Water Co. a properly certified copy of the Resolution as passed.

There being no other business the meeting adjourned

Regular Meeting

A regular meeting of the Board of Golden Gate Park Commissioners held April 6th 1871 were present.

Com'r. J. P. Ridley (Chairman)
" John Rosenfeld.

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to be allowed

Bills to the amount of $2890.60 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

$2890.60

The Board then adjourned.

J. P. Ridley
President

Attest
Secty

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held May 4 1881 were present:

Com's. J. M. Bixby (on the chair)
" Wm. McCarroll.

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

re-bills

Bill to the amount of $209.25 was examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.
Viz: as $33.50 Bill No. 30.
$175.75 Bill No. 31.

To Board Time expired.

J. M. Bixby
Ch

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on the 9, 1881 were present,

Com's. Bixby in the chair.
" McCarroll.
" Ellis.

Minutes approved

Reading of the previous meeting was dispensed with and approved.

re bills

Bill to the amount of $209.25 was examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.
Viz:
$33.50 Bill No. 30 Com's $175.75

To Board Time expired.

J. M. Bixby
Ch

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Road Commissioners held June 3rd 1911 were present:

Comr. T. P. Perley.
" Jos. Rose Jr.

Minutes approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to amount of $ 30.50 were presented and ordered paid out of the Road Supervisors Fund Viz. # 119.08. Total $ 149.58

Jos. Rose Jr. absent

T. P. Perley
Clk.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Board of Road Commissioners held July 11th 1911 were present.

Comr. T. P. Perley (in the Chair)
" C. Fessenden
" C. F. O'Neil

Comr. Perley stated the object of the meeting to be the laying out of a Highway in the [illegible] County of the Town of [illegible] as petitioned for by [illegible] and others and after a full hearing of the parties interested it was decided to lay out the same as petitioned for.

[illegible]

official
T. C.

of Engineers, U.S. Army, in relation to the
Water Supply of the City and County of San Francisco, and
to submit my report thereon.

San Francisco, California, January 12, 1912.

Major M. M. Macomb,
Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army,
Chief Engineer, Oakland Office,
San Francisco, Cal.

Dear Sir:

In reply to your letter of the 10th inst., in which you request me to report to you and to the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors, upon the water supply of San Francisco, I have the honor to submit the following report:

In accordance with the provisions of the River and Harbor Act approved March 4, 1911, I was appointed a member of a Board of Engineers, consisting of myself and Major William H. Bixby, Corps of Engineers, U.S. Army, and Mr. John R. Freeman, Civil Engineer, of Providence, Rhode Island, to examine and report upon the practicability and advisability of making certain improvements in the Harbor of San Francisco, California, by the construction of a sea wall, and to report upon the water supply of the City and County of San Francisco, California, and the best method of developing and increasing the same.

The Board met in San Francisco on April 3, 1911, and organized by the election of Major Bixby as President and myself as Secretary. The Board then proceeded to examine the harbor and the water supply of San Francisco, and to hear the views of the various interests concerned in the improvement of the harbor and in the development of the water supply. The Board also visited the Spring Valley Water Company's reservoirs and other works in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and the Company's pumping plant on the Stanislaus River, and inspected the Company's distributing reservoirs and pumping stations in San Francisco. The Board also visited the Hetch Hetchy Valley, in the Sierra Nevada Mountains, and the Alameda Creek watershed, in Alameda County, which are the sources of the proposed municipal water supply. The Board also visited the Calaveras Valley, in Alameda County, which is the source of the proposed Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Sunol Valley, in Alameda County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Crystal Springs Lakes, in San Mateo County, which are the sources of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Lake Merced district, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Golden Gate Park, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Presidio, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Mason, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Point, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Winfield Scott, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Baker, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Cronkhite, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Barry, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Scott, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Mason, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Point, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Winfield Scott, in San Francisco, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Baker, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Cronkhite, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply. The Board also visited the Fort Barry, in Marin County, which is the source of the Spring Valley Water Company's supply.

A sea wall has been built on the eastern and another on the western part of the water front of San Francisco. Both of these sea walls are built of rock and are intended to protect the water front from the action of the waves. The sea wall on the eastern part of the water front is built of rock and is intended to protect the water front from the action of the waves. The sea wall on the western part of the water front is built of rock and is

Estimate

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Cost of flume.

Park.

Pipes

City of Rio

Resolved that a plant for pumping and first class distributing works complete in all respects adequate to supply Stow Lake and Parkside with all necessary water, by pumping from a well to be located in the vicinity of the Lake, and of such character and expensiveness as to be approved by the Board, and that the Secretary be instructed to give notice to any claimant of land, and to any other person or persons whom it may concern, that the Board will on the 15th day of March 1887 at 2 o'clock P.M. at the office of the Board in the City Hall, proceed to ascertain the value of any land, and the damages, if any, that may be sustained by any person or persons by reason of the taking of such land for the purposes of said plant, and that all persons interested may then and there present their claims for such damages, and that the Board will then and there hear and consider the same, and that the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to cause notice of the time and place of such hearing to be published for ten days in the Daily Evening Bulletin, a newspaper published in the City and County of San Francisco, and that the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to cause notice of the time and place of such hearing to be posted in three public places in the Park, and that the Secretary be and he is hereby directed to cause notice of the time and place of such hearing to be served upon the owners of the land to be taken, or upon their agents, if they have any, or upon the persons in possession of the land to be taken, if there be any, by delivering to each of such persons a copy of such notice, or by leaving a copy of such notice at the residence of each of such persons, if there be any, with some person of suitable age and discretion residing thereon, at least ten days before the day appointed for such hearing.

Estimate for month of the pumping Plant for pumping Park
Coal required for operating engines during night $150.00
Oil, waste 12.00
Repairs 100.00
Cost of labor at $ 4.00 per day 95.33
Interest & sinking fund charges for pumping plant for
Interest & sinking fund charges $ 87.50
Interest for 10 years 450.00
Total cost for 15,000,000 gallons.
Cost per million gallons.

Cost of pumping plant to be estimated to receive 15,000,000 gallons per day for 10 years and further to be built less than 2 cents per gallon per day to 15,000,000 gallons per day

Pipes to be laid not less than 12 inches in diameter

Plans to be prepared and submitted to the Board

Park. Board of

Pleas

Adjourned special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 21. 1881 to consider an answer to a communication from the Board of Supervisors dated July 5. 1881 were present.

Comr Rosenfeld.
" Mc Farnell.
Absent. Comr Perley.

The meeting being called to order by Comr. Rosenfeld a letter to the Board of Supervisors was duly considered signed by the members present, when the Board adjourned.

expense would be less than half the sum now paid the water company for less than half the present supply.

Effect on tax rate of running the Wells.

Assuming the operation of an independent water supply the Board of Park Commissioners need not ask to levy, for their general purposes neither would there be required that wells be run for the full period they are established. A saving of [illegible] from them will be the result. [illegible] and they should be run the whole year.

Manner of Operating

[illegible] the Board think it should be [illegible] but only established after [illegible] of information. A Duty Sheet [illegible] of fuel. That one [illegible] should [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] to the [illegible] Duty [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board held Septr 7th 1914 were present

Comrs. J. D. Riley (in the Chair).
" J. Rossfeld.
" D. McCaull.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes Approved

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $ 307.67 were examined and ordered paid. Vouchers for Salaries and $ 60.67 for Bills.

Bills Ordered

The Board then adjourned.

C. A. Block
Secty.

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Road Comrs. held Sept. 9th 1914 at the office of Chas. Rossfeld were present.

Comrs. J. D. Riley (in the Chair)
" J. Rossfeld.
" D. McCaull.

Comr. D. McCaull submitted to the Board a letter he had received from the Engrs of Sanitary, dated Aug 20th 1914 and one from the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the same date, each referring to the cost of water for the establishing of a system of water works for the Elkton Rifle Park.

On motion of Comr. D. McCaull, the following letters were ordered by the President of the Board to be sent to each.

[illegible]

Commissioners Mr Brooks to produce Vouchers Next

Regular Meeting

Employment for Poor as Engineer

Harrisburg Sept 5. 34.

C. H. Chapman
Comm'r for Virginia

Dear Sir

Your favor of Aug 27 34 offering for a position
on the Engineer Corps Rail Road to the Board
of Pub Commissioners, was handed by them to say
they regret their inability to avail themselves of his services

I am
Your respectfully
C. L. Dale
Sec'y

Harrisburg Sept. 5. 34

J. D. Anderson Esq
Comm'r for Virginia

Sir

Your favor of Aug 27 34 offering for position of
Engineer on the Rail Road to the Board of Pub
Commissioners, was duly handed by them to say
they regret their inability to avail themselves
of your services

I am
Your respectfully
C. L. Dale
Sec'y

Harrisburg Sept 5 34

A. K. Morgan Esq
Comm'r for Va

Sir

Your favor of Sept 2 34 offering your services
as Engineer on the Rail Road lately contracted for by the Board
of Pub Commissioners, was duly handed by them
to say they regret their inability to avail themselves
of your services

I am
Your respectfully
C. L. Dale
Sec'y

Board of Park Commissioners.
San Francisco, Cal. Sept 15, 1914.
12 M.

The Board met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Com. Howard
" O'Brien
Com. Roth.

Com. Howard moved to adopt Com. Mitchell's motion to proceed to "change" and to proceed to the Auditorium with the Park Commissioners of San Francisco with the Park Commissioners of Oakland, transferred to the Commissioners of Oakland, that the Board of Park Commissioners of San Francisco authorize and direct the Secretary to write a letter to the Park Commissioners of Oakland, stating that the Board of Park Commissioners of San Francisco has no objection to the Park Commissioners of Oakland entering into a contract with the Spring Valley Water Company for the purchase of water for the Golden Gate Park, provided that the Park Commissioners of Oakland shall not have the right to divert water from the Pilarcitos Lake, Crystal Springs Lake, San Andreas Lake, or any of the streams flowing into said lakes, and

for to the City and as I have been informed the fragment is used on the extent of grounds and roads to be irrigated. Has whether they are so or not.

The note of roads and grounds was as I am told - data furnished by two persons, one representing the City and the other representing the Spring Valley Water Works. No records of this matter is to be found in the Park office but the Superintendent of the Park has obtained the following information from the city records

For this payment for water.	$ 1.101.83
Roadway (in extent 114,117 square yards)	514.91
Lawns.	$ 586.91

If more water appears to be used under water for a longer period for a few days the quantity now actually used could be readily and accurately known. If this is not practicable the Park can account kept for a week, or more if the number of days of the water wagons and the capacity; and for the same time, the exact [illegible] ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ...

Supt. Parks instructed to employ Mr. Alfred Pöök

of Park Commissioners Mr. Alfred Pöök has been appointed Engineer & Surveyor at a salary of $250.00 per month above all his time to be at the rate of $250.00 a month for part only of a day. He will commence work next Monday the 15th inst. and be the first month at the rate of $250.00 a month. Thereafter as the Board shall determine.

Resolution re Mr. Pöök's Salary

On the Committee appointed by the Board, I have given instructions to Mr. Pöök to make certain surveys and plans, a statement of which will be on file. He will rent an office for his use & I am instructed to say please give him the one south of the building.

Please give him all the facilities in the way of such materials as may have at their disposal. Keeping a separate account of the work done, material used, & amount of the Water Rents

Very respectfully Yours

Yours &c. [illegible]

Chairman Board Park Comrs.

Clerk of Board of Park Comrs. [illegible]

Copy of the foregoing report to Comrs. [illegible] the same was received & read and the day [illegible]

[illegible]

Clerk

Regular Meeting

Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 22, 1854 was present.

Comr. J. H. Riley (in the chair)
" P. Brophy.
" A. D. Oberly.

The following business was transacted.

Comr. D. Oberly submitted the following reports of the Park Engineer, which were read and ordered to be placed on file.

Engineer's Office, Prospect Park
September 21st, 1854.

To
Alfred D. Oberly, Park Commissioner
(Committee of Park Commissioners)

Dear Sir.

In accordance to your request of you letter of instructions dated Sept. 15th 1854 which requests my report by you Committee Board of Park Commissioners, the State of this Department, I will report the following:

1st. To determine the quantity of water at present needed for the Park by Water measurement, checked by such data as can be had of water used by water carts for sprinkling roads, lawns &c. &c. in the Spring Park.

2nd. To determine if the water will be used for [illegible] and if so, the best plan to supply the same.

3rd. To make a profile of main drains & gas pipe to Park, & necessary information of the relative of points to supply from proposed reservoir & water mains.

4th. To make a careful examination of Gowanus Valley, & to prepare a preliminary report of the general outline of suitable plans for the reclamation of the same.

5th. To make the necessary surveys for the location of the [illegible] Park Entrance, also a description of the [illegible] Park Entrance &c. &c. of proposed roadways.

6th. To make a plan of the Park & surrounding [illegible] showing the situation of the [illegible] & connected by carefully examining the ground and

making myself familiar with the details of the matters on hand, and ascertaining that the first thing to be done was to find out what was the actual amount of water that could be had on the premises viz: from the existing 12 inch artesian well, and from the present and wells I searched the records on file in the office concerning the wells, but could find nothing further than that Robert Delaney bored the well in 1877 and that it was found at a depth of (one hundred) feet and that it was according to that depth

Mr Keith, who superintended the pipe laying informed me that the well was to be bored with for a depth of 150 feet, but that before the work of pipe laying was finished it was found that the depth below surface was 130 feet, from 134 ft. of 12 inch. 40 feet of the well was to be bored with the hope of finding another vein of water. Information received after the principal part of my inspections had been made for the setting up of steam pumps to test the capacity of the well (130 feet below surface) with the following results, which I have to say were as follows:

	Depth of Well	Diameter of Well	Diameter of Pump	Stroke of Pump	Capacity per hour in Gallons	Capacity per hour running	Cost of Pumping	Remarks
[illegible]	200	12	1	24	8,000	$1 25/100	$300	
[illegible]	130	12	1	30	3,000	$1 25/100	$125	
[illegible]	130	12	8 1/2	30	10,000	6 1/2 c per 1000	$333	Pumping by Steam
[illegible]	130	1	1	20	6,240	3 1/2 c per 1000	$156	Pumping by William Wright
[illegible]	200	12	[illegible]	[illegible]	30,000		$300	" " "

[illegible] ... [illegible] ... [illegible] ... [

hopes, gates &c., which will give some idea as to margin left for extra water supply.

In addition to the cost of pumping a test of present will it will be necessary to furnish about 850 feet of 4 inch pipe for discharge of water, that from its location the water pumped will not filter back through the sand into the well thereby making an unfair test. This will not be an unnecessary outlay as the pipe will be taken up and used elsewhere in the water system if necessary.

Upon receipt of your reply I will have more definite figures to you to visit and basis of being a report to (if necessary).

Yours respectfully.

Hiram Scott.
Park Engineer.

[illegible]

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 1, 1911 were present.

Comm'r F. W. Riley (in the chair)
" J. Kirchfield.
" J. W. C. Powell.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to be paid to $5328.11 were read and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

13 Cr. $628.01 Balance $3300.43

The Board then adjourned.

J. P. Black.
Secy.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 6th 1884 there present

Comr. T. M. Foley (in the Chair)
" J. Brownfield
" J. D. O'Neill

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Comr. D. O'Neill then submitted a report of the Park Engineer dated Oct. 6 1884 which was read and placed on file.

A communication from Thos. Mc Evoy dated Oct. 1 1884 was read and referred to Comr. D. O'Neill.

A communication from Jas. Brownfield was read and referred to Comr. D. O'Neill.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 13th 1884 there present

Comr. T. M. Foley (in the Chair)
" J. Brownfield
" J. D. O'Neill

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Comr. D. O'Neill then submitted a report of the Park Engineer dated Oct. 13. 1884 which was read and placed on file

Upon motion of the Board the Secretary was requested to write to the owners of the house on Division Street giving all the papers relating thereto to the next meeting

The Board then adjourned till Monday the 20th inst. at 12 M.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 20th 1884. were present

Comr. J. W. Dickey (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" A. McCaull

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Casino Lease

On motion of Com'r. Rosenfeld the lease of the Casino was ordered to be issued to the same party for the further term of 5 years, under the same conditions.

Water Supply

Comr. Dickey then presented a report of the Park Engineer dated Oct. 20th 1884. in regard to the Great Highway which was read and ordered placed on file.

Com'r McCaull then presented a report of the Park Engineer dated Oct 20th 1884. in regard to the progress of the Water Works which was read and ordered placed on file.

Cattle

On motion of Com'r Rosenfeld the Board adjourned until Monday Oct 27th 1884 at 10 o'clock A.M.

J. J. Hyde.
Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 27th 1884 were present

Comr. J. W. Dickey (in the chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" A. McCaull

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Comr McCaull submitted a report of the Park Engineer dated Oct. 27th 1884 in regard to the progress of the Water Works in which he had entered into a contract with the the San Francisco Tub Company which report was read and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com'r Rosenfeld it was resolved That the communication presented from H. H. Haywood, Manager of the Pelissier Painting Works of the date Oct. 23. 1884 is not accepted and the Secretary is authorized to inform him.

The communication was ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com'r McCaull it was ordered that to prevent the encroachment of stray cattle upon the Park Grounds, the Park Engineer in charge may impound the same and shall be entitled to have the fees and collections therefrom for their own use.

The Board adjourned till Monday Nov 3d 1884 at 10 AM.

J. J. Hyde.
Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov. 1. 1881 were present:

Comr. T. M. Perley. (in the Chair.)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" D. Pratt Dowell.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Payments — Bills to the amount of $ 4055.32 were examined and ordered paid. $ 784.67 for Bills and $3270.65 for Salaries

The Board then adjourned.

D. P. Dowell
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov. 10th 1881, were present:

Comr. T. M. Perley (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" D. P. Dowell

The following business was transacted;

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Water Report — Comr. D. P. Dowell submitted a report of the Park Engineer dated Nov 10th 1881, in regard to the progress of the Water Works, which was read and ordered placed on file.

Horse — Comr. Perley then was authorized by the Board to sell the Park buggy mare and to purchase a horse as needed in the place, the cost not to exceed $250.

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld the Board adjourned until Monday the 21st inst at 12 M.

D. P. Dowell
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 20th 1881, were present.

Comr. J. M. Kelley. (in the Chair)
" J. Ross Fell.
" J. McOwell.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Com. J. McOwell submitted a report of the Park Engineer dated Dec 9th 1881, in regard to the location of the Water Works reservoir and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com. Ross Fell the Board adjourned to meet on Monday Dec 26th at 11 A.M.

J J Bell
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held December 26th 1881 were present.

Comr. J. M. Kelley. (in the Chair)
" J. Ross Fell.
" J. McOwell.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $102.11 were examined and ordered paid. ($102.11 Chas. Hoffman and $10.00 ea. for Bills. Water Co. and $10.00 ea.)

The Board was adjourned.

J J Bell
Sec'y

[illegible] meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held [illegible] were present.

Com. [illegible] (in the Chair)
Lincoln
" [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 22nd 64 were present.

Comr. J. D. Kirby (in the Chair)
" J. Wakefield
" D. D. McGill

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Comr. D. McGill made a verbal report of the progress of the Park Work, which was received and accepted.

The deeds of the lots deeded by Comr. D. McGill assignee of the est. of the Chas Carter, to the corporation of the City of Chicago for the construction of the Lincoln Park were received & signed and ordered to be recorded.

[illegible] was presented, read by Comr. D. McGill and on motion of Comr. [illegible] the same was received & ordered to be filed.

[illegible] Dec. 1864.

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 2. 1865. were present.

Comr. J. D. Kirby. (in the Chair)
" J. Wakefield.
" D. D. McGill.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $ 1911.15 were examined and ordered paid. $ 1795.95 being for Salaries and $ 816.20 for Bills. Water Account $ 319.15

The Board then adjourned.

D. D. McGill
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 5th 1875 were present

Comr. [illegible] (in the chair)
[illegible]

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Re Bicycle riders

Communication of Comr. Deering addressed to Comr Kelly, in relation to the necessity to erect a small building for the use of the Park Commissioners in Golden Gate Park, to be known as "the Cabin" & on the terms & conditions set forth in a lease. The matter was duly considered & the Secretary was directed to notify Comr Deering that the request of the Board.

Comr. Kelly moved that the Board meeting be adjourned to meet at the office of the Park Commissioners in Golden Gate Park on Saturday June 12th at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of visiting the Park & examining the Cabin. That the Secretary be directed to notify the Commissioners of the time & place of meeting. Motion carried.

Comr. Kelly moved that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the erection of the Cabin, according to the plans & specifications submitted by Comr. Deering, & that the Secretary be instructed to notify Comr. Deering that the Board will be ready to receive proposals for the erection of the Cabin at the meeting of the Board on Monday June 14th at 10 o'clock A.M. Motion carried.

Upon motion it was ordered that the Secretary be instructed to notify Mr. Deering

that the Board will be ready to receive proposals for the erection of the Cabin at the meeting of the Board on Monday June 14th at 10 o'clock A.M. & that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the erection of the Cabin.

Comr. Kelly moved that the Secretary be instructed to notify Mr. Deering that the Board will be ready to receive proposals for the erection of the Cabin at the meeting of the Board on Monday June 14th at 10 o'clock A.M. & that the Secretary be instructed to advertise for proposals for the erection of the Cabin. Motion carried

Office of State Park Commissioners
San Francisco, Jan'y 14th 1885.

Charles Scott, Esq.

Dear Sir:

At a meeting of the Commissioners of State Park held at this office on the 14th day of January 1885, it was unanimously resolved, that you be appointed to fill the vacancy in said Commission which was made by the resignation of Edward Jean Wickson. The law authorizing vacancies occurring in this Board to be filled by the Governor.

I am instructed by the Executive Committee, to say that the duties devolved upon the Commissioners will be very arduous, and that they expect a faithful discharge of the same.

Yours truly,

[illegible]

Secretary.

Chas Scott appointed

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held for said City & County, present:

Comr. H. H. Dimond (in the chair)
" J. Temple
" C. Gerstle.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the last meeting were read & approved.

Communication of Comr. Temple stating that he was unable to attend the meeting of the Board, & that he would be glad if Capt. Chas. Scott would be appointed & elected State Park Commissioner in the place of State J. J. O'Connell, which was accepted by the resignation was read & ordered filed.

Moved & carried that

(Comr. Temple be elected)

Chas Scott appointed

Recycle Library

Moved & carried that the following resolution be adopted & that the Secretary be instructed to transmit a copy of the same to the Governor, & to the Executive Committee of the Park Commissioners, viz:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God to remove from this life our late associate, Edward Jean Wickson, who was appointed by the Governor, a member of the Board of State Park Commissioners, and

Whereas, By his death the Board has lost a valuable member, and

Whereas, It is fitting that we should express our appreciation of the services rendered by him to the State, and our sorrow at his death, therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of Edward Jean Wickson, the State has lost a faithful public servant, and the Board a valuable member, and we tender to his family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the Governor, and to the Executive Committee of the Park Commissioners, and that a copy be furnished to the family of the deceased.

Moved & carried that

Comr. Temple be appointed to prepare a suitable memorial of the late Edward Jean Wickson, to be presented to the Board at its next meeting.

Moved & carried that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Executive Committee of the Park Commissioners of the appointment of Comr. Temple to prepare a memorial of the late Edward Jean Wickson, and that the Secretary be instructed to request the Executive Committee to attend the next meeting of the Board, when the memorial will be presented.

Moved & carried that the Secretary be instructed to notify Comr. Temple of his appointment to prepare a memorial of the late Edward Jean Wickson, and that the Secretary be instructed to request Comr. Temple

leading from Commercial Valley to the ocean beach shall be and is established forty feet in width throughout so far as it is practicable within that limit; that upon the same being first graded and ready for use, there shall be set aside upon the northern boundary a width of twelve feet for the use of pedestrians and upon the southern line of said area a width of sixteen feet for the use of equestrians, pedestrians & bicycles properly separated from the carriageway; that upon the ocean beach, above high water mark, and at the termination of said avenue there shall be fixed an elevation of thirty feet to be hereafter determined.

That the Superintendent of the Park be and he is hereby instructed as soon as the season for the growth of grass permits to commence the construction of said boulevard, at the southern end thereof, and push the same with such force & labor as may be available, either by letting the same by contract or otherwise, as he may deem for the best interests of the Park.

The meeting then adjourned until the call of the

Pursuant to a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held February 2, 1885 were present:

Com. H. H. Sibley, for the Chair
" J. Lemp, Jr.
" C. Shedd.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $ 1119.00 were examined and ordered paid, as follows:

[illegible] $ 499.00 [illegible] $ 620.35

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held January 2 1895 were present,

(Comr. W. Riley in the Chair)
" J. Campbell
" C. Hedell

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the former meeting were read & approved.

Comr. Hedell [illegible] that the Secretary be instructed to procure [illegible] for the Park, which motion was seconded by Comr. Riley, & carried.

is to be invested. If you could add a few hundred
dollars each week it would relieve
it of great embarrassment and enable us to do
many things which we deem indispensable for
the benefit & prosperity of the people and the
advancement of this Bank. We have depended no
money upon the future and would under no circ
except Sheldon Gale Esqr. the reason is thus
explained. Letter we will communicate
to you in reference to Trade Dollars &c. said and
hope to be able to make you a remittance in
course there is no doubt but by the amount
Perhaps suggestions to make as to the amount
of money you may be able to give us. We hold
ourselves in readiness at any time on a board, to
do whatever is in accordance with your Honorable
Board & remain therefor in reference to the
matter. We are Sir very respectfully ask
for the favor of a reply to this communication may
until you shall have any communication

Yours &c.

Fra & W. Sears Commissioners.
" " Longfield "
" " Read "

At a regular meeting of the Board of Bank Commissioners held Fri.
the 10th inst. present

Com. F. & W. Sears (in the chair)
" Longfield
" C. Read

The following business was transacted

Voted

Voted

Pursuant to a regular meeting of the Board of Tax Commissioners held [illegible] were present:

Com'r. A. D. Pillsbury (in the Chair)
" J. Greenfield
" O. Arnold

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Com'r. Greenfield moved that the Commissioners do not [illegible] the petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible] Water Works [illegible] Motion carried unanimously.

Com'r. Greenfield moved that the Commissioners do not [illegible] the petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible] Water Works [illegible] Motion carried unanimously.

Com'r. Greenfield moved that the Commissioners do not [illegible] the petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible] Water Works [illegible] Motion carried unanimously.

the Board of Park Commissioners. Resolved that the money now remaining on the Water fund amounting to $ [illegible] appropriated by the Board of Supervisors for the construction of Water Works in Golden Gate Park be and are hereby set apart and reserved for use in making payments by said Contract.

On motion of Com'r. Arnold the Board adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

The petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible]

Com'r. Greenfield moved that the Commissioners do not [illegible] the petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible] Water Works [illegible] Motion carried unanimously.

Com'r. Greenfield moved that the Commissioners do not [illegible] the petition of D. L. Bradley et al for the [illegible] Water Works [illegible] Motion carried unanimously.

all of the aforesaid works and all material shall be of the best of the several kinds and shall be built and put together with a view to durability and convenient working and I hereby guarantee that the engines, boilers, pumps and machinery shall be so constructed that the future cost of raising water from the wells to the Reservoir shall not exceed six and one quarter cents per one thousand gallons for the past days work.

I am to bind the pumping engine to find water where I can and at the liberty of doing this work as according to my own plans and in my own way to guarantee only results viz: to find water in sufficient quantity and such pumping engines, pipes, obstructions and other appliances as may be necessary to place five hundred thousand gallons daily into a reservoir of capacity to hold one million gallons at a cost not to exceed six and one half cents per one thousand gallons.

I will connect by a six inch branch of cast iron of the capacity to bring a pressure of two hundred feet to the square inch on the mains ready to and connect with the Park Commissioners service pipe for supplying water except that they shall find the road for laying material for the construction of the trenches to lay the said pipe for a space of up Thornton Hill.

I will attach to the reservoir an automatic electrical attachment, that shall indicate when the same is full and communicate the same to the engine house in order that the engineer in charge may be advised each day and also a steel pointing indicator to show the amount of water pumped each day to the Park Com.

Each engine I will attach a register that shall indicate the amount of water pumped each day to the Park Com.

I will complete said works ready for attaching to the present system of distribution in six months from the date of signing this contract.

Upon said works as finally completed as above the Park Commissioners shall cause to be paid to me the sum of Twenty Eight Thousand Dollars

payable upon the same being turned over to the Board of Park Commissioners. Reservoir full and machinery in working order it being left entirely at the discretion of the Board of Park Commissioners to make any payments on account in the meantime.

I however after using due diligence I shall be unable to find sufficient water I shall be at liberty to abandon this contract but in that event I am to have no claim on the Park Commissioners or the City for any work performed unless I complete the works as herein before specified.

It is understood and agreed that I am to have rock for use in the grottoes now in the park and also such quantities as I require to construct and all damage for the above works and in fact all I need of the material now in the Park for the purpose of constructing the above works.

Witness

Geo Duncan Sr.

To the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen: In consideration of your good faith [illegible] as a security [illegible] I do hereby [illegible] the [illegible] will [illegible] and [illegible] [illegible] to construct [illegible] Park, [illegible] the [illegible] said works [illegible] to be [illegible] to [illegible] all the [illegible] [illegible] and to get credit [illegible] repair and [illegible] for excavation [illegible] for [illegible] of [illegible] and [illegible] the Park [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] the matter of additional [illegible] to be had for the
[illegible] of the City of Reno, the Clerk was authorized
to contact [illegible] to the matter, the price not to exceed
[illegible] each.

[illegible] the matter of the Contract
[illegible] between the Commissioners
[illegible] Bradley for additional
[illegible] authorizing the City Clerk to employ said additional
help as necessary to enumerate the [illegible] and to
take all necessary steps to enumerate the [illegible] for the City of Reno
[illegible] Bradley [illegible] upon said take
and to [illegible] the [illegible] to the Data Card
[illegible] to the [illegible] to the Data Card

On motion of Comr. [illegible] duly carried it was ordered
that all of the Commissioners

Lawrence V. Steel
Clerk

The regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, was Duly held on the [illegible]

Comr. V. V. Pike, (in the chair)
" J. Fernfield.
" Chas. Bradley

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The [illegible] general talk by the Commissioners in regard to Park Improvements, the meeting adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

L. V. Steel
Clerk

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held March 30th 1883, were present:

Comr. P. H. Pixley (in the chair.)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

There appearing no business the Board adjourned.

P. H. Pixley.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held April 1. 1883 were present:

Comr. P. H. Pixley (in the chair.)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted.

Bills to the amount of $3930.90 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund. Salaries $2929.30 Bills $1001.60

The Board then adjourned.

P. H. Pixley.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held April 23rd '86 were present:

Com'r P. M. Pierce (in the chair)
" J. Post. Sec'd.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

A communication was read from the Superintendent of Lincoln Park, Chicago, Ill. in charge of Zoological Exhibits, asking for the use of Deer, and stating that the Superintendent of Riverside Park, would like to be supplied with Deer from Chicago. Brought before Board &c.

Motion of Com'r. Goodall seconded by Com'r. Post that it was advised that deer be furnished from the Park during the coming season and the Pres. of the Board, Secretary of the Commissioners and direction that he enter into Contract or agreement to the same and that the Board of the Park Commissioners, be bonded to the Board for the same.

Carried.

Motion of Com'r. Post seconded by Com'r. Goodall the Sup't was authorized to purchase 12 elks to be on exhibit at the Park.

Carried.

Motion of Com'r. Post seconded by Com'r. Goodall, the meeting adjourned to be call'd by the Chairman.

P. M. Pierce
Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held May 1. 1885 were present:

Comr. F. W. Ridley (in the chair)
" J. Bloomfield.
" Chas. Tisdall absent.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills to the amount of $3940.00 were examined and on motion of Comr. Bloomfield seconded by Comr. Ridley the Supt. was authorized to expend $100.00 for the current month and orders drawn in the minute of the Comrs.

On motion of Comr. Bloomfield seconded by Comr. Ridley the Supt. of the Park be and is hereby instructed to instruct the Sergeant now at the Lodge to remove the cannon in order to allow the erection of a new lodge, and to provide for the earth & boulders in the road & also from this time forward the Lodge is under the sole management and control of the Secretary.

On motion of Comr. Bloomfield seconded by Comr. Ridley the application of Messrs. Ritter & Conover for permission to erect an entrance for pedestrians at the old Park Office from W. Belgrove Ave. with authority to said persons that the Comrs. give with authority to said persons that the expense of the gateway and the work within the enclosure to be at the expense of the persons erecting under the direction of the Supt. of the Park.

On motion of Comr. Bloomfield seconded by Comr. Ridley the following Resolution was adopted:

Whereas the contract for the erection of Water Tower at Highland Park was awarded to Contractor Thos. Dore & whereas the Commissioners of said Park on P.M. Saturday the 11th day of April A.D. 1885, did not receive the contract or a

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" J. Bloomfield.
" Chas. Tisdall absent.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

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dwelling for the use of the Engineer, ~~&c~~ because it is considered desirable that such a dwelling should be at or near the works, and whereas the said Bradbury by the terms of said Contract has agreed to provide such engineer for said works for three years from the time of the completion thereof.

Resolved that said D. B. Bradbury is hereby required to construct said house in accordance with the drawings heretofore submitted at his own cost ~~&~~ expense, to the use of an engineer to be employed by him, ~~&~~ for and during the term of said three years the Board of Commissioners for Yellow Stone County shall furnish a proper suitable room or rooms as may be at that time agreed upon, and to record Bradbury and in case of any disagreement as to the amount to be paid said Bradbury for the same shall be submitted to arbitration, each party to choose an arbitrator & in case they shall be unable to agree to the two to choose a third who's decision which made shall be final.

On motion of Com'r. Bogert seconded by Com'r. Dietz the Board adjourned to the call of the Chairman

D. D. Bird
Clk.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs. held June 4 1883, to be present

Com'r. D. D. Bird (in the chair)
" J. Rosenfield
" C. C. Tindall

The following business was had.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Bills to the amount of $306.00 were examined & ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund. Vouchers 2 to 5. Bills $43.00

The Bills as above approved

D. D. Bird
Clk.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 22nd 1885 were present:

Comrs. J. M. Tiden (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Tetzlaff. (absent.)

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Comr. Rosenfeld moved the increase of Wages of repair Men, in the Park to be a Dollar per day and that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Foreman of the Park to that effect, and that the Secretary be authorized to draw a warrant in favor of Wm. Ehlers for $300.00 to pay Men employed on the Park for the month of June.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 30th 1885 were present:

Comr. J. M. Tiden (in the Chair.)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Tetzlaff. (absent.)

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Bills to the amount of $ 85.65 were examined and ordered paid. $ 53.25 for Salaries and $ 32.40 for Bills

The Board then adjourned.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 20th 1885 were present

Comr. N. P. Bixby. (in the chair)
" Chas. Goodall.
" John Ransfield. (absent.)

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

On motion of Comr. Goodall, the Secretary of D.C. Commissioners was instructed to draw a business voucher to Engineer [illegible] was duly executed by the usual declaration, and that the Secretary was authorized to notify the Supervisors of the Park Office thereof, that a freight permit had been granted to remove the [illegible] purposes, & that they be requested to inspect the same & take appropriate action thereon.

Comr. Bixby appeared and stated the opening of entrance on the A. T. & S. F. R. R. property [illegible] Park, that the cost of the same would be the sum of $ [illegible] property [illegible] Park Board. On motion of Comr. Goodall, the matter was referred to the Finance Committee with power to act [illegible] $25. [illegible] Supervisors [illegible]

Comr. Goodall then called up the matter of the [illegible] Gate [illegible] Gate [illegible] Comr. Goodall, seconded by Comr. Bixby, that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Supervisors of the [illegible] Gate [illegible] Comr. Goodall then stated that he [illegible] for the purpose of [illegible] the Board [illegible] purchase a [illegible] that they

had purchased a horse in accordance with said authority, and that he is now in use by said Officer Thomsen.

On motion of Comr. Goodall, seconded by Comr. Bixby the Board adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

N. P. Bixby.
Pres.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held August 1, 1885 were present:

Comr. D. N. Bleby (in the chair)
" J. Disbrowe.
" Chas. Tindall

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved

Bills to the amount of $2549.10 were examined & ordered paid. (Salaries $2461.75 Bills $87.35)

The Board then adjourned.

D. N. Bleby
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Aug. 1st 1885 were present:

Comr. D. N. Bleby (in the chair)
" J. Disbrowe.
" Chas. Tindall.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Committee of Comrs Tindall, Comr. Bleby was appointed a committee of one to consider & to purchase a car of lime on the conditions of Horse Fair.

Baseball

The proposition to construct Recreation Grounds for the use of Base Ball players & others, was considered. Action was deferred at the last meeting to be dealt with at this meeting.

A communication was received from Mr. Sanford asking for the loan of a tent for a ball to be held on the Exhibition Grounds on the 6th inst. Comr. Bleby was requested to inform Mr. Sanford that the whole matter be considered at the next meeting of the Board.

It was directed that a copy of the minutes of the Chairman.

D. N. Bleby
Secty

A Regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Sept. 1. 1875 was dispensed.

Com. J. D. Kelly in the chair
" L. Bradley
" Com. Cook

Reading minutes was dispensed.

Communication from Board of Public Works relative to the Lake Front Improvement Fund.

Com. Bradley moved that the communication be received and placed on file.

Carried.

J. L. Peck.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 1st 1875 was dispensed.

Com. J. D. Kelly in the chair
" L. Bradley
" Com. Cook

A petition from citizens was presented.

To the Board of Park Commissioners.

Com. Bradley moved that the petition be received and placed on file.

Carried.

Com. Kelly moved that the Board adjourn to meet on Wednesday Sept. 8th at 10 A.M.

Carried.

Com. Cook moved that the Board adjourn to meet on Wednesday Sept. 8th at 10 A.M.

Carried.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Road Comrs held &c. Tuesday 6th inst;

Comr. J. Pr. Pixley (in the Chair)
" J. Kerrigold.

The proceedings of the last meeting were read and approved.

Ord. to the amount of Road Tax were ordered to be paid.

The Board then adjourned.

P. P. Pixley
Clk.

Com'rs. Tindall & Rose filed a return appointing Com'rs for the sale of the Estate of Com'r. Reddy deceased &c.

The Board then adjourned &c.

J. P. Hill.
Sec'y.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Oct. 19/85 were present

Comr. W. H. Ripley (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the former meeting were read and approved.

On motion of Com'r. Goodall seconded by Com'r. Rosenfeld it was resolved that the bill of Wm. H. Eckart & Son for $ was ordered to be received & placed on file.

On motion of Com'r. Rosenfeld seconded by Com'r. Goodall, it was resolved that no further action be taken in regard to the Park Police question at present & that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Board of Police Commissioners of the action of this Board.

Com'r. Rosenfeld offered the following Resolution & moved its adoption, the motion was seconded by Com'r. Goodall & upon being put to the vote was carried by the following

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov. 5th/85 were present,

Comr. W. H. Ripley (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the former meeting were read & approved.

Bills to the amount of $ [illegible] were received & ordered paid out of the Park Police Fund [illegible]

The Board then adjourned

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov. 6/15 were present,

Comr. F. W. Kellogg in the chair.)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Sewall.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Comr. Rosenfeld moved by Comr. Sewall it was resolved, that the Report of Messrs. Wm. Ewd Fein & Co. submitted at the visit made by Mr. F. Bradley, Asst. Supt. Water Dept. in connection with the Water plant for which the Co. is located, demonstrates a continuous and sufficient supply flow of water exceeding 6 000 gallons for at 24 hours.

The minutes were unanimously carried.

Communication from Comr. Rosenfeld moved by Comr. Sewall it was resolved, that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Commissioners of Queens County to the effect that this Board is unable to [illegible] the Commissioners of Queens County to [illegible] Bradley [illegible] the use of engineers [illegible]

[illegible] moved by Comr. [illegible] that the A [illegible] the [illegible] deficient [illegible] the same [illegible] and [illegible] weeks.

[illegible] unanimously.

[illegible] Comr. [illegible] of this [illegible] having reported [illegible] of this [illegible]

the same having been repaired but not yet demonstrated that it is entirely secure from leakage, the Commissioners Resolve That the acceptance of said Reservoir be withheld till its security is fully demonstrated, and that the Supt. of Queens Lake Park be required to make thorough examination for a period of - days and report the same to the Commissioners.

Communication of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Com. Sewall, Resolved, That the Comrs. hereby agree to pay Messrs Bradley the sum of $1,000.00 on account of this contract reserving the sum of $ 10,000.00 as a due date for the completion of the reservoir the making of necessary connection with the present plant system and a proper system of measurement to be agreed upon of the water supplied and such other matters as may be found to be defective.

Communication of Comr. Rosenfeld moved by Com. Sewall, it was resolved, That the Supt. of Queens Lake Park be authorized to connect the Queens Lake System with the present Queens Water System and that the Queens Water Co. be notified that after the date of said connection the said Company to be paid for the water supplied by the sum of $ 100 per month at the present rate charged Queens Water Dept. pending the [illegible]

The Minutes were approved.

[illegible]
Secy.

[illegible] regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Wed. [illegible] were present,

Comr. [illegible] (in the Chair)
" [illegible]
" Comr. Tisdale.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Comr. Tisdale reported that in accordance with instructions given at the Commissioners meeting held [illegible] he had called upon the Chief Engineer of the Water Works, & requested him to [illegible] the water pipe in the Park, so that it would not be necessary to have the water turned on [illegible] but that he had declined to do so, stating that he was willing to furnish a pipe for Park use at cost. Said communication was ordered [illegible] & filed.

Comr. Tisdale moved that the Chief Engineer of the Water Works be requested to [illegible] the water pipe in the Park, so that it would not be necessary to have the water turned on [illegible] Comr. [illegible] moved to amend by striking out the words "Chief Engineer of the Water Works" & inserting in lieu thereof the words "Board of Water Commissioners" which amendment was carried. The motion as amended was then carried.

[illegible]

Resolved, That the thanks of this Board are hereby tendered to the Superintending Engineer Mr. Scott of the N. A. Water Works for his able and [illegible] assistance rendered the Board & Park Water Works, in putting the Comrs. to understand what had been done, what was lacking, & what improvements & repairs would be necessary to be made, thereto to complete & keep in repair the Park Water Works & Fountains.

Comr. Tisdale moved that the Board do now adjourn.

[illegible]
Secy.

[illegible] regular meeting of the Board of Town Council held [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec. 31, 1880 were present.

Com'rs. H. M. Riley (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas Girard.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bill in the amount of $ 1850.81 was examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund. Voucher # 1604. 1856.76

The Board then adjourned.

W. T. Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held [illegible] present
Com. T. H. Reay (the Chair)
" Jno. Parfitt
" Chas. Wendte

[illegible]

The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

Com. Wendte then gave notice that the matter of the
[illegible] of Water Supply for the watering of water
troughs in the different parts of the Park Comm. being
[illegible] of the Chairman of the Park Comm.
for [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Land Comrs. held July 4. 1856 were present;

Comr. T. D. Tilby in the Chair.
" Chas Striedell.

The following business was transacted;

Whereupon the minutes of [illegible] were read and approved [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Land Commissioners held Feb. 25 1856. were present;

Comr. T. D. Tilby (in the Chair)
" J. Mitchell.
" Chas Striedell.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The report of Comr. Stiedell in reference to the machinery required in order for the measurement of water to be carried by Flood in pipe & ordered that the machinery required be accepted & that the Report in reference thereto be received & approved.

It appearing to the satisfaction of Comr. Tilby Chairman & Comr Stiedell that Thirteen months notice has been given to the Lessees of the Lands hereinafter mentioned of the intention of the Board of Land Commissioners to resume the possession of the same for the purposes of Sale, Lease or Settlement, and that the said Lessees have failed to comply with the conditions of their respective Leases, and to pay the rents reserved thereby, and that the Lands have been duly advertised for Sale, Lease or Settlement, and that the said Lessees have failed to purchase the same, or any part thereof, at the Sale thereof, and that the said Lands are now vacant, and subject to Sale, Lease or Settlement.

It is ordered that the Secretary do issue Warrants to the Surveyor General directing him to survey into Lots of not more than One Hundred and Sixty Acres each, the following Lands, viz;

[illegible]

Specifies to the work the new works to comply with the System of Park distribution at the time of the Contract joining it to the largest distributing pipe owned by the City

2nd That the Contract does not require the placing of meters on the pipes, but that the amount of water supplied is to be ascertained by the Register at the pumping works

3rd That under the Contract, no the best interests of the City, no one but the water used in distribution shall pass to be pumped into the Reservoir at Bradbury Park

Now as the Attorney of Mr. Bradbury always advised him to furnish everything required by your Commissioners Board, that might make the System more complete, however true was the latest draft whether the requirement might not be within the strict letter of the Contract, may be for many thoughtful reasons not desirable, may at least be for proper the Contract, may be carried out how to have the same accepted by your Honorable Board. So as to secure payment in full,

Very respectfully
your obt. Servt
(Signed) F. C. Hall

Supply Com. Park & Cem.

Office of the Supply Com. Park & Cem.
Received by the Board of Park Commissioners

[illegible] to engage [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Park distribution," does not in my opinion permit Mr Bradbury to make a connection at any point he pleases; he must under his contract make a proper connection, that is with the distributing main, and not with a minor pipe of less diameter than his connecting pipe.

The contract calling for a connecting pipe 6 inches in diameter should that it should be connected with a distributing main of at least equal size.

3rd Under the Contract may be conditional acceptance being by the Board of Park Commissioners as shown by their Resolution of January 8. 1895. it seems best to me, that Mr. Bradbury was found to attach a meter to the Reservoir which should be capable of measuring the supply of water given.

The language of the resolution of the Board accepting Mr. Bradburys proposition is as follows, "And with the further condition, that the water "supplied to the Reservoir shall measure the "supplying water for the use of said park."

Mr. Bradbury is acquainted with the conditions of acceptance of his proposition, as found by the Board.

(Signed) Fred J. Miller.
Jr.

Communication from F. J. Bradbury agreeing to the working of the auxiliary engine to the pumping plant with attend to the other proposed repairs

The original bill of the Park is ordered to be [illegible] and the [illegible] of the Board to be issued in favor of the [illegible] Bradbury

Communication received from F. J. Bradbury and received referred to the Board

Communication of Com's Meeting of even date with the bill of F. J. Bradbury of Oct. 31st amounting to $ [illegible] This was [illegible] and received referred paid

by Com'r Goodall, upon the call of the Commission, Com'r Polley voting aye, and Com'rs. Greenfield and Goodall voting no, whereupon the Bill was rejected.

Com'r. Goodall then moved that the minutes of the Board show the reasons why the Bill of W. D. Bradbury be rejected as follows.

1st Because of an overcharge of $15.00 for digging a new well for the purpose of sounding for water only made necessary by Mr. Bradbury's neglect of providing proper means of sounding the wells in which the pumps are located.

2nd Bradbury further charges for pumping 10 days at $2.00 per day when from the time the Com'rs agreed to pay the cost of pumping until the determination of the pumping test was only 7 days and the cost to Mr. Bradbury according to the reports of the Experts was $1.75 per day.

Com'r. Polley then offered his resolution approving [illegible] forgoing statements as [illegible] accordance with facts.

[illegible] Com'r Polley seconded by Com'r. Greenfield, it was ordered that Mr. Polley be authorized to correct [illegible] of the minutes Mr. W. D. Bradbury upon [illegible] Com'r Polley then Com'r Goodall voted [illegible] Com'r Greenfield voted the same as Com'r Polley [illegible] of the Contract and the Board [illegible] Com'rs

[illegible] the voting by Com'r Greenfield was reported by the [illegible] voting thus aye Com'rs [illegible]

[illegible] Com'r Goodall seconded by [illegible] Com'r Polley the Board was authorized [illegible] for the [illegible] for the [illegible]

[illegible] Com'r Goodall was authorized [illegible] Mr. Bradbury's Engineer [illegible]

of the Estate of Wm. Sharon, deceased have this day deposited in the Bank of California to the credit of said Commission the sum of $50,000.00

On motion of Com'r. Goodall it was unanimously determined to accept said donation of $50,000.00 and leave the same in the Bank of California subject to the further determination of the Board and that the Chairman of said Board be authorized to arrange the terms of said deposit with said Bank.

On motion of Com'r. Goodall seconded by Com'r Polley it was moved at the request of the Trustees of Wm. Sharon, deceased that Mr. J. Nash be paid the sum of $500.00 to be charged to said Legacy.

Ordered that the communication be received from "The Riverside Guards Co." at least and be referred to Com'r Nash, and Secretary for correspondence to receive such explanation as he can.

[illegible]

In compliance with a Resolution of the Board of Park Com'rs adopted at their meeting [illegible] directing us to measure the water in the Reservoir [illegible] Gas certain wheels it is [illegible] and Thence up the Conduit my measurement on Janry. 21st [illegible] gate at Summit [illegible] keeping it closed for 48 hours at the end of that time the water had risen from [illegible] to [illegible] and with the Gauge to read the rain fall during the time Found [illegible] below to [illegible] first 48 hours. On the morning of the 24th I closed the gate again, it remained closed for 48 hours, at the end of that time the water had risen [illegible] during the time [illegible] Jan. 27th to 29th 48 hours with all Gates [illegible] From the 30th to Feby 1st 48 hours with [illegible] gates remain. From the 2nd to the 4th 48 hours with [illegible] gates remain. Making for the 8 days [illegible] an average of [illegible] with [illegible]

(Signed) [illegible] Com'r Supt.

[illegible] Com'r Goodall

[illegible] the Board [illegible] Com'r [illegible]

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs. held March 1. 1886 were present,

Com'r. J. H. Ridgeway (chair)
" J. Rainwald
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted,

Bills to the amount of $ 1938.62 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

Bills $ 999.80 , Salaries $ 938.82

Deposited $100.00 received from State and City County Treasurer and ordered placed to the credit of said Fund.

A. J. Bloch
Secty.

Regular meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs. held March 8. 1886 were present, Com'r. J. H. Ridgeway (chair) Com'rs. Rainwald & Goodall.

The object of the meeting was to take into consideration the request of Messrs. Shaw & Co. for $10,000. to be used in the erection of a [illegible] and to appropriate it was resolved,

That Messrs. Shaw & Co. be allowed the sum of $10,000. to be expended in the erection of a [illegible] to be expended in the erection of said building to be commenced upon by the 15th day of March A.D. 1886 and completed by the 15th day of March A.D. 1887 and that the Secretary be instructed to draw a warrant in favor of Messrs. Shaw & Co. for the amount of $10,000. to be paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

A regular meeting of the Board of Tax Commissioners held by adjournment

Present

Com. J. D. Talbot (Chair.)
" Jno. Ford.
" Chas. Gould.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes of the previous meeting of the Board of Tax Com. held on the 15th day of March A.D. 1886 were read and approved.

Com. Talbot moved and Com. Ford seconded that Com. Chas. K. Worthington be appointed Clerk to the Board of Com. Gould carried. Com. Worthington was duly sworn.

Com. Talbot moved and Com. Ford seconded that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Co. Treasurer that the Board of Tax Com. will meet at the Court House on the 1st day of June A.D. 1886 at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of hearing appeals from the assessment of property for taxation for the year 1886. Carried.

Com. Talbot moved and Com. Gould seconded that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Co. Treasurer that the Board of Tax Com. will meet at the Court House on the 1st day of June A.D. 1886 at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of hearing appeals from the assessment of property for taxation for the year 1886. Carried.

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Present

Com. J. D. Talbot (Chair.)
" Jno. Ford.
" Chas. Gould.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Com. Talbot moved and Com. Ford seconded that Com. Worthington be appointed Clerk to the Board of Com. for the ensuing year. Carried.

Com. Talbot moved and Com. Ford seconded that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Co. Treasurer that the Board of Tax Com. will meet at the Court House on the 1st day of June A.D. 1886 at 10 o'clock A.M. for the purpose of hearing appeals from the assessment of property for taxation for the year 1886. Carried.

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ction of this Board may be declared forfeited.

And on further motion of same commissioner it was ordered to stand over on the minutes of this Board.

On motion of Com'r. Goodall seconded by Com'r. Rosenfeld, It was ordered, that the following notices be published in the Daily Evening Telegraph, and that the first publication thereof be made within ten days from this date.

On motion of Com'r. Rosenfeld seconded by Com'r. Goodall, It was proposed, to execute to the Park & Ocean Rail Road, a lease with the same provisions, as the existing lease from the Park Commissioners to said Park & Ocean Rail Road Company, for three years from this date.

It being considered, that as the present lease had four months to run, it was not expedient to make a new lease, except upon condition that the said Rail Road Company, pay therefor, as rent the sum of $100.00 per month, the present case being $100.00 per annum

Com'r. Ripley moved & Com'r. Rosenfeld seconded & passed, Com'r. Ripley was authorized to present these terms to said Rail Road Corporation, and to report to an adjourned meeting of this Board April 27th 1886 at 10 A.M.

The Board then adjourned

Minutes approved
Wm. Ripley
Chm. Park Commission
April 27th 1886

P.M. Black
Secty

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held 26th Apl. 27th/86 were present:

Com'rs. Wm. Ripley (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Chas. Goodall.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Com'r. Ripley reported that he had communicated with the Rail Road Company upon the terms proposed. That he had received no reply from said Corporation whereupon on motion of Com'r Goodall, seconded by Com'r. Rosenfeld the Commission adjourned.

P.M. Black
Secty

Minutes approved
Wm. Ripley
Chm. Park Commission
April 27th 1886

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held this 3rd day of June

Comrs. T. G. Hebbard in the Chair
" J. Trimble.
" Chas. Tindall (absent)

The following business was transacted,

Bills to the amount of $ 3356.97 were examined and allowed, making the amount to the month of June $ 3592.97
Salaries $ 235.00 Bills $ 3356.97

The Board then adjourned

Thos. T. Hart

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 17th 1876 at 10 A.M.

Comr. Girard.
" Hammond
" Kelly.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Commissioners then proceeded to the Library.

The Committee on Lands reported in favor of Chas. C. Girard's claim for $ [illegible] for land taken for Park purposes.

On motion the report was accepted.

Comr. Girard moved that the Committee on Lands be discharged from the further consideration of the claim of Chas. C. Girard for $ [illegible] for land taken for Park purposes, and that the same be referred to the Committee on Finance with instructions to report a bill for the payment of the same.

Carried.

The Committee on Lands reported in favor of the claim of Thomas Hart for $ [illegible] for land taken for Park purposes, and that the same be referred to the Committee on Finance with instructions to report a bill for the payment of the same.

Carried.

engine of the work thereon.

Resolved That Wm. A. Hall, present State Engineer, be and he hereby is authorized and instructed to make the plans of construction, and superintend the engineering work required to be done by this Board, upon the subject, and make suggestions as to future improvements.

It is ordered by the Commissioners that all applications or petitions be filed with the Secretary of the Office of Superintendent of State Roads, when he is absent that he open the same.

Commissioner Cornell moved and seconded by Commissioner Hall that the Board do now adjourn.

Nathan H. Hard
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of State Commissioners held at the Office of the Superintendent of State Roads in the City of Albany on the 3rd day of January 1855.

Present Wm. A. Hall in the Chair.
Commissioner Cornell
Commissioner Hard

The proceedings of the last meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Schenectady, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Troy, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Bethlehem, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Greenbush, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Kinderhook, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Hudson, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Canaan, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Lebanon Springs, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Chatham, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Kinderhook, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Hudson, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Canaan, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Lebanon Springs, which was carried.

Commissioner Cornell moved that the Secretary be directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of the Plank Road from Albany to Chatham, which was carried.

The regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors
held this day pursuant to adjournment.

Present: [illegible]

[illegible]

The following proceedings were had:

[illegible]

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Black
Clerk

The Court then adjourned to meet Saturday
the 21st inst. at 9 A.M.

J. Wood

The Court met pursuant to adjournment. Present
Commissioners Lord & Wood and Sheriff.

Com. P. Hamm sworn with the
Jury.

P. Carroll (colored)

The following Rules were laid down:

1st Jurors are to be the judges of the credibility of
the witnesses sworn.

2nd In the absence of positive testimony to the contrary
the Jury are to find for the Defendant.

Nov. 22-816 deducted $42.55 being amount realized from sale of horses and mules.

Florida State Bank vs. [illegible]

Nov. 10th 1886

2d sale 1 mule	$75.-	
" " 1 "	75.-	
" " 1 mare mule	70.	
" " 1 sorrel horse	105.-	
" " 1 " " saddle	01.-	
	$ 111.3.	
Co Advertising	10.-	
" Com. 2%	20.68	30.68
		267.32

Children's Quarters

At a regular meeting of the Board of Poor Commissioners held Nov. 3rd/60 were present.

Com'. Lieb. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos. Cushing
" Wm. Durand. (absent)

The following business was transacted;

Bills to the amount of $ 47[illegible] were examined and ordered paid out of the Poor Department Fund.
Bills $ 47[illegible] Salaries

Demands to the amount of $ 1196.[illegible] for the "construction of Children's Quarters" were examined, and allowed & paid out of the fund set aside for that purpose.

On request of Wm. Dyer to erect a Gate-way at the intersection of the Dray St. Rail Road & the Poor House, was granted.

On motion of Com'r Hamilton seconded by Com'r Hammond $50.[illegible] advertised was allowed to pay the Sheriff attorney in the case of "People vs. Collins."

The following persons were employed by Com'rs Com'rs Dept. Carpenter work on the Children's Quarters. Peter Hughes, J. Nathan, 13 Carpenters. The Laborers Peter Dugan. Owen Barry John McNamara

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 3rd, 1888, were present:

Com'r. Nichol, Hammond, (in the chair)
" Gill, Kuhn.
" O'Connor.

The following business was transacted:

Bills to the amount of $ 115 00 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund, viz: $ 95.00; Ontario $ 20.00.

Communication of Nov. 27th from the Secretary of the Industrial Exhibition Co. relative to the amount paid.

The Engineer was directed to submit a report of what was required, and estimate of the cost thereof.

The Secretary was instructed to call upon Chief Bradley with reference to the [illegible] of the Park.

The Secretary was instructed to call upon the Chairman of the Committee of the City Council to which the application of the Board for [illegible]

for Saturdays and Sundays, owing to the large crowds that visit the Parks

The Board then adjourned.

C. C. Nichol.
Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs. held Jan. 29. 1867 were present.

Com'r. Richd. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" H. Dimond (absent)

The following business was transacted.
Bills to the amount of $ [illegible] were examined and ordered paid out of Park Impr. Fund.
Bills to the amount of $ [illegible] for the Construction of Children's Quarters were examined and ordered paid.
The minutes of the previous meeting were read & approved.

On motion of Com'r. Hammond, seconded by Com'r Austin the Supt of the Park was instructed to take the necessary laborers to repair the W. Lots. Rd.

The Secretary was instructed to reply to the communication of E. H. Rose of San Diego, relative to laying out a Park in San Diego that the best manner of getting information relative to laying out a Park, would be to enter into correspondence with the leading Parks of the East.

The Secretary was instructed to reply to the Communication of J. P. Martin that it will be some months before the Childrens' Quarters will be finished and until then they will be unable to decide upon any kind of amusements.

Com'r Hammond reported that he called upon the Chief of Police, and that he was in favor of having 2 police men and officers, the Board furnishing the horses.

Com'r. Hammond reported that the work at the Childrens' Quarters was progressing rapidly, and that all the grading will be finished in about 30 days.

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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs. held Feb. 26/67, were present;

Com'r. Richd. Hammond (in the chair.)
" Jos. Austin.
" H. H. Dimond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Bills to the amount of $ 2138.75 were examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.
Bills. $ 321.13 ; Salaries. 1817.62
Bills to the amount of $ 1370.37 were examined and ordered paid for the Construction of the "Childrens' Quarters."

A communication was received from W. H. Sharon, Esq. in reference to the selection of the plans for the Building in the Childrens' Quarters.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond, it was decided that the plans of Messrs. Percy and Hamilton be accepted; and that they be notified and that they should take such steps and endeavors with W. H. Sharon, Esq. in regards to obtaining information relative to the alterations she would deem necessary.

A plan was submitted by Jos. Vagle, Head Gardener, for filling in the Carriage Concourse in front of the Conservatory, the cost of which would be about $ 2700.00 It was laid over until such a time when the Park would have the necessary funds.

The Board then adjo[illegible]

(At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Thursday, March 3rd at the Office of Com'r. Command, it was determined to increase the Park Police in order to protect the fast passenger from reckless driving. In the future, the Ordinance against fast driving will be strictly enforced, on all roads in the Park, especially on Sundays and Saturdays and Sundays.

It was agreed to meet the Park Trustees at half past 2 o'clock on Tuesday, March 8th, to select a site for the proposed Dog Pavement.

The Board then adjourned.

P. L. Stitt
Sec'y.

(At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comm'rs held March 1st 1887 were present,

Com'r. R. P. Command. (in the Chair)
" H. H. Diment.
" Jos. Austin.

(The following business was transacted,

Bills to the amount of $33.44 were examined and ordered paid. Salaries $28.71.55 and Bills $4.73."

(The Board then adjourned.

P. L. Stitt
Sec'y.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held April 24th, 1876, were present

Comr. A. L. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jas. Mastin.
" H. H. Arnold. (Secy.)

Also Hon. Mayor Todd being present.

The following business was transacted,

Bill to the amount of $31.26 was examined and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund

Balance $280.45 Bill $642.81

Bill to the amount of $631.55 was allowed, paid for the Contracting of the Children's Quarters.

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. Mr. Evans was received and ordered placed on file.

Com. Arnold read the letter that he had received a letter from Dr. Inglis stating that the Park assets in the hands of the Finance Committee, in making it as much as current expenses.

The Supt. was directed to see said Parties, the Chairman & Secretary & Comr. &c.

Bill for the hay, which was found to be of poor quality, was referred to H. S. Hadley to see if the same could be placed on the premises to be used instead of which it is to be used in paying [illegible]

The Chairman reported that the Contractor building the Children's Quarters, and the Committee [illegible] had examined the Work, and allowed for the same and directed payment to be made.

[illegible] was received from R. J. Dyer, Secretary [illegible] Co. Charlotte, Mich. [illegible]

of said was read, and the Secretary instructed to answer them.

The Board then adjourned.

L. L. Hall
Secy.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 13th 1903 were present;

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" H. H. Dimond
" A. Austin

The following business was transacted;

Com'r. Hammond submitted his annual report which was read and accepted, and on motion of Com'r. Dimond it was directed that copies be sent to the press by the Secretary.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond, Com'r. Hammond was selected Chairman and a vote of thanks ordered to him for his services during the past year.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond, T. H. Dick was elected Secretary for the ensuing year.

The Board then adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 21. 03. were present;

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" A. Austin
" H. H. Dimond (absent)

Ex Com'r Phelps Dodge being present

The following business was transacted;

Bids for the construction of the Ostrich Building and Children's House in the Shares Quarters were received and opened.

Bid No. 1 Donald Dee. May 19th 1903 Division St. was for $9,975.00 accompanied by a check for $500.00 on the First National Gold Bank. It was not filled out on the proper blanks issued by the architects, and did not bid for the entire work as advertised & demanded, and was therefore not considered, and the Secretary was instructed to return this check unopened, and take a receipt for the same.

Bid No. 2 Shea and Shea for $9,950.00 accompanied by a check on the Pacific Bank for $500.00 certified by Hansen & Co. This Bid was read and filed Specimens of Tiles Stone from J. D. Farrell Quarries accompanied this bid.

Bid No. 3 C. E. Grady 577 Valencia St. for $8,100 accompanied by a check of $500.00 on the Bank of Anglo, Lilly & Co. This Bid was read and filed Specimens of Stone from the San Francisco Quarry accompanied this bid

Bid No. 4 M. Hoffman. not accompanied by check this bid was not considered and was returned to Mr. Hoffman who was present and received back the same without protest.

Bid No. 5 Dennelly for $8,900.00 accompanied by check for $500.00 on the Bank of Anglo, Lilly & Co was read and filed. Specimens of Stone from Niles Canyon accompanied this bid.

No further business coming before the Board the President announced that the bids would be taken under

consideration, the Commissioners reserving the right to reject
any or all bids, and adjourned to the Call of the Chair

T.C. Stock
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs.
held May 27/87 were present;

Comr. C. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos. Castle.
" W.H. Dimond (absent)

The Board met and adjourned on account of the absence
of the Architect until Saturday May 28/87, at 2.30 P.M.

T.C. Stock.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 28 92 were present,

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" W. H. Diamond.

Mayor not being present.

The following business was transacted;

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[illegible]

[illegible]

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held July 21. 57, at the Office of Com'r. Hammond, were present,

Com'r. A. D. Hammond. (in the Chair.)
" Jas. Austin.
" H. C. Comstock. (absent.)

His Honor Mayor Wood and Richard Varian were present.

The following business was transacted;

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Hammond, it was resolved to appoint Superintendent & Conductor of the "Croton Water."

It was decided by the Board to expend $300.- in repairing St. Peters Road in the vicinity of the Park Commissioners.

There being no further business the Board adjourned until Monday next July 21. 57 at 11 A.M.

A. D. Shaw
Sec'y

At an adjourned meeting of the Board of Park Comm'rs. held July 21. 57 at the Office of Com'r. Hammond, were present

Com'r. A. D. Hammond. (in the Chair.)
" Jas. Austin.
" H. C. Comstock.

His Honor Mayor Wood being present,
H. B. Bradley and H. C. Barnett "

The following business was transacted;

The object of the meeting was to take into consideration the claim of H. B. Bradley of $2000.- balance claimed by said Bradley to be due him on his Contract for Water Works for Golden Gate Park.

A general discussion then ensued whether Bradley had complied with his Contract in furnishing a proper system of distributing pipes system. And relative to the size of pipe. Mayor Wood's opinion was that Bradley should have laid the proper conducting which he has not done, and also that there should have been a separate pipe to carry the water from the reservoir.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Comstock it was decided to leave the matter in the hands of the Mayor & Bradley to be guided by his decision. It was decided by the Board that the Mayor should consult with the City & County Attorney & get his opinion on the subject.

The Board then adjourned

A. D. Shaw
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held July 29th 97. at the Office of Com'r. H.C. Durand were present,

Com'r. [illegible] Master in the chair
" H.C. Durand
Major Ford Eng. Com'r. P. J. Cammeyer (absent)

The following business was transacted.

Bills to the amount of $ 1193.87 were examined, approved and paid out of the Park Improvement Fund
Repairs & Imp'ts. $ Bill Exp's. $

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read, and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Office Messenger was read, and ordered placed on file

The Secretary then reported

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 15. 97 at the Park Lodge were present,

Com'r. R. J. Cammeyer in the Chair
" J.S. Austin

Major Ford Eng. Com'r. Durand absent

The following business was transacted.

The resignation of Police Officer Jos. Fox was received & accepted.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Cammeyer it was resolved that Mr. Clarke be appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Officer Fox.

At the suggestion of Asst. Supt. McLaren the Board decided to raise the wages of Laborers from $1.50 to $1.75 per day.

On motion of Com'r. Austin it was decided that the uniforms of the Park Police be of gray material instead of blue.

Com'r. Austin then moved that the Superintendent of the Park be instructed to have the Park Police wear gray caps instead of blue caps during the present season.

H. Durand Sec'y. pro tem.

[illegible] Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 31. 87, there present;

Com'r. N. H. Ormond.
" Jos. Austin.

Com'r. R. P. Hammond. (absent.)

The following business was transacted,

Bills to the amount of $1155.03 were examined and ordered paid out of Park Improvement Fund
Bill $13.00 Salaries $42.15
Construction of Children's Theatre $900.00

The Board then adjourned.

N. H. Bloch
Secy.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Sept. 30/87, at the Office of Gen. Ormond were present;

Com'r. N. H. Ormond. (in the Chair.)
" Jos. Austin.
" R. P. Hammond. (absent.)

The following business was transacted;

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read, and ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Police Officer Thomson was read, and ordered placed on file

The communication from Wm. Hammann asking permission for a candy stand at one of the entrances of the Park was referred to Asst. Supt. McLaren.

The water bills of W. J. Bradbury were referred to the President of the Board.

On motion of Com'r. Ormond the Board then adjourned.

N. H. Bloch.
Secy.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 29th 87 were present:

Com'r. J. P. Hammond in the Chair
" Jos. Austin

Architect Percy being present
Com'r. J. H. Crandall Engineer and absent.

Bills to the amount of $ 3356.57 were examined and ordered paid.

Salaries $ 1062.75 Bills $ 1193.50

The report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file

The report of Cabinet Manson was read and ordered placed on file

The water bills of W. B. Bradbury from June 1st to Oct. 1st 87 amounting to $1033.65 were examined and the Board decided to pass them upon the Supt. attaching his signature as to the correctness of the bills

In relation to the construction of the Building in the Children's Quarters, Architect Percy reported that as the work was progressing slowly, he thought it advisable that the Board of Park Commissioners write to the Contractor, and see that he engages more men and hastens the work, as the contract time has nearly expired. The Secretary was instructed to notify W. J. Kelly, the Contractor informing him of the same

On motion of Com'r. Hammond, Architect Percy was instructed to prepare bids and to advertise for the construction of a new Stable in the Park, as the present one is entirely too small and unfit for use

On motion of Com'r. Austin it was decided that on account of lack of funds any delay in the work which the rain will occasion, the Supt. is instructed to discharge twenty men on the first of November 1887.

Com'r Hammond stated that Fred. Law Olmstead Esq. the best landscape gardener in the U.S. who has been engaged by Senator Stanford to lay out the grounds of his university, in company with Robert Douglass, an eminent arboriculturist visited the Park and spoke highly of the management and manner in which the Park is governed.

The Board then adjourned

W. W. Hoch
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov 2d, 87 were present:

Com'r. R. J. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.

Com'r. H. C. Gemrich & Mayor Pond being absent.

The following business was transacted:

Com'r. Hammond reported upon the communication from Fred Law Olmsted & R. Douglass. The Sec'y was instructed to write to them thanking them for their Report.

A communication was received from W. J. Kelly the contractor for the Building in the Childrens' Quarters asking for an extension of 10 months time on his Contract. On motion of Com'r. Hammond, he was allowed 90 days from Oct. 29th, the date of his communication in which to finish his work.

A communication was received from R. Garmon asking for a renewal of the Lease of the Casino. It was decided to take action in regard to it at the Supt. who was authorized [illegible] addition to the Building and the [illegible] of the same.

Recommendations from Gen. Laconbe Esq. Secy. N.S.P.V. asking for the trial of palms and other decorations for that annual fete was granted.

A communication was received from H. L. Horner, relative to the opening of Park Ave. The Supt. reported that Building had been done. The Sec'y. was instructed to write to Dr. Horner telling him that the work had been done as set out and that he should inform the Board

Com'r. Hammond [illegible] to raise the [illegible] to 25c on day

[illegible] Supt. Dr. Lawn was read and

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file.

At the suggestion of Com'r. Hammond it was decided to remove all the barb wire fences in the Park.

T. T. Steel
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Dec. 29th, at the office of Comr. Hammond, were present;

Comr. R. P. Hammond in the Chair
" Jos. Austin
Robert Percy Ewing present
Comr. Hammond and Seager Pond absent.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Communication was received from Walter Hyde, Esq. Alameda County, relative to constructing a "Water Tank" in the Children's Quarters Tract, and that some future meeting when all assessments for Childrens' Quarters will be considered.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. Mr. Law was read and ordered placed on file.

The yearly report of Agent Ransom was read and ordered placed on file.

Communication was received from M. Kellum in which were a series of charges preferred against the quality of stone being used in the construction of the Retaining in the Children's Quarters.

As the matter appeared before the Board will have to undergo a lengthy discussion, it was decided to hold a special meeting on Jan. 5, 1885, at 2 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of investigation.

A letter signed by Hammond and his attorney will be subject of investigation will be referred to Supt. Kelly for information relative to stone furnished by Kelly as compared to stone from same Quarry in the Quarry to be considered at discussed and stone at present furnished by Kelly to be proven up to the specifications and

Mr. Hall then submitted a Plan for the [illegible] of a New House and [illegible]

taken and deferred until some future meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge, March 31st 81. were present,

Com'r. R. P. Hammond. (in the Chair)
" J. Austin.
" D. H. Dimond absent.

Prayer Offered by Com'r. Dimond absent.

The following business was transacted,

Mr. Peale appeared before the Board relative to the damage to Frederick & Walter Wis. He represented the case to said Com'rs. & said complaint of the water coming from Grand Park. The Supt. was directed to look into the matter & to report to the Board.

C. Theo. Eng. appeared before the Board & stated that the bids had been opened & the Supt. to call over the roll of delinquent persons

The report of the Supt. Mr Lacey was read & approved, & ordered placed on file.

The report of Police Officer Simpson was read & ordered placed on file.

The Supt. was authorized to buy what pipe was necessary to be put on the grounds around the New Music Stand & vicinity.

The report of the New Music Stand was received by the Board. Bids of either not to be opened & action deferred until a future day of the Board.

The matter was laid over in regard to the uniform until the next meeting of the Board.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 7th/81, at Park Lodge were present,

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair.)
" J. Austin.
" D. H. Dimond

Prayer Offered by Architect Dean present.
The following business was transacted,

Plans for the construction of the New Music Stands were examined. After a general discussion it was unanimously agreed & decided upon to select Plan No. 2. In regard to the manner of advertising for Bids it was agreed to leave the matter to the President & Mayor & for them to report in a few days. The proposition of Watkins Sis & Lovell reliable firms to send in their bids was agreed upon.

The Office of the Commissioners at the Park being found to be too small to accomodate the many who attend the meetings, it was decided on motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond to enlarge the room in making alterations in the Building & to leave the matter to the President & Mayor with full power to act in the premises & also to authorize them to contract a new Building if necessary.

The report of Chief Insp. Mr Lacey was read & approved & ordered placed on file.

The report of the Chief Insp. in regard to the cost of making the Drive Path was read & on motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond it was decided to refer the matter to Consulting Engineer Hall with the suggestion that the proper width can be obtained from the present Drive way without the expense of grading.

On motion of Com'r. Demond seconded by Com'r. Clusters it was decided to increase the salary of the Park Police from $65 to $75 to take effect from the 1st. of May. On motion of Com'r. Hammond it was agreed to leave the matter to Com'rs. Demond with full power to act in regard to the uniform of the Park Police.

The resignation of Wm. F. Christen, Supt. of Construction of the Children's Quarters was read and accepted and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from the Colorado Stock Co. asking the Park for some Sunol Grass. Said request was granted.

After a general discussion relative to the Cliff House and Pt. Lobos Roads, the Board adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

W. H. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 1st '81, at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" W. H. Demond (absent)

Mayor Pond and Architect Percy present;

The following business was transacted;
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
In regard to the uniform of the Park Police, the Secretary was instructed to write a letter to Gen. Demond asking him for his decision relative to said uniform.

Communication from Wm. Hammond Hall, Consulting Engineer of the Park, relative to the Bridle Path was read and referred to the Chairman and Superintendent to look into the matter in detail.

Applications for the vacancy in the Park Police caused by the promotion of Officer McCarthy, were filed.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on files.

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

In regard to having bituminous paths and roads in the Children's Quarters, it was agreed upon to leave the matter to the Chairman, to correspond with the various companies as to cost and also, the power to let the Contract, for said bituminous pavement.

Supt. Lynch of the Powell St. Cable Company appeared before the Board, and asked permission to erect a Gateway at the Seventh Avenue. Said request was granted.

A vote of thanks to Jno. Perkins Esq. of Sacramento was passed for the gift of six dozen geraniums.

The Supt. was authorized to contract for concrete walks

in the East and middle wings of the Conservatory

One thousand dollars was appropriated for seats for the New Music Grounds.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Mayor Pond, Com'r. Hammond was reelected Chairman for the ensuing term.

In regard to the delay in the completion of the "Childrens Quarters" the Architect was empowered to notify the Contractor M. J. Kelly, that unless satisfactory steps are taken within 7 days to complete the Building & Painting Fountains, that the Commissioners will take charge of the Building & finish it at his expense

A communication from J. F. McNeil of the Fourth of July Committee asking the co-operation of the Park Com'rs in regard to the unveiling of the Key monument on the Fourth was deferred until the Lick Trustees could be communicated with.

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

V. V. Block.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 27'th, at the office of Com'r. Hammond, were present,

Com'r. R. P. Hammond, in the Chair
" H. C. Dimond.
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Bills for the month of July to the amount of $1629.51 were examined and ordered paid.

The uniform of the Park Police has been referred to Com'r. Dimond with full power to act.

A communication was received from J. A. Cahen relative to placing a fountain given by H. D. Bigelow in the Park. No action was taken in regard to the matter.

A communication was received from Dr. Kenny relative to purchasing all the old broken hose &c. in the Park.

A very lengthy report on the Childrens Quarters was received from Dr. H. Hall, Consulting Engineer of the Park. Said Report was read and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from Wm. C. Higgins donating 2 mountain quail to the Park.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file.

After a general discussion relative to the games to be played in the Childrens' Quarters, action was deferred until the special meeting of the Board is to be held about the middle of Aug

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

V.V. Block
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 16/58 at Park Lodge, were present.

Comrs. R.P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" W.H. Dimond.

Architect Percy being present.

The following business was transacted.

Chairman Hammond suggested to the members of the Commission that between now and the next meeting they should consider the proposition made by Dr. Bryson and other gentlemen relative to having a Deer Park in the hollow near the Childrens' Quarters.

The Report of the Chairman relative to the condition of the finances was then read. A balance of $6,711. having been carried over from the last fiscal year, showing the finances to be in a very satisfactory condition. During the present month $13,417.15 has been received from Taxes, for the Park Fund.

Architect Percy submitted a plan relative to the enlargement of the present Office and the Chairman was authorized to attend to necessary repairs and to expend about $2200.- for said alterations and furniture for the Office.

A committee of gentlemen from the Ypres Road were present relative to the laying of water pipe in order that the road now being constructed might be kept properly watered. Direction was taken and the Sec'y instructed to write to Chas. W. Howard, Chairman of the Citizens Ypres Road Committee, stating that the Commission will be pleased to meet him, and the other gentlemen of said Committee, at an early date relative to the water pipe.

Park Officer Dearborn was granted a leave of absence for 30 days. His monthly salary to be allowed, and the Supt. instructed to put a man in his place during said absence.

A communication was received from Mrs. F. A Logan proposing to submit a plan to the Commissioners for a "Peoples Liberty Monument." (Referred to Com'rs. Demmid with power to act.")

A communication was received from C. P Finda, Secty. of the U. S. Bicycle Club, suggesting that bicyclists be required to sound whistles or bells, instead of carrying lanterns, when riding in the Park at night. The Secty. was instructed to write to him stating that the Board of Park Comrs. were having framed a new set of Ordinances and invite him to submit a set of Ordinances governing wheelmen in the Park.

A proposition was received from T. M. Murphy Esq. for the privilege of renting the Children's Play House & Grounds. No action was taken until a more definite proposition could be submitted.

The Secty. was instructed to send a letter of thanks to C. Siegfried for the Trees he donated to the Park.

On motion of Com'r. Demmid seconded by Com'r. Rosbin the uniform of the Park Police was to consist of a cadet gray cutaway single breasted coat & gray helmet shaped hat. The same as the New York Police. The officers were ordered to be supplied within 60 days.

A proposition of letting Hack privileges to some responsible party was discussed.

The Board then adjourned.

W. J. Stock
Secty

Office of
Commissioners of the Golden Gate Park
San Francisco Cal. August 7th 1895.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this day, President Command stated that the meeting had been called for the special purpose of considering how best the Park Commissioners could express their sorrow at the death of the late Chas. F. Crocker. President Command also stated that the loss was very great to the entire State, but would be keenly felt by those particularly interested in the development of Golden Gate Park, in so much as Mr. Crocker had been almost as benefactor in his life with his generosity, coming frequently to the assistance of the Commissioners, by advancing financial aid where most needed for the preservation and improvement of the Peoples Park.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted, and ordered spread upon the minutes of this Commission, and a copy thereof sent to Col. Chas. F. Crocker to be delivered by him to the family of the deceased.

Whereas, It hath pleased divine Providence to call hence that enterprising and public spirited citizen Charles Crocker, in the midst of a useful and honored career;

Whereas; this special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners has been called for the purpose of taking suitable action commemorative of the magnanimity and public services of the deceased, and recollecting that he restored to the people the Conservatory, which destroyed by fire, and recollecting also his many other acts of generosity towards the Park, be it Resolved;

1st. That as the guardians of Golden Gate Park, we deeply deplore the loss of Charles Crocker, a man whose acts of generosity will be a lasting monument in Golden Gate.

2nd. That by his death Golden Gate Park has lost a friend who was never known to fail to extend a

who's finances were needed to preserve and improve the Park

3rd. That by the death of Charles Crocker, the State of California loses one of its enterprising citizens, who loved the prosperity of the State as dearly as that of his own interests.

4th. That with sorrow we take note of his death, and with gratitude are we mindful of the acts he has performed

5th. That we deeply sympathize with those nearer to him than friends and fellow citizens, and in their great and irreparable loss, we offer them our heart felt condolence, and the consolation in part that the benificent acts he has performed throughout all portions of this State, will forever hold his memory dear.

And be it further Resolved. That these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Board, and a copy thereof sent to the bereaved family.

W. W. Bloch
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 31/68 at the Office of Comr. Emmons were present,

Comr. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos. L. Austin
" W. C. Ormond.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

Bills to the amount of $277.33 were examined and ordered paid. Salaries $116.65 15.00 $316.98

Communications was received from Dr. H. Murphy relative to the management of the Children's Play House. No action was taken in regard to the matter until the special meeting of the Board is held on or about the 15th of Sept.

The plan for enlarging the present office was submitted to the Board, and the President was authorized to make arrangements for letting the Contract with full power to act for the building of an extra room for the use of the Supt.

Supt Pollock was appointed a pro tem Police Officer

On motion of Comr. Ormond seconded by Comr. Austin, the Chairman was authorized to contract for the building of a fence around the proposed Deer Park.

In regard to the purchase of awnings for the Children's Quarters the matter was left to Comr Austin with full power to act.

The Report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Officer Timson was read and approved and ordered placed on file

Com'rs Hammond and Dimond were appointed a Committee to look into the matter of the Park Water Works with the object of seeing whether the Board could not advantageously take charge of the said Works

The rental of the Casino was referred to Com'r Austin to report at the next meeting.

The question of supplying the people in the vicinity of the Park with water was discussed by the Supt. was instructed to find out the persons who use said water, how much they use &c. & to report at the special meeting to be held about the 15th inst

The Board then adjourned to meet about the 15th of Sept.

E. E. Black

A new regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 7th/81 at the Casino, were present:

Com'r R. D. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jas Austin
" W. H. Dimond (absent)

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The absence of Com. Dimond was caused by the changing of the date of meeting from Saturday to Friday He having made arrangements to come on the former day

Bills to the amount of $ 6376.45 were examined and ordered paid

Bills $ 1891.80 Salaries $ 4484.65

Com'r Hammond reported that the contract had been let for the enlarging of the present Office and that work had been commenced.

In reference to the proposed Deer Park, Com'r Hammond reported that the survey had been made and the contract for the building of the Fence had been let to P. H. McDonald.

Com'r Austin reported that Patrick Durcan of Duncans Mills had generously donated 10 Deer to the Park. He also would take charge of them until the Deer Park would be in condition to receive them. Secty was instructed to send him a letter of thanks for his kindness.

Com'r Austin reported in reference to the swings for the Children's Play Grounds that he had selected 10 at $ 10 apiece. He had not as yet received them. Com'r Hammond was authorized to contract for such necessary swings, boards &c. only that all demands & bills he should contract be paid for by the Board

In reference to the Park Water Works, Com'r. Hammond stated that the Board would take Charge of said Works on Jan.y 1st and the Secty instructed to notify the Contractor Jas. D. Bradbury of said action and that he should communicate to the Board if he has reasons to show contrary to said action.

In reference to the rental of the Casino no action was taken.

No action was taken in regard to the persons using Park Water.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read & ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read & ordered placed on file.

The Secty. was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Mr. Leby for his generosity in giving sand to the Park and having it hauled gratis to the Park.

The Secty was instructed to write to Mayor Pond stating that his communications recommending Mr. Healy to Park Water force has been received and that the Board would be unable to grant his request as the party named was incapable of doing hard work.

The Board then adjourned.

W. Hinks
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Pt. Lobos Lodge, Oct. 27th, 1881 were present.

Comr. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin
" H. C. Dimond

Mayor Pond absent.

The following business was transacted;
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.
Bills to the amount of $349.61 were examined and ordered paid Viz: #1876.40 Bills $473.21

Genl. Dimond reported that L. L. Robinson had some deer which he was willing to donate to the Park. The Secretary was instructed to notify the Gentleman that the Park Commissioners would accept them as soon as the Park was ready. and also to send him a letter of thanks for his kindness.

A communication was received from J. Gilligan of Sacramento, accompanying a shipment of flower seeds. The Secty was instructed to send him a letter of thanks.

A communication was received from M. Keating, Esq of Lower Lake, Lake Co. offering to donate to the Park some quail and 2 cows.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond the Lease of the Children's Quarters was let to Geo. Murphy Esq subject to certain alterations in the Lease which the Chairman had suggested.

A communication was received from the California Electric Light Co. proposing to furnish Electric Lights in the Children's Quarters. No action was taken by the Board, and by the suggestion of the Chairman the matter was laid over.

Bills for the repainting & repairing of glass &c. of the Conservatory & Old Band Stand were as follows.

H. Mason. $2140. P. Ayman $1935. P. Eaton $2240

No action was taken by the Bds relative to the Stand & the

The Fountains in the Conservatory were found to need repairing, & the Supt. authorized to have them repaired at a cost not exceeding $50.-

The Superintendent was authorized to have steps built at the East & South Entrance of the Conservatory. Cost about $60.

The Supt. was instructed to have planted a hedge in the centre of the Speed Track.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

On motion of Com'r Osmond seconded by Com'r. Austin it was decided to lay out & plant a track of land of flowers for the "Fruit and Flower Missions" for their special benefit. Said flowers to be picked weekly by the Supt for them.

Pres. Hammond then called the attention of the Board to the many matters pending or coming up from time to time in regard to which the Board required the professional assistance of an Attorney, & particularly about leasing the New Children's Quarters, the releasing of the Casino, and the adoption of proper ordinances for the regulation and use of the Park. The President also called the attention to the fact that application had been made by the Board & the City and County Attorney of the City and County of San Francisco, for legal services in some of their actions and that that official had declined to render legal services to the Board, because of lack of time, and because he was not the official attorney of the Board and that consequently some special provision for the employment of an attorney would be required. On motion of Com'r. Hammond, seconded by Com'r. Austin, the following resolution was thereupon proposed voted on and unanimously adopted, to wit:

Resolved, That Harold Wheeler be and is hereby appointed to be the attorney of the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, to continue such from and after the date of this meeting and until his appointment is revoked by resolution of this Board, the duties of said appointment being that said Attorney may advise with the Board as to their legal rights, duties and official acts, and may as such Attorney of the Board perform such special legal services as may from time to time be required; and be it further Resolved, That the sum of Five Hundred

dollars per annum be, and is hereby fixed as the compensation of said Attorney for his general services as such legal advisor of the Board, of which sum one half shall be paid to said Attorney on the first day of December of each year, and the other half thereof on the first day of June thereof, during the continuance of his employment as such Attorney; and that for such special services as shall from time to time be rendered by said Attorney to this Board (other than the consultations and advices above referred to and provided for) such additional compensation be paid to said Attorney as shall from time to time be directed by this Board, and that the President of this Board be and he is hereby authorized to draw all warrants and to make all payments to said Attorney hereinabove provided for as the same shall become due.

The Board then adjourned.

W. H. Stock
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 27/88 at Park Lodge, were present,

Com'r. R. D. Hammond. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin. (absent)
" H. H. Dimond. "

The following business was transacted.
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The object of the meeting was to sign the warrants for the Month of Nov./88 and also to set aside a day for the dedication of the Childrens' Quarters.

Com'r. Hammond reported that the Board had decided to have the Dedication on Saturday Dec 3d with appropriate exercises Prof. [illegible] on account of [illegible]

A communication was received from Herbst Bros Humboldt & Co. donating to the Park some deer. The Secty was instructed to send them a letter of thanks

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on file

The Board then adjourned.

H. H. Dimond
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 19th. at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. R. P. Hammond in the Chair
" W. Austin
" H. H. Dimond. (absent)

Mayor Pond absent.

The following business was transacted,
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
Bills to the amount of $ 7968.47 were examined and ordered paid

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. Mc Laurd was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Report of Officer Thomson was read and approved and ordered to be placed on file

A communication was received from Mrs. M. M. Childs asking to dispose of some curios in a Museum, to the Park. The Secretary was instructed to answer the communication, stating that the Board of Park Commissioners are not desirous of having a Museum and hence unable, and they would be pleased to receive donations of any kind.

A communication was received from L.H.O. Lange, asking to donate a Swan to the Park. The Secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Lange that the Board accepts the said offer, provided it be delivered to the Park gate of Chase & the Park.

Capt. Cook Keeper of the U.S. revenue Steamer Lincoln offered to present 2 pairs of golden pheasants to the Park. The offer was kindly accepted by the Board.

A communication was received from C. S. Clarke of Seattle, W.T. Esq. asking to dispose of an Elk to the Park for $ 125. The Secretary was instructed to answer the said communication stating that all

the Deer have been donated to the Park, and the Board have found it unnecessary to purchase any animals.

A communication was received from Mayor Pond giving his opinion relative to the claim of H.B. Broadbury for $ 2000. balance claimed by him. No action was taken, and the matter was laid over until the full Board be present at a special meeting to be held Saturday Jan. 19/89

W.F. Bock
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 16/69, at the Office of Gen. Dimond, were present.

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" H. H. Dimond

The following business was transacted:

A Committee from the "Starr King Monument" appeared before the Board asking permission to place a statue of the late Starr King, in Golden Gate Park.
On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond, permission was granted, the location to be selected by the President of the Board of Park Commissioners, and the President of the Starr King Monument Committee.

The following Ordinance which had been prepared by Attorney Wheeler under directions of the Commissioners was then presented for consideration, and was, upon motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Dimond unanimously passed and adopted to wit.

Ordinance No. [illegible]

The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, believing the following Ordinance to be necessary for the regulation, use, and government of Golden Gate Park, Buena Vista Park, and the Avenues leading to said Golden Gate Park, the Great Highway, Mountain Lake Park, Point Lobos avenue, and such other streets, parks, and grounds as are placed under the jurisdiction and control of the said Park Commissioners by, and as are described in, those certain Acts of the Legislature of the State of California, "An Act for the Improvement of Public Parks in the City and County of San Francisco" approved April 11, 1870; "An Act concerning certain public reservations of the City and County of San Francisco" approved March 11, 1874, "An Act to extend the jurisdiction of the Park Commissioners over a certain Highway in the City and County of San Francisco, approved April 1, 1878, and all Acts amendatory of and supplementary to the said Acts, do Ordain and Enact as follows;

Section 1. No person shall trespass on the grounds within the limits of said parks, streets, avenues, and places.

Section 2. Within the said grounds and the limits of the said parks, highways, streets and avenues all persons are hereby forbidden;

1st. To lead, turn in, or let loose, any cattle, horses, goats, sheep, swine, dogs or fowls of any kind

2nd. To carry or discharge firearms, firecrackers, rockets, torpedoes, or other fireworks.

3d. To cut, break, or in any way injure, or deface any trees shrubs, plants, buildings, monuments, structures, rocks, stones, fences, benches, or other apparatus or property, or to write upon the same.

4th. To cut or remove any wood, turf, grass, soil or rock

5th. To distribute any handbills or circulars, or to post or otherwise affix any bills, notices or other paper upon any tree or structure within the said grounds and avenues, or upon any fence, gate or inclosure thereof.

6th. To bathe in, or otherwise pollute the water of any pond, stream, lake or pool.

7th. To chase, set snares for catch injure or destroy any rabbits, quail or other wild quadruped or birds; or to injure or maltreat any domesticated or other animals

8th. To make or kindle a fire of any kind

9th. To camp, lodge, or tarry over night.

10th To ride or drive any horse or other animal, or to propel any vehicle, elsewhere than on the roads or drives provided for such purpose

11th To indulge in riotous, boisterous or indecent conduct or language.

12th. To vend or sell, or to offer for sale, any merchandise or article or thing whatsoever, without the written consent of the Park Commissioners.

13th. To hitch or fasten any horse or other animal, except at such places as shall be specially designated and provided for such purpose

14th To play ball, fly kites, play football or engage in other games, except at such places, as shall be especially designated and provided for such purpose

15th To ride or drive upon any of the roads or drives

at a rate of speed exceeding that of a mile in six minutes, or ten miles an hour; provided, that persons shall not be deemed to be forbidden by this section from riding or driving at a greater rate of speed than hereinabove designated upon such road or roads or portions thereof as shall be especially provided and set apart by the said Park Commissioners for the purpose of fast driving or speeding

16th To ride or drive any wild horse or mule, or any breaking cart or other vehicle used in breaking horses.

17th To tell fortunes, or maintain or play at any game of chance, or to maintain or exhibit any gaming table or other instrument of gaming.

18th To build, put, place, erect, have, keep, or maintain or cause to be built, put, placed, erected, had, kept, or maintained, any nuisance, or any fence, building, structure, obstruction or other thing which shall in any manner obstruct any part of said parks, avenues, highways, streets or grounds, or which shall in any way prevent, hinder or impair the full and free use and enjoyment thereof.

19th To violate or disobey any of the terms, requirements or parts of this Ordinance, or any of the rules or regulations which the said Park Commissioners shall from time to time publicly post or otherwise publicly announce for the government and direction of any part of the said Parks, avenues, highways and grounds

Section 3. No dray, truck, wagon, cart or other vehicle carrying or regularly employed in carrying goods, merchandise, manure, soil or other article of commerce or trade, shall travel upon any of the drives of said avenue for any other purpose than to cross the same immediately at the several street intersections, nor upon any of the drives of the said parks except such regular transfer, crossings and traffic roads as may be provided for such use.

Section 4. No person having the care or control of any dog shall suffer or permit such dog to enter or remain in Golden Gate Park or the avenue leading thereto, unless such dog be led by a line or chain of suitable strength and of not more than six feet in length.

Section 5. No funeral procession, hearse or other vehicle carrying the body of a deceased person for burial

shall enter or go in or upon any part of Golden Gate Park or of the avenue leading thereto.

Section 6. No public meeting and no public discussion or debate, shall be held within the limits of the said Parks, avenues and grounds.

Section 7. No coach or vehicle used for hire shall stand upon any part of Golden Gate Park or the avenue leading thereto for the purpose of soliciting a taking in any person or passenger; and no driver of any coach or vehicle shall solicit custom or passengers within ten feet of an entrance to Golden Gate Park or avenue.

Section 8. No drunken, noisy, disorderly or publicly offensive person shall be allowed within the said parks, highways, avenues or grounds

Section 9. No male person over the age of ten years shall enter any ladies' toilet within the said parks or grounds, or shall go into the vault of any such toilet; and no person shall cut or deface the walls of any toilet or structure within the said parks and grounds, or shall cut or write thereon any name, or any obscene or indecent or other language

Section 10. Any company, society or organization of any kind which is desirous of assembling in said parks, avenues, highways or grounds or in a body for the purpose of marching, and any military or other organized company marching, parading within the said grounds shall open the way of such processions of parading companies, societies or organizations shall not exceed fifty persons, at least one day prior to the proposed date of procession or parade, report or cause to be reported its intention to the Superintendent of the said parks and avenues or to the Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners

Section 11. No person shall place or propel any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or similar vehicle on any sidewalk or footpath on or around Golden Gate Park and the avenue leading thereto; and on Saturdays, Sundays and holidays no person shall place or propel any bicycle, tricycle or velocipede or similar vehicle on or in that portion of Golden Gate Park known as Conservatory Valley, or that portion thereof adjacent to the music Stand.

Section 12. The drivers of all animals, teams or vehicles passing each other in opposite directions on any road in said

parks, avenues and grounds shall keep to the right of the road, in such way that each team or vehicle in passing shall have the other on the left side.

Section 13. Any person occupying or squatting upon any portion of the said parks, avenues, highway and grounds, who, after written notice from the Superintendent of said Parks, shall neglect or refuse to depart therefrom within twelve hours after the receipt of such notice shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 14. Whenever any person or persons shall have built, put, placed, erected or maintained upon any part of any of the said parks, avenues, highways, streets or grounds, any nuisance, or any building, fence structure, or other thing which shall in any manner obstruct any part of said parks, avenues, highway, streets or grounds, or shall in any way prevent, hinder or impair the full and free use and enjoyment thereof, the Superintendent of Golden Gate Park and the Superintendent of Streets Highways and Squares of the City and County of San Francisco, are severally hereby authorized, directed and empowered summarily to abate all such nuisances and to remove all such fences, buildings, structures and things so obstructing the said parks, avenues, highway, streets or grounds. Should the materials constituting such nuisance or obstruction appear to the officer removing the same to be of any pecuniary value, they may be removed to storage to such place as shall be designated by the Park Commissioners

Section 15. There is hereby established a pound, to be located within the limits of the said parks, for the impounding of all animals and strays found trespassing upon said grounds. All such animals shall be driven or carried to the said pound, and while they are there in record and impounded a charge shall be made by the superintendent of the same, against the owners of said animals of one dollar per day, a fraction of a day for each animal so impounded. Animals that impounded may be released upon proof of property and payment to the Superintendent of the Park of the full charges recorded against them; and upon such release the Superintendent shall give a

receipt in writing for each sum so collected by him. If unclaimed and unredeemed for three days, all such animals shall be impounded in the City Pound

All money accruing from the Pound charges and fees aforesaid shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners; and such moneys, as well as those collected as fines from offenders against any of the provisions of the ordinances of the said Park Commissioners shall be added to the "Park Improvement Fund:" and became a part thereof.

Section 16. The building situated in Golden Gate Park and known as the Sharon Building, and the grounds around and adjacent to the same, including the the grounds whereon which are situated the Swings, Spring boards, merry go round, croquet games, tennis courts, and the grounds prepared for baseball and other sports, are hereby designated and set apart as quarters and play ground for the children who shall visit the Park, and shall be used and occupied exclusively by said children and the parents, guardians & other persons accompanying or having the said children in charge. The rules and regulations for the government of said Childrens Quarters and Play ground, and the particular designation of the persons who shall be entitled to use and enjoy the same, and of the occupations and amusements which may be carried on upon the same, shall be designated from time to time hereafter by the Park Commissioners by printed notices which shall be posted in some conspicuous point in or near the said Building; and all persons visiting or using said Childrens Quarters and Play ground shall conform to and obey such posted rules and regulations

Section 17. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not less than five days nor more

than six months.

Victim 18 Power and authority is hereby given to the Superintendent and to the Head Gardener of Golden Gate Park, to the Park Police and to any of the foremen employed in said Parks, avenues or grounds to arrest and detain and deliver to the proper authorities (or in their discretion, to eject and expel from the said parks, avenues and grounds), any person or persons who shall violate or offend against any of the provisions of this Ordinance or of any other Ordinances or rules that may hereafter be passed or adopted for the regulation and government of said parks, avenues and grounds

Victim 19. Whenever any person shall be arrested for an offense against any of the ordinances or rules governing the said Parks, avenues and grounds, the Superintendent of said Parks or of the park or place in which such offense shall have been committed, may in his discretion release such person from custody upon receiving from him a deposit of not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars, as bail or guaranty for such person's appearance in the proper court on the calling of the charge or case against him. All such moneys shall be forfeited by the failure of such arrested person to appear in said court on the calling of the charge and case against him; and all moneys so forfeited shall be deposited in and become a part of the Park Improvement Fund.

Victim 20 All rules and regulations heretofore adopted or passed by the said Park Commissioners, for the government, use or control of the said parks, avenues, highways and grounds are hereby repealed.

Victim 21 This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after the date of its passage; and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted, in the San Francisco Daily Report, a daily newspaper published in said City and County of San Francisco; such newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners

Upon motion of Com'r Austin seconded by Com'r Dimond, it was further Resolved, that Mr Wheeler be and he is hereby authorized on behalf of this Board to cause the said Ordinance to be duly published forthwith in the S.F. Daily Report; also to cause the said Ordinance, and all the Statutes and other laws pertaining to the organization, powers and duties of the said Commissioners to be printed in pamphlet form.

On motion of Com'r Austin seconded by Com'r Dimond the sum of $250- was authorized paid to Attorney Wheeler for his services.

On motion of Com'r Austin seconded by Com'r Dimond, the following Resolution was passed:

Whereas: For the purpose conducting and improvement of the Childrens' Quarters and Playground, which have recently been constructed, it is in our judgment absolutely necessary to collect data, plans and information from other parks, pertaining to this general subject, and

Whereas; The President of our Board is about to spend several weeks visiting the various Eastern parks, now therefore be it

Resolved, That we hereby ask and request him that he will undertake the collecting of such information, as he deems necessary for such purpose, and in order to partially defray the expenses of this, be it

Resolved, That a check for $300. upon the Known Fund be, and is hereby drawn in his favor for such purpose

On motion of Com'r Austin seconded by Com'r Dimond, the Superintendent was directed to commence the bridle path at the earliest opportunity

The Board then adjourned

W. W. Stow
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge, May 2nd 89 were present.

Com'rs R. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" H. H. Osmond
" Jno. Huston

Consulting Engineer Hall, and Attorney Wheler present.

The following business was transacted.

On motion of Com'r Osmond seconded by Com'r Huston, it was moved that the President of the Commission be authorized to expend $500. from the net proceeds of the Childrens' Quarters for the celebration of May Day

On motion of Com'r Huston seconded by Com'r Osmond the Chairman of the Board was authorized to make arrangements for the surveys to be made in remodeling the present Music Grounds, and the building of a Bridge across the main drive at Chest Park, and such other surveys as may be deemed necessary

Com'r Osmond reported that he would have his report relative to his visit to the Eastern parks, ready at the next meeting.

A communication was received from H. L. Johnson Town Clerk of Los Angeles, asking for a copy of the rules and regulations of the Park. The Secretary was instructed to send him a Copy.

A communication was received from H. Davis, Esq. relative to the disposal of Park Carriages. The Secretary was instructed to send him a letter, stating that the Park would have no use for the at present

A bill was presented by Mr. Kelly for $909. with a draft for a Contract for construction of Childrens Play House. The Secretary was instructed to have a check and contract ready for signature

The bill of Lansing & Cushing for $2522.50 for the building of the Bridge &c, was ordered paid

The monthly repots of Asst. Supt. Mc Laren for Jan. Feb. & March 89 were read and ordered placed on file

The monthly repots of Officer Thomsen for Feb and March 89 were read and ordered placed on file

The monthly repots for Feb. and March 89 of Geo. W. Murphy, Lessee of the Childrens' Quarters were read and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com'r Osmond seconded by Com'r Huston, the Chairman of the Board and the Supt. were authorized to buy 2 soda Water Carts

A petition was received from C. D. Tilford and others, requesting curves of property on Oak and Fell Sts. running parallel to the Park, to the straining out of lots. It was referred to the Chairman and Engineer to look into the matter and report to the Board.

President Hammond then called the attention of the Board to the resolution adopted at the meeting of November 1888, appointing Mr. Harold Wheler to be the Attorney of the Board. The President stated that since the passage of said Resolution he had been advised by Mr. Wheler that it was doubtful whether the Board under the law then in force could properly appoint any one to the office of Attorney or legal adviser to the Board, & that Mr. Wheler therefore recommended the repeal of said Resolution. On motion duly made and seconded, the following Resolution was then unanimously adopted.

"Resolved, that the resolution adopted by this Board on November 1888, appointing Harold Wheler to be the legal adviser of the Board, be and the same is hereby cancelled, vacated, and set aside."

The President further called attention to the need that for the government and maintenance of the

Park passed by the Legislature during the recent session and taking effect Mar. 11th 1889, under which Act, authority is given to the Commission to employ such assistants and officers as should seem necessary, the President stated that inasmuch as a larger amount of money would probably be appropriated to the Park under the new law than heretofore, many matters of importance, requiring legal advice would soon have to be undertaken by the Board, which the Board had been obliged thus far to postpone for lack of funds. On motion of Com'r Osmond, seconded by Com'r Austin, the following resolution was then adopted:

"Resolved, That Harold Wheeler be, and he is hereby appointed to be the attorney of the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco to advise such Board and after the date of this meeting and until his appointment be revoked by action of this Board, the powers and duties of said Attorney shall be as follows, viz: He shall advise this Board and each of the members thereof as to their legal rights, duties, and official acts. He shall, as such attorney of the Board, render such special legal service as may from time to time be required, and be it further

Resolved, That the sum of Five Hundred ($500) dollars be and the same is hereby, fixed as the compensation of said Attorney for his general services as such legal advisor of the Board, which said sum shall be paid to him by the Auditor and Controller out of the moneys of each and every fund applicable to the payment of the salaries of the officers of the Board, on the 1st day of July, 1889, and that in such services as may be rendered by said Attorney to this Board in addition to the general services above mentioned, such additional compensation shall be fixed by the Board, and that the President of the Board be, and he is hereby, authorized to [illegible] payments to

said Attorney hereinabove provided for, as the same shall become due."

The Secretary reported that the new Park Ordinances (Ordinance No. 11) adopted by the Board at the meeting of January 16th. 1889, had been duly published in the Daily Report pursuant to the directions contained in said Ordinance, said publication being daily for a period of at least ten days commencing January 21st. 1889. The Secty. also presented to the Board an affidavit of the publication of the Ordinance in due form, sworn to by H. M. McKinney, Chief Clerk of the paper on Mar. 19th. 1889. The affidavit was ordered placed on file.

On motion, duly made, it was ordered that the President of the Board be authorized on behalf of the Board to take such steps as should be necessary for closing the contract with Mr. Kelly in regard to the Children's Play House, also to consult with Mr. Wheeler and to take such steps as should be necessary for altering or amending the contract and arrangement heretofore made with Mr. Tyler in regard to the Merry go-round.

On motion, duly made, it was ordered that a check for Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars be drawn payable to Harold Wheeler on account of legal services rendered in the matter of the Sharon Deaths, &c.

The Board then took under consideration various proposed alterations and improvements in the Park, particularly (1) The enlargement of the Drive way near the Music Stand; (2) The widening of the approaches to the Music Stand; (3) The erection of a bridge for foot passengers from Chicken Point; (4) The construction of a promenade for carriages near the Music Stand. On motion duly made, the President was instructed to investigate these various matters & consult with the Consulting Engineer of the Park, Mr. William Hamm Hall, Engineer & the Park Commissioners, & have estimates, plans, and preliminary surveys made and prepared as should be necessary reporting the same at the next meeting of the Board;

and to make such arangements as should be
necessary with Mr. Hall for the payment for
the work involved in these preliminaries.

There being no further

V. P. Hall
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners
held Apr. 25th 89 at Park Lodge, were present;

Com'r. D. D. Hammond in the Chair
" Jas. Austin
" W. H. Diamond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was
dispensed with.

Bills for labor to the amount of $ 84.00 for the month of April
were examined and ordered paid.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. Mc Laren was read
and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and
ordered placed on file

A communication was received from J. E. Mc. Dowell Esq
of Tassie, Cal. wishing to donate two bears to the
Park The Secretary was instructed to send him
a letter of thanks, for his generosity, and declining
the offer, as there was no accomodations at present in
the Park

A communication was received from H. C. Tyler & Co.
tendering the free use of the Merry go round during
the May day festivities. Said offer was accepted.

C. O. Fairfield Esq. appeared before the Board relative
to the thinning out of the trees in the Park in the
vicinity of Oak and Fell sts. On motion of Com'r
Diamond seconded by Com'r Austin it was resolved
that the Supt. & Consulting Engineer with full power
to act.
The Engineer was requested to have a Report and estimate
of cost &c. &c. relative to the thinning out of trees

The Superintendent was instructed to cut [illegible]

bridle path, and also to finish the pedestrian path as far as the Lot.

Upon W. Bunker Esq. appeared before the Board and presented a petition for the construction of a Menagerie in the Park. After a general discussion it was decided that no action be taken until the necessary amount required had been subscribed.

Supt McLaren stated to the Board that it was becoming difficult to obtain a sufficient supply of water.

On motion of Com'r. Osmond seconded by Com'r Austin it was decided that the President be appointed to consult with the Attorney of the Board relative to the Board taking charge of the water works & the running of the same.

On motion of Com'r. Osmond seconded by Com'r. Austin the Board adjourned until a special meeting be held within the next 2 weeks.

T. H. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 7th, at the Office of Genl. Osmond, were present,

Com'r R. J. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" W. H. Osmond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Bills and warrants to the amount of $ 87.16.3d were examined, and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

The monthly Repot of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Repot of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file.

Wm. Bradley, with his attorney W. C. Burnett, Esq. appeared before the Board relative to the Balance claimed to be due him.

On motion of Com'r. Osmond seconded by Com'r Austin no action was taken in regard to the matter, and it was postponed until a special meeting to be held within 15 days, for that special purpose.

W. C. Burnett, Esq. asked on behalf of the Old Veterans Home at Yorkville for cuttings of plants & shrubs. Referred to Chairman.

A communication was received from Chas. H. Good Esq. of the Cal. Ostrich Farming Co. offering 1 pair of land Ostriches to the Park. Said offer was accepted. Secretary instructed to send him a letter of acceptance & Mr. Burnett, Esq. to return thanks for his generosity. Also one to Wm. Bunker Esq for his kindness in seeing that the Park received the said donations.

bridle path, and also to finish the pedestrian path as far as the Cut

Wm. M. Bunker Esq. appeared before the Board and presented a petition for the construction of a Menagerie in the Park. After a general discussion it was decided that no action be taken until the necessary amount required had been subscribed.

Supt. McLaren stated to the Board that it was becoming difficult to obtain a sufficient supply of water.

On motion of Com'r. Dimond seconded by Com'r. Austin it was decided that the President be appointed to consult with the Attorney of the Board relative to the Board taking charge of the water works & the running of the same.

On motion of Com'r. Dimond seconded by Com'r. Austin the Board adjourned until a special meeting be held within the next 2 weeks.

W. W. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 7th/89, at the Office of Gen. Dimond, were present;

Com'r. R. D. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" H. C. Dimond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Bills and warrants to the amount of $ 87.16.25 were examined, and ordered paid out of the Park Improvement Fund.

The monthly Repat of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Repat of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

Mr. Bradley, with his attorney W. C. Burnett. Esq. appeared before the Board, relative to the Balance claimed to be due him.

On motion of Com'r. Dimond seconded by Com'r. Austin no action was taken in regard to the matter, and it was postponed until a special meeting to be held within 15 days, for that special purpose.

W. C. Burnett. Esq. asked on behalf of the Old Veterans Home at Yountville for cuttings of plants & shrubs. Referred to Chairman.

A communication was received from Chas. H. Good Esq. of the Cal. Ostrich Farming Co. offering 1 pair of land Ostriches to the Park. Said offer was accepted. Secretary instructed to send him a letter of acceptance & thanks for his generosity. Also one to Wm. Bunker Esq for his kindness in securing for the Park, received the said donations.

Messrs Foley, McAfee & Baldwin appeared before the Board for permission to remove a mound of sand opposite the Block bounded by 4th & 5th aves. & C. & D St. They being the owners of said land. Said land being part of the Park. Referred to the Chairman with power to act, and to grant said permission if necessary.

After a general discussion relative to the acceptance & completion of the Speed Track, provided the new appropriation be granted by the Board of Supervisors, the Board then adjourned until a special meeting, which will be called in about 15 days.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Black
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 27th, at the Office of Com. Hammond, were present,

Com'r. J. P. Hammond in the Chair
" Jas. Austin
" W. H. Diamond (absent)

Attorney Wheeler & Chas. Webb Howard Esq. of the Speed Road Committee present

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

President Hammond read a communication, which the Board of Park Commissioners had addressed to Supt. Foley, of the House of Correction, relative to procuring the temporary use of the prisoners, under his charge, for the completion of the Speed Road, and the improvement of grounds in said vicinity, as this work could not otherwise be done, and as the men were now employed building roads in the vicinity of the Park, by order of the Supervisors.

Com'r. Hammond then read the answer of Supt. Foley to the above communication, in which he stated that he would be pleased to lay before the Board the following proposition. He would agree to furnish 30 convicts for the completion of the Park Speed road, and other improvements in said vicinity, provided the Commissioners defray the expenses of transportation to the Park, and the pay of the 3 guards

Upon motion of Com'r. Hammond seconded by Com'r. Austin, it was moved that the foregoing proposition be accepted, and that the Superintendent be instructed to and the Supt. of the House of Correction, relative to the work of the said prisoners, which would commence on July 1st/89

The application of the Committee of the "1 Hour League" to hold its mass meeting on the 4th of July, in the Old Music Grounds was granted.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file.
A communication was received from T. Morton, Esq. Principal Boys High School, which was read, and ordered placed on file

The request of Walter Reed, Esq. of the State Board of Forestry, for some of the surplus trees of the Park, was referred to the Supt. and he was directed to state, that the Park, would be pleased to grant his request, and also to make exchanges, with some of the surplus stock, of the State Board of Forestry.

The Supt. was instructed to make arrangements for the keeping of the Ostriches when they arrived

The communication of C. C. Capps Esq. was referred to the Supt. and he was instructed to look into the matter, and to report to the Chairman

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to S. Bizzard of Oakland, thanking him for his kind offer of donating squirrels to the Park

A communication was received from Prof. Davidson of the U.S. Coast & Geodetic Survey, which was read and ordered filed in the

Permission was granted to Messrs. Dye. Lee and Dahlman to erect a tent in the Park near the place where they are grading on G. & 10th Ave. West.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned subject to the call of the Chairman

T. T. Hoch, Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held July 27th 1869 at the Office of Com'r. Hammond were present

Com'r. R. P. Hammond, in the Chair
" Jas. Austin
" W. H. Hammond (absent)

Attorney Wheeler, present.
The following business was transacted:

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Warrants for labor and material for the month of July 1869, to the amount of $ 7424.39 were examined and ordered paid.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read, and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

A communication was received from Prof. Davidson of the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Secty. was instructed to send him a letter of thanks, acknowledgment of receipt of said communication

Pres. Hammond reported to the Board that, pursuant to the Resolution adopted by the Board on March 29th 1869 a warrant had been on the 1st. day of July 1869 issued to Harold Wheeler, the Attorney of the Board, for the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty (250) Dollars, for payment for the first half of the yearly compensation fixed by the said Resolution, that since the issuance of said Warrant the suggestion had been made, through the Auditor of the City and County of San Francisco, of a doubt as to the legal power of issuing a warrant covering six months, that accordingly the warrant had been returned to this Board, and that an order to obviate

any question as to the regularity & propriety of the
aforesaid. Dr. Wheeler had suggested that the warrant
so issued be cancelled, that the terms of the Resolution
of March 29th 1879, be so amended as to avoid any
such question in the future, and that a new warrant
for proper amount be issued in lieu of the former
one. On motion duly made and seconded the following
Resolution was then unanimously adopted;

"Resolved, that the Resolution adopted by
this Board on March 29, 1880, and entered in the Minutes
of the proceedings of that date, appointing Harold
Wheeler to be the Attorney and Legal Adviser of
this Board, be, and the same is hereby, amended
with respect to the time when the compensation
therein provided for shall be paid to said
Attorney; and that of the sums of Five Hundred
($500 Dollars, fixed by said Resolution as the
annual compensation of said Attorney for his
general services as Legal adviser of the Board,
one quarter thereof be paid to said Attorney on the
1st day of July of each year, one quarter thereof
on the 1st day of October of each year, one quarter
on the 1st day of January of each year, and the
remainder thereof on the 1st day of April of each
year, during the continuance of his employment
as said Attorney; and that the President of this
Board be, and is hereby authorized to draw all
warrants and make all payments to said Attorney
from time to time as the same shall become
due.

And it is further Resolved that the warrant
heretofore issued by the Park Commissioners to
said Harold Wheeler, in the sum of Two
Hundred and Fifty ($250 Dollars, and dated July 1st
1879, and hereafter returned to said Harold Wheeler
to this Board, be cancelled and destroyed; and that
a new warrant, in the sum of One Hundred and
Fifty ($150 Dollars be forthwith issued to
said Harold Wheeler by this Board for the amount
due to him July 1st 1879 under the terms of this

On motion of Commissioner Austin, the resignation as
Park Commissioner of Wm H. Diamond was accepted,
taking effect from this date. The following resolution
was unanimously adopted.

Whereas, Our colleague, Wm. H. Diamond, has resigned
from the Board of Park Commissioners, and
Whereas, he has positively requested the immediate
acceptance of the same, stating that the Official
duties which he is about to assume as Superintendent
of the Mint, will prevent him from giving the
time and attention necessary to the office of Park
Commissioner, therefore be it
Resolved; That the resignation of Commissioner
Diamond be accepted with much regret, and we
desire to express to him our sincere thanks for
his ever courteous demeanor, and our appreciation
of his official acts, and to express our sincere
regrets that necessity compels him to sever
his connection with us. We take this method
of wishing him most sincerely the success in
his new sphere which undoubtedly his wisdom
and ability will bring him. We feel that we
have lost a generous and wise colleague, and that
the State has lost an honorable and efficient
Park Commissioner.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to prepare specifications and
let Supt. for repairing the Conservatory,
old Music Stand.

Owing to lack of funds the Supt. was not
instructed to discharge 30 laborers on Aug. 1st

D. H. Parker, President of the St. Louis Hose Improvement
Club, appeared before the Board, and thanked the
Commissioners for the interest they had taken in
trying to further the improvements in St. Louis. Hose

That new system of reports, daily, weekly, and monthly
for Supt. and foremen was adopted, and would go
into use Aug. 1st

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

T. T. Block
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 24/40 at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. L. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jos. Curtis

The meeting was called for the special purpose of investigating the condition of the Children's Quarters.

After a general discussion action was deferred on the matter for [illegible]

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

T. T. Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 31/59 at Park Ridge, were present;

Com'r. T. P. Hammond, in the chair
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Chas. Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

Vouchers to the amount of $ 6 267.13. for the month of August were examined and ordered paid

Letters to the superintendent of the Conservatory in Chicago of the Board was authorized to enter into Contract and let bids for the same.

Ordered that a recess

A. A. Sidney Esq. of the Park previously sent for to appear before the Board to explain why the said Superintendent of the Parks of the South Division of Chicago to pay fees

After a general discussion it was on motion of Com'r Austin,

Resolved That A. A. Sidney Esq. be requested by this Board to appear before it at the hour of one o'clock, and to enter into an agreement with the different Cattle Companies to pay fees for the use of the Park

necessary for the same

The salary of the mounted policemen was increased from $75.- to $80. per month.

The Board then adjourned.

T. P. Hammond
Sec'y

Pursuant to the call of the Chair, the Board of Park Commissioners held a Special meeting at 12 o'clock Sept. 2nd. 1879, Commissioners Hammond and Austin being present.

Commissioner Hammond stated that the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Commissioner Orndoff, which was accepted some time ago, had not yet been filled. He for that vacancy nominated W. H. Stow, of San Francisco. Commissioner Austin seconded the nomination, and Mr. Stow was declared duly elected to fill the unexpired term of Commissioner Orndoff resigned. The Secretary was instructed to notify him accordingly.

A regular meeting was set for Saturday Sept. 6th at 2 o'clock at the Park Office.

The Board then adjourned.

W. H. Stow
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 30th, at Park Lodge, were present:

Com'r. R. P. Hammond, (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin
" W. H. Stow.
Attorney Wheeler and City Surveyor Smith.

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Stow, Com'r. Hammond was reappointed Chairman of the Board.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McClure was read and ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from M. S. Lane Esq. relative to building a single track railroad on the Children's Quarter. Referred to Supt. Murphy with the Children's Quarter.

The Sec'y was instructed to send a letter of thanks to H. H. Wilson, Esq. for his donation of a cow to the Park.

Bids for the repairing of the Conservatory and old Music Stand were received, one from D. Kyman for $180. and the other from Geo. Foss & Co. for $150. the latter being the lowest, the Contract was awarded to him.

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Wm. Wm. Harrison Esq. for his kindness in donating a pair of Deer to the Park.

City Surveyor J. Harrison Smith appeared before the Board with plans and Specifications relative to the Sewerage of Point Lobos Avenue District

Relative to the power of the Board of Park Commissioners in regards to the improvements on Point Lobos Avenue the Board decided to hold a meeting on Wednesday Oct. 7th at 2 30 P.M. at the Office of the City Surveyor, and the Secretary was instructed to notify Thos. Mahoney, Supt. of Streets, City and County Attorney Mahoney, Messrs. Parker, Pray & Richard of the Pt. Lobos Avenue Improvement Committee to be present at said meeting.

Relative to the completion of the Speed Road it was decided to call a meeting at some future date, inviting those gentlemen who had already liberally donated, to see what could be done towards its completion. The matter pertaining to the Speed Road was referred to Com'r. Deal.

A communication was received from Geo. Murphy, Esq. asking for the lease of the Casino. Referred to Com'r. Austin who was appointed to look into the matter & report said Casino.

There being no further business the Board then adjourned.

J. V. Stacks
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held Oct. 3. 1889. present Commissioner Osmond in the chair, Austin and Deal. matters pertaining to Point Lobos Avenue were discussed A committee of Messrs Rayford, Vogel and Parker, being present.

The following Resolution was then unanimously adopted;

Whereas The City Engineer of the City and County of San Francisco has under the direction of the Board of Park Commissioners of said City and County, by the advice and consent of the Street Committee of the Honorable Board of Supervisors, and the Superintendent of Streets of the same City and County, prepared and this day filed with the Board, plans and Specifications showing a grade and Sewerage System for Point Lobos Avenue (said Avenue being deemed to be under the jurisdiction of the Board of Park Commissioners for Park and Avenue purposes, as shown.

Whereas; Said plans and specifications have been submitted to and approved by a Committee representing a majority of the property holders of said Avenue, therefore be it

Resolved; That the said plans and specifications, a copy of which is officially filed in the Office, be and are hereby accepted and approved, and the street grades established thereby be declared the official grades of said Avenue, so far as the power & jurisdiction allows the Board to make such declaration

Provided however, that the consent & approval hereby given by the Board of Park Commissioners to the maps, plans and Specifications relating to said Point Lobos Avenue, are upon the express understanding and condition that the said Board of Park Commissioners, its successors & the funds raised or to be raised for the care, supervision and improvement of Parks, or of the Parks Point Lobos Avenue, shall not be subject or

any manner, or to any extent whatever for the work done or to be done, or the material furnished on Point Lobos Avenue or on any part thereof, whether done under the supervision of the Board of Supervisors, or any other City and County official, or by the voluntary action of property holders along the said Avenue.

The Secretary was instructed to file the plans and specifications at the Park Office, and to send a certified copy of the same to the Honorable Board of Supervisors, with a copy of the Resolution adopted

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

W. H. Stout
Secty

Set a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 9th, 89 at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. D. P. Hammond (in the chair)
" Jas. Austin
" W. H. Stout

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication was received from the Ferries and Cliff House Railway Co. for permission to erect a suitable Park Entrance at the terminus of the road on 7th. Ave. and 20th. Street.

Supt. Lynch of the Ferries and Cliff House R. R. Co. appeared before the Board with plans for the proposed Gateway On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r Stout said permission was granted.

A petition was received from the owners of property along the line of 5th. Avenue bet. Point Lobos Avenue and "L" Street for permission to have an entrance made into the Park at 5th Ave and "L" St.
After a general discussion it was directed by grant the request provided that the filling in that is necessary to be made will be done, subject to the approval of the Supt of the Park, and also in conformity with the plans submitted by the Ferries & Cliff House Railway Co.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read and ordered placed on file

The monthly report of Officer Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

A communication was received from Jas. A. Haymond Esq President of the Veterans' Home Association asking for plants & cuttings for said Home Said request was granted

A communication was received from H. P. Garratt Esq relative to the prices charged for material furnished for Ferry & Round in Children's Quarters. Said communication ordered placed on file

A communication was received from A. Sathgall Esq of Dunedin, New Zealand asking for some seeds of the Arundo Phragmites
The Supt. instructed to send him about 250 lbs

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Stout the Superintendent was instructed to care for the plantation on the North side of the Drive, and to use his own discretion in thinning out and replanting the trees

A communication was received from A. Watkins, Esq of the Cliff House for permission to erect a building at the Ocean end of the Spur Road.
The Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Watkins stating that as the Spur road was not completed his proposition would have to be considered at some future date.

The Board then adjourned at the call of the Chairman.

E. H. Bleed
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 29th 69 at Park Lodge were present,

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos Austin
" W. W. Stout

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was read & ordered placed on file

A communication was received from H. E. Oldt Esq of Phenix, Mark. Co. asking to dispose of some Deer. The Secretary was instructed to write to him, stating that the Park have found it unnecessary to purchase any Deer, they having all been donated

A communication was received from C. K. Cox Esq wishing to donate 4 foxes to the Park. The Secty was instructed to thank him for his kind offer, but to decline, as there are no accommodations at the Park for the animals

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to Com'r R. P. Hammond & Wm. Shein Esq. Attorney of the Board at his seat in Company with pamphlet for the laws and ordinances of the Park Commissioners

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to Com'r R. P. Hammond Esq. at the Cosmo, stating that he would be expected to give up possession to the new Lessee, had been elected.

A communication was received from H. Yates & others allowing their respective lots to take place from the Cliff House to the Seal Rocks.

No action was taken in regard to the matter

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

W. V. Bleck
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 16th at Park Lodge, were present,

Com's. C. P. Kennard, in the Chair.
" Jos. Austin.
" W. V. Bleck.

The following business was transacted;

The monthly report of Asst. Superintendent was read and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from H. Sabo Esq. relative to the planting of Sweet Grass on the South Roadway south of the Park. After a general discussion, action was deferred until the next meeting.

Relative to the communication received from Chas. Shilling Esq. for permission to sell the papers in the Park on Saturdays & Sundays. The Secretary was instructed to state that it would be contrary to the Ordinances of the Park, to allow the said privilege.

There being no further business before the Board they adjourned to the call of the Chairman

W. V. B[illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 26th, were present:

Com'r. R. P. Hammond in the Chair
" Jos. Austin
" W. H. Stow.

A. Feliz Esq. and E. McKinley present
The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

M. Feliz Esq. appeared before the Board relative to the planting of Bunch Grass along the Great Highway.

A communication was received from C. P. Last Esq. of Los Angeles, asking to dispose of some animals for a Menagerie. No action was taken in the matter.

A communication was received from L. P. Disford and P. H. Dalton notifying the Park Commissioners that they proposed to grade their property on Lake St. between 7th and 8th Avenues

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file

The resignation of Officer Shotwell of the Park Police was received and accepted

A communication was received from S. Harrison Gale, relative to the payment of $150- being for work performed relative to the Sewerage System of H. Lake Avenue

Supt. McLaren was authorized to employ 75 additional men as soon as the work could be mapped out for them

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

C. O. Block Secty

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 11th/96 at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. R. P. Hammond (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" W. H. Stow.

The following business was transacted;

Relative to the constructing of a Bird House near the Water trough, on the Main Drive the plans which were submitted were accepted; and Chairman Hammond was authorized to enter into Contract for the building of the same. Said price not to exceed $600.-

The question of increasing the present Park Band, and also of Semi-weekly Concerts having been taken up by the Board, Chairman Hammond was authorized to consult with Jos. Redding, Esq. relative to the same.

Owing to the fact that the Park Commissioners have spent more money in the last 60 days in order to oblige the needy, they have found it necessary to discharge quite a number of men, on account of lack of funds, and have therefore resolved, to appoint no more men for the present, and have requested the Chairman to so inform those endorsing applicants for work.

The Board then adjourned.

C. O. Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 7th/90 at Park Lodge, were present,

Com'r. R P Hammond. (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin.
" H. W. Stow.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file

On motion of Com'r. Hammond seconded by Com'r. Austin, Com'r. Stow was appointed Chairman of the Board for the next fiscal year.

A communication was received from J. Bryant Esq. for permission to cut out Hedges on the Sea-beach, front of the Cliff House.
Said request was denied.

A communication and plans was received from J. Sloss Esq. for permission to erect a Camera Obscura on a rock in the Great Highway
Said request was not allowed

A communication was received from J. B. Stone for permission to sell Silhouette pictures within the Park. Said request was not allowed.

A communication was received from Allyn Capron (Capt. U.S. Artillery) offering to donate a Bear to the Park Menagerie. The Secretary was instructed to write said communication declining the offer as the Park had at present no accommodations for

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

C. C. Bloch.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge, June 27/90 were present,

Com'r. W. H. Stow, (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond. (absent)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Monthly Report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file

Relative to the making of the Contract for the Canal to be built in the Park, the matter was referred to the Chairman of the Board, with power to execute the same.

On motion of Com'r. Austin, the Supt. was empowered to appoint a man for the purpose of locating, selecting and superintending the collection of Loam in the vicinity of the Park, and also to hire teams to transport the same.

The Board then adjourned.

T. C. Peck
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 7/90 at Park Lodge, were present,

Com'r. W. H. Stow, (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond. (absent)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Stow Mr. McLaren was appointed Superintendent of the Park

A Communication was received from E. D. McKelvey, Secretary of the Pacific Coast Local Union No. 1 relative to the 8 hour law. Said Communication was ordered placed on file.

A Communication was received from Harrison Smith, City and County Surveyor, relative to the Sewerage of W. Lobos Ave.
On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Stow the following Resolution was unanimously passed;
Resolved; That the plans and specifications described in a Communication under date of July 4/90 from City Surveyor H. Harrison Smith be and the same are hereby approved and that certified copies thereof be furnished to the Honorable the Board of Supervisors

The Contract between the Park Commissioners and Messrs. Kreling and Schofield was submitted to the Board, and the same having been executed by said Messrs. Kreling and Schofield. It was on motion of Com'r. Austin moved that the President of the Board be instructed to

Made the same for Aug on behalf of the Board.

A Communication was received from T. A. Johnston, Commander "S.S. San Blas" wishing to donate a "Chilian Vicuna" to the Park. The Secty was instructed to acknowledge the same.

A Communication was received from Paul Shasta of Shasta wishing to donate a pair of Squirrels to the Park. The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the same, and to accept them.

The Board then adjourned.

E. E. Block
Secty

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 28/90 at Park Lodge, were present;

Com'rs. W. W. Stow. (in the chair)
" R. P. Hammond
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previus meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Repat of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly report of Park Police Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from H. Harris Esq wishing to dispose of a female Elk for $40.- Said offer was accepted.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Hammond, it was decided to have the Speed Road kept open until Sundown.

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r. Hammond the following Ordinance was unanimously passed;

The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco do ordain as follows;

Section 1. Every person riding or driving a bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other similar vehicle on Golden Gate Park, at any time between Sunset and Sunrise, must have attached to some conspicuous place on the forepart of the machine, a well lighted lamp or lamps.

Section 2. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars or by imprisonment

in the County Jail for not less than five days nor more than six months.

Section 3. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after the date of its passage; and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted, in the San Francisco Daily Report, a daily newspaper published in said City and County of San Francisco, which newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners.

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

W. H. Block.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 5th/76 at Park Lodge were present;

Com's W. H. Block (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" J. Hammond Jr.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

The following communication was received from Francis G. Newlands. Esq.

Reno. Nevada September 2d/76

To the Park Commissioners
of the City and County of San Francisco. Cal

Gentlemen;-

In compliance with your request of the 11th inst, I have looked over the account which you have submitted to me as a part of report pertaining to the construction of the Sharon Deaths for Children, for which $30,000 was contributed by the Estate of Wm. Sharon. As the Trustee of the Estate, I desire to express my appreciation of the careful work you have executed and carried out, and to endorse all that you have done in the expenditure of the funds mentioned.

Very sincerely Yours
Francis G. Newlands

The communication received from F. J. Blakeney Esq relative to the building of an extra house adjoining the Life Saving Station was referred to the Superintendent to look into the matter and to report to the Board.

Com'r. Hammond submitted a plan for the building of a Japanese Tea House to be built in the Park.

Com'r. Hammond also submitted a plan for an Observatory to be built at the intersection of the Drive with the Boulevard.

A communication was received from Henry McLean Martin Esq wishing to donate two female bear cubs to the Park. The Secty was instructed to thank him for his kindness but to decline the offer, owing to lack of accomodations.

The Secretary was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Capt. Hegard for his donation of an Alaskan Swan to the Park.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct 3rd/90. at Park Lodge were present.

Com'rs. W. W. Stow. (absent)
" C. P. Hammond.
" Jos. Hasbin.

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved. and ordered placed on file

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved, and ordered placed on file

Relative to the future improvements to be done in the Park. Supt. McLaren was instructed to commence work at once in finishing the "Peoples Road," and connecting it with the main Drive.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to enter into contract, and to let bids for the painting of the Lodge and out houses, and the fence adjoining adding Stanyan St. from Haight to Hayes St.

The Board then adjourned

V. V. Block
Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 8/90 at Park Lodge were present;

Com'rs. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" R. P. Hammond. (absent)

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to commence work at once on the Tunnel which is to connect Conservatory Valley with the Deer Park.

The Secretary was instructed to notify W. B. Bradbury to attend the next meeting with a view to making a settlement relative to his claims against the Park.

The following Bids were submitted for the painting of the Lodge and out-houses and the fence and gates along Stanyan Street from Hayes to Haight Sts.

Wm. R. Eaton.	$ 490.
M. J. & J. J. Donovan.	$ 485.

M. J. & J. Donovan being the lowest bidder the Contract was awarded to them.

The Board then adjourned

W. W. Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 16/90 at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" R. P. Hammond absent.

Architect Percy and W. B. Bradbury present.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Report of Capt Thomson was read and approved and ordered placed on file.

On motion of Com'r. Stow seconded by Com'r. Austin it was agreed upon with the consent of W. B. Bradbury to pay him $2500.- in full payment on his Contract and any claim he may have for Water Works in Golden Gate Park.

Relative to the price to be paid for the house it was proposed that Architect Percy examine the house, and his valuation thereof should be the price to be paid for it by the Commission. If Mr. Percy could not act in the matter, some other architect should be selected to pass upon the value of the house.

Mr. Bradbury claims that he has ordered some iron work for the pumping works which will cost about $700.- He will take this work off his hands at cost price.

The plan for the construction of the Bridge was submitted by Architect Percy and accepted. Work to commence as soon

as possible

Relative to the Pavillion to be built on the Beach the matter was laid over until the next meeting.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 29/90 at Park Lodge, were present.

Com'r. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R B Hammond.

Architect Percy present also Mr. Sweeney.
The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file.

Mr. Sweeney presented to the Board plans for a Panorama to be constructed on the summit of Strawberry Hill, the expense of which he himself proposes to incur. That the matter came up for discussion before the Board. On motion of Com'r. Hammond it was referred to the next meeting

On motion of Com'r. Austin seconded by Com'r Hammond it was moved to pay W. B. Bradbury $1700- for the Engineer's house that being the valuation which the Architect decided upon.

Relative to the purchase of Buffaloes the matter was referred to Com'r. Austin, and laid over for further action until the next meeting.

On motion of Com'r Stow duly seconded by Com'r. Austin duly Hammond the salary of Supt. McLaren was increased $50.- to take effect from Jan. 1/91

The Board then adjourned

V. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 28/91 at Park Lodge, were present;

Comr. H. H. Stevens. (in the Chair.)
" Jos. Austin
" D. Hammond. (absent.)

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file.

Relative to the proposition of Thos. C. Sweeny. Esq to build at his own expense, a Panorama on the Summit of Strawberry Hill, the following Resolution was made on motion of Comr. Austin, and seconded by Comr. Stevens.

Whereas, Thos. C. Sweeny did on the 29th day of Dec/90 propose to the Board of Park Commissioners to construct at his own cost a Panorama on or near the Summit of Strawberry Hill and whereas the plans therefor have been submitted to Percy and Hamilton, Architects of the Board who have made some alterations in the same and whereas the Board took the proposition of the said Sweeny into consideration, and have had the same under advisement, and have decided to accept the proposition of the said Sweeny, and to permit the construction of the said Panorama, Now therefore, it is hereby resolved, by said Board, Commissioners Stevens and Austin being present, that the said Thos. C. Sweeny be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to construct the said Panorama at the point heretofore indicated at his own cost and charges, under the supervision

and in accordance with plans and specifications prepared by the said Percy and Hamilton to be filed in this Office. Provided however that any bill for services rendered by said Percy and Hamilton shall be paid by said Park Commissioners. And provided further that if at any time in the future, the Board of Park Commissioners shall decide to erect or to permit the erection of any monument or other improvement at said point on Strawberry Hill, the Board reserve the right to do so.

Relative to the renting of the Stands at the different Entrances to the Park no action was taken and the matter was laid over until a consultation with the Park Architect relative to a plan to be prepared for same.

A communication was received from A. Clarke. Esq. for permission to build a Water tank on Dunns Vista Hill. Said proposition declined with instructions for the Secretary to notify him of the declination.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Stevens the Salary of the Secretary was fixed at $100. per month, commencing on the first of January 1891.

Attention to the Commissioners had been called to some disreputable conduct, allowed to have taken place, at the Casino. Referred to Supt. McLaren to investigate, and his investigation seemed to show that some parties visited the Casino, and were intoxicated when they came there and the authorities at the Casino got rid of them as quietly and as soon as possible.

The Board then adjourned.

H. H. Stevens
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 26/91, at Park Lodge were present,

Com'r. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" R. P. Hammond.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meting were read and approved.

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was received and ordered placed on file.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was received and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from N. Vasilieff for permission to rent the stand at the Haight St. Entrance to the Park. No action was taken relative to the Rental of same, until the completion of the building. The Board decided to consult with Percy and Hamilton Architects relative to certain improvements on same the cost of which would not exceed $150.-

The communication received from H. F. Glassmann, Esq. relative to the Buffaloes was referred to Com'r. Stow. who will enter into correspondence with Bishop Clawson relative to procuring Buffaloes from Salt Lake City, he to pay for them and the Board would repay him.

The Board then adjourned

H. H. Stow
Secty

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held March 28/91 at Park Lodge were present

Com'r. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previus meting were read and approved.

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was received and ordered placed on file

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was received and ordered placed on file.

The Secretary was instructed to have a Statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Children's Quarters from the beginning of their monthly Reports up to Apr. 1/91

The Board decided to purchase the Buffalo Cow from H. Kendall. Esq. for $10.00 The Secty. was instructed to write to him to see if he could procure another cow in his neighborhood, and have the two shipped at once

The plans for the construction of the Sea weed Stand at Haight St. were submitted by the Park Architect, and approved by the Board. Bids were received for same, and the Architect authorized to accept the lowest.

Relative to the curbing around the Garfield Monument. Mr. Percy the Park architect was empowered to get up a plan for same and also to consult with the Garfield Monument Committee relative to the transferring of the balance of their fund to the Park fund for the completion of same.

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman

H. H. Stow Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Com'rs held Apr. 7th/91, at Park Lodge were present;

Com'r. H. H. Stow. in the Chair
" Jos. Austin.
" R P Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The object of the meeting was relative to the Music in the Park.

The Secretary was instructed to write to J. L. Wilcutt. Esq of the Market St. R.R. stating that the Board would contribute $250- monthly from July 1/91, provided the Park would receive its full appropriation from the Supervisors. and also that the Auditor would sign the warrant.

A communication was received from H B. Brown. Esq tendering to the Park a horse stated.
The same was referred to Com'r. Hammond to answer Mr. Brown accepting it.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 28th/91, at Park Lodge, were present;

Com'r. H. H. Stow. in the Chair
" Jos. Austin.
" R P Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed.

The monthly Report of the Supt. was received and ordered placed on file.

A communication was received from Wm Hitte Esq for permission to erect a suitable building to place therein an optical illusion. Referred to the Supt. to look into the matter and answer same

A communication was received from E H Townsend Manager of the S.P. Real Estate Exchange. Said communication was referred to Com'r. Hammond to answer same.

Relative to the Casino it was referred to Com'r Stow to look into the matter and report same

A communication was received from Ransome & Cushing stating that it would cost $330- to Concrete the extra walls at the Panorama Bldg on Strawberry Hill. Referred to Supt. McLaren.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 3rd/91, at Park Lodge were present,

Com'r. W. H. Stow in the Chair
" Jno. Austin
" R. D. Hammond

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered placed on file

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered placed on file

Mr. Wayne appeared before the Board relative to a fence he had placed around grounds fronting on the Boulevard. After conference in which Mr. Wayne recognized the right of the Park to the ground recently enclosed by him, the matter was referred to Com'r. Stow with instructions to prepare the proper paper to be executed by Mr. Wayne.

Relative to the rental of the Stand at the Haight St. Entrance it was referred to Com'rs Austin & Hy. Achin to say what terms on the same will be agreed upon by the Board.

A Committee from the N. Sides Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to the Sprinkling of the Said Road. Action deferred until the Board saw what the appropriations for the fiscal year would be.

A Committee from the South side Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to macadamizing and planting grass along the Boulevard. The Commissioners decided to plant grass as soon as the said Club had graded the Border and 100 ft. wide, to the grades of stakes set by the Park Surveyor. Said Grade stakes to be set 30 ft. east of the Easterly line of the Great Highway

The communication of J. Roche. Esq. for the privilege of erecting a Steam Swing Apparatus in the Childrens Play Ground was referred to Com'r. Hammond. but no Steam work to be introduced.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 19th 91. at Park Lodge, were present,

Com'r. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R P Hammond.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Repot of the Supt. was approved and ordered placed on file.

The Commissioners took into consideration and discussed the permanent improvements to be constructed during the coming fiscal year.
It was decided to build an iron Bridge at a cost of from ten to twelve thousand dollars and Com'rs Austin and Hammond are to obtain plans and bids for same, and to report at next meeting of the Board.
It was decided to add to the means of amusement and recreation at the Childrens' Quarters at a cost of six or seven thousand dollars, according to plans and suggestions to be furnished by Com'r. Hammond.
It was decided to construct a lake at the East slope of Strawberry Hill at a cost in the neighborhood of thirty thousand dollars and Supt. McLaren was instructed to obtain bids from responsible contractors for excavating for the lake and for grading the carriage approaches thereto.
It was also deemed advisable to macadamize a part of the Boulevard, but this and other contimplated improvements were laid over for future consideration.

A communication was received from C. Subre. Esq. No action was taken until he would macadamize the said rd.

A Communication was received from P. J. Donahue Esq. of Santa Clara asking to donate a Deer to the Park.

The same was accepted.

The Board then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

W. W. Stow.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held July 28th/91 at Park Lodge were present.

Com'r. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" R P Hammond.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. W Laws was approved and placed on file.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered placed on file

A communication was received from the State Board Society asking the Park Commissioners to have singing birds introduced into the Park
Referred to Comr. Hammond to prepare an answer stating that a large aviary is contemplated in which the birds may become acclimated after that given the freedom of the Park.

Two bids were received from Dyer Bros. one for fencing the Park and Glen and the other for fencing the Exhibit. Both bids were accepted, and the Supt. was instructed to see that work be commenced on the Lake first.

In reply to the communication received from A. Sutro Esq the Secty was instructed to state that the Commissioners has been advised by Expert Engineers that such a work could be done without any danger to the safety of the public and without harm to the Park.

Comr Hammond was instructed to have the Report of the planting of Island grove prepared by Supt. W Laws for his use in public press so as to be furnished to inquiring correspondents.

A committee from the N. Lobos Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to the sprinkling of the said Ave. After a little discussion it was decided to have the sprinkling done for the year by Contract. Said contractor to furnish sprinklers and water. Mr. Mullen was asked to put in a bid which will be considered by the Board at a special meeting to be held for that and other purposes. The said Committee also urged the Board to comply with the request of the Geary St. R.R. Co. and to grant the consent of said Co as solicited. A communication was received from the Geary St. R.R. Co requesting the adoption of a Resolution consenting to the franchise granted to said Company by the Board of Supervisors for an extension of said Road along N. Lobos Ave to Fifth Ave. whereupon it was deemed advisable before passing an Order giving such consent, that the proposed order should be published in the Daily Report so as to give publicity of the intention of this Board and the Secretary was instructed to attend to the publication of said proposed order or resolutions.

Relative to the building of side sewers along N. Lobos Ave. & the leaving of the Street in repairs after same, the Board decided to appoint Geo. Fletcher Esq as their representative to see that the Avenues would be left in good condition.

The following bids were received for the Grading of the proposed new Lake.

Jerrue Williams.	17½ cts. per cubic yd & cut nothing allowed for
McKenna & Leffler.	11½ " " " " "
Chas Warren.	5½ " " " " "

Mr. Warren being the lowest bidder, the contract was awarded to him, and Supt. W Laws was instructed to have prepared Contracts to be executed by said Warren and this Board.

Bid for Iron Bridge was received from John A. Rocklings Sons Co. No action taken until further & more explicit details could be had relative to the plan submitted.

which Comr. Austin was requested to attend to. Plans were also submitted by Doe, Hunt & Co., accompanied by specifications, which were also taken under advisement, and Comr. Hammond was requested to confer with Doe Hunt & Co. and ask for more detailed descriptions and specifications.

The Board then adjourned

V. V. Block
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 17/91, at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. H. H. Sow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R.P. Hammond absent

Jos. D. Redding Esq present.

Comr. Hammond telephoned that he was too ill to attend the meeting but that he would agree to any matter that the Board decided upon.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was deferred until the next regular meeting.

By vote of Commissioners Austin & Sow, the following Resolution was adopted.

Whereas, the entire expenses incurred for the furnishing of music in the Golden Gate Park, have been paid by voluntary subscription made by certain Cable Car companies and

Whereas, the Board of Park Commissioners are of the opinion that the character and quality of the music furnished may be improved if the supervision thereof is brought more immediately under the control and direction of the Park Commissioners and to effect such desirable object, it is deemed advisable that this Board should pay a portion of the cost of providing music as aforesaid as is hereinafter specifically set forth, and

Whereas, this Board is empowered to employ such "other officers and assistants" as to said Board may seem necessary

Now therefore be it Resolved, That the office of the manager of the music in and for the Golden Gate Park is hereby created and that the person designated to hold this position shall be known as the manager of the music of Golden Gate Park.

Resolved. That the manager is authorized to enter into contracts with any corporation or corporations or individuals, having in view the providing of music in the Park; to collect and disburse funds contributed or paid for the purpose aforesaid; to employ and pay musicians in his discretion to render the music aforesaid; to determine what days shall be deemed pleasant days for the giving of concerts and otherwise and in general to supervise, direct and do any and all things proper, requisite and necessary to be done to secure the services of first class musicians to carry out the purposes herein contemplated.

Resolved That this Board undertake and agree to audit a warrant monthly, in favor of said manager, in the sum of Two hundred and fifty Dollars per month, towards liquidating the cost of giving two concerts per week at the music grounds in the Park, then and in the event that three concerts per week shall be given in the Park, then and in such case, this Board will monthly audit a warrant in the sum of Three hundred and fifty Dollars per month for the like purposes as aforesaid. It being understood that the Park Commission is not and will not be obligated to pay in any event nor under any circumstances any larger sums than as hereinbefore stated and the above monthly sums limit and bind the financial power of the manager aforesaid over the Park funds

Resolved. That such musical manager shall be appointed by a resolution of this Board to hold the position during the pleasure of the Board and render his services without cost to the Board of Park Commissioners.

Resolved That we will advertise for a period of ten (10) days for sealed proposals for the privilege of distributing on concert days, in the Park, a printed sheet which shall contain a programme of the pieces to be played and such advertisements as the successful bidder may insert. Such advertisements shall be absolutely respectable in character, and so must all matters that appear in the programme. The

sheet or programme may have four pages and each be fourteen by twenty inches in size. The programme of the concerts, shall occupy at least one-half of the first or second page at the option of the publisher. The distribution of the programme is limited to what is recognized as the musical grounds in the Park

Resolved. That Joseph D. Redding, Esq., be and he hereby is, appointed Manager of the music of the Golden Gate Park and as such is clothed with the authority and power set forth in the resolutions this day adopted by the Board of Park Commissioners.

That the band, when re-organized, shall be known as the Golden Gate Park Band and that all music hereafter purchased shall be stamped with the name of the Golden Gate Park Band thereon and shall be the property of the Park Commission and shall be kept in a library, properly marked and indexed for that purpose.

The Resolution heretofore passed to print relating to the Geary St. Park and Ocean R.R. Co franchise was finally passed as follows to wit:

Whereas Under and by virtue of certain ordinances of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco the Geary Street Park & Ocean Railroad Company, a corporation existing under the laws of the State of California, has constructed and is now operating a street railway within the corporate limits of said city and county, to wit, as a wire cable railroad on Geary Street, from Kearny Street to Central Avenue, and from thence as a steam motor railroad along Point Lobos Avenue to First Avenue, and thence along First Avenue to Golden Gate Park, and

Whereas, By an order of said Board of Supervisors, finally approved and passed on the 9th. day of December, 1890, being Order No. 2490, the right was granted to the said Geary St Park & Ocean Rail Road Company, by and with the consent of the Board of Park Commissioners, to extend its railroad tracks

and to maintain and operate its street railroad as a
wire-cable railroad for the unexpired term of its
franchise along and upon the following described
streets in the City and County of San Francisco,
and between the termini thereinafter mentioned to wit.
Commencing at the intersection of Point Lobos Avenue
with the easterly line of First Avenue, thence along
and upon Point Lobos avenue to Fifth Avenue,
thence along and upon Fifth Avenue to Golden Gate
Park; and

Whereas, the Geary Street, Park & Ocean Rail Road
Company proposes and intends that its line of
railroad on Point Lobos Avenue and Fifth Avenue
under the said Ordinance shall be operated by wire
cable instead of Steam motors, so that its line for
the entire length thereof to Golden Gate Park
shall be operated by a uniform system of cable
motive power, and such change will be for the
greater convenience and safety of the people of said
City and County; and

Whereas, By Act of the Legislature of the State of
California the said Avenue, known as Point Lobos
Avenue, has been placed under the jurisdiction
of the Board of Park Commissioners with such
powers as are in said Act of the Legislature pre-
scribed

Now, therefore be it Resolved, That this Board does
hereby consent that the Geary Street, Park and
Ocean Rail Road Company, its successors and
assigns, may construct maintain and operate its
said cable railroad on Point Lobos Avenue,
from Central Avenue to Fifth Avenue, under the
several franchises for the same granted by the
Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San
Francisco, and for and during the term for which
said franchises were granted, the same being hereby
ratified and approved and the same was ordered
printed in the San Francisco Chronicle for the
period of ten days Sundays excepted.

The matter of the Bridge was taken up and discussed and
the plans and specifications examined. It was deemed
advisable to adopt the plan submitted by John A.
Roeblings Sons Co. it being in the opinion of the Commission
better suited to the objects in view and of much more
beautiful design. Thereupon on motion of Comr. Austin
the following preamble and resolution were adopted
Commissioners Austin & Stow voting for the same.

Whereas the Board of Park Commissioners solicited
proposals for the construction of a Bridge in the
Golden Gate Park to be accompanied by plans,
specifications and diagrams exhibiting the elevations
and general appearance thereof and

Whereas two proposals have been submitted to this
Board one by Doe, Hunt & Co. and one by John A
Roeblings Sons Co. both of which are now on file in
this Office and as an evidence of the basis of the
determination of the Board are to remain in this
Office and

Whereas the offer to construct a Bridge according
to the elevation presented by the said Doe, Hunt & Co.
was for the sum of Eight Thousand (8000) Dollars
and the offer of the said John A. Roeblings Sons Co.
was to construct a Bridge according to the elevation
plans and specifications submitted by him for the
sum of Ten Thousand Four Hundred and Thirty-
Five (10,435.-) Dollars and

Whereas the plans &c. submitted by said parties
have been duly considered and the one submitted
by John A Roeblings Sons Co. is deemed more suitable
and appropriate for the site selected for same.
Now it is Resolved, That the plans and proposition
made by the said John A. Roeblings Sons Co. for the
construction of a Bridge be and the same are
hereby adopted and the bid for the construction
thereof is accepted.

Resolved that a Contract with the said John A.
Roeblings Sons Co. be entered into for the execution
of the work herein contemplated, which Contract
shall be specific as to details and embody the substance
of the plans, specifications and elevations heretofore

presented to this Board by John A. Roebling's Sons Co.

A communication was received from L. G. McMullen proposing to water the Pt. Lobos Avenue for the sum of $1300.- per annum the Park Commissioners to supply the water. His proposition was accepted by the Park Commissioners who will pay him monthly pro rata. The work to be done by Mr. McMullen is to be under the supervision of Geo. Fletcher Esq President of the Pt. Lobos Improvement Club and to said Fletcher's satisfaction. It is also understood as the result of a conference between the Pt. Lobos Improvement Club and the Park Commissioners that said Fletcher will supervise the connecting of private property with the main sewer running along Pt. Lobos Avenue without cost to this Board, and that he is authorized to give permits to make such connections and to demand and receive a deposit of $20. from each and every one applying for permission to make such connection as a guarantee for the due execution of the work. The said $20. to be returned to the party making deposit thereof when the work is completed to Fletcher's satisfaction.

The following Contract for the grading of the Lake was submitted and approved and executed by Comrs. Shaw and Austin in duplicate.

This Agreement entered into on this the 15th day of August A.D. 1891 by and between the Board of Park Commissioners of the Golden Gate Park, the party of the first part, and Charles Warren the party of the second part.
Witnesseth that the party of the first part solicited bids for the execution of the work which is the subject matter of this Contract that the party of the second part was the lowest bidder therefor and that the party of the first awarded the Contract to the said party of the second part.
Now therefore it is covenanted and agreed that the

map prepared by G. E. H. Jackson on file in the Office of the party of the first part, which for the purpose of identification and certainty has thereon the signature of said Charles Warren and John McLaren the latter being the Supt. of said Park - is hereby made a part of these presents the same to all intents and purposes as if incorporated herein.
The said Map shows the excavations to be made in the Golden Gate Park for a Lake the site thereof, the disposition to be made of the sand or other material excavated and the number of yards of such excavation to wit, one hundred and fourteen thousand yards.
For additional certainty specifications are hereto attached marked exhibit A. and made a part hereof and are intended to enlarge and explain said Map and plan.
For the excavating of said one hundred and fourteen thousand yards of material to be excavated as aforesaid and removing the same to the points indicated on said Map and set forth in said specifications hereto attached the said Board of Park Commissioners agree to pay to the said Warren when the same shall be fully executed according to the terms hereof the sum of eight and one half cents per cubic yard of cut nothing to be paid for fill and the said Warren covenants and agrees to perform and execute the work aforesaid at the price aforesaid according to the terms, conditions and specifications aforesaid, and to have the same completed on or before the first day of December 1891
Executed in duplicate the day and year first above written.
In testimony whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands the day and year first above written.

Exhibit A
Specifications.

Amount of cut 114,000 yds. fill to be made

to the lines as shown on plans.

The bottom of the cut to be level and one foot below the grade of the marks established and the top of embankment to be four (4) feet above the grade of same.

Top of embankment to be not less than 25 feet wide on top.

Inner slope of embankment to have a grade of 1 foot in two feet. and the outside a slope of 1 foot in 3 feet

Embankment for Driveway to be 80 feet wide on top of fill. the slopes to have what is known as one foot in three feet.

The Board then adjourned

C. C. Block.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 31st, at Van Lodge, were present.

Comr. H. W. Slee in the Chair
" Jos. Kuster
" D. D. Hammond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

Comr. Hammond to whom had been referred the matter of providing more ample amusements for the Children's Quarters reported progress, and submitted several plans calculated to effect the object in view. Inasmuch as the Lease of the Merry-Go Round and other outfits in use at the Quarters and constructed and provided by the Lessee, do not expire until next November, no decision was arrived at in respect to the Plans submitted.

Eugene Bert. Esq appeared before the Board relative to the Petition of C. Schilling Esq. for the construction of a Building in the Park for the purpose of taking photographs and views
The Board decided not to grant the said request as similar petitions have been denied

A communication was rec'd. from A. D. Shumacher Sec. of the Knickerbocker Lawn Tennis Club asking that the Board have some ground set aside for a Lawn Tennis Court. The whole subject was referred to Supt. McLaren.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved & ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomas was approved & ordered filed

The Board then adjourned C. C. Block Secty

At the suggestion of Comr. Austin it was deemed proper to record in the proceedings of the Board, the ceremonies which attended the formal presentation to the Park of the Observatory on Strawberry Hill, constructed by Thos. H. Sweeny, Esq.

The hour designated for the presentation was 2 P.M. at which time a goodly number of persons had assembled to witness the proceedings.

Mr. Sweeny was introduced to the audience and spoke as follows:

In presenting the gift of this Panorama or Observatory to Golden Gate Park it may be necessary to make a few remarks about the Giver.

I was born in New York, and started from New York City Dec. 1851 on a sailing vessel loaded with powder and other merchandise for Chagres. Then went up the Chagres river in a row boat to Gorgona and then walked across the Isthmus about twenty miles to Panama. We sailed from Panama on the Steamship Tennamental City, and arrived in San Francisco March 1st 1852. After a passage of forty nine days from Panama to San Francisco with about fifteen dollars in my pocket when I arrived. Lived in San Francisco two days and then went to Sacramento, and the levy broke the next night. And I lived on bread and cheese for six days, at about fifteen cents a day, because the City was under water, and I could not get out, and when I got a chance I went to Kimbal Springs in the gold mines with just one dollar and fifty cents in my pocket. And with that I bought a pan for fifty cents, a pick for fifty cents, and my last fifty cents for something to eat. And then I was dead broke, and it was hard to find any work to do. I made this to show that even the poorest young man here to day, is as well off as I was then and I did not know any person, so you see that some of you have a chance to make the City a present, as good a present as I have to day.

I think this Panorama is the right thing in the right place, where can you get a better view, look

to the Eastward there is Sweeny's Peak, Mount Olympus, Buena Vista Park, and the city; and on the other side of the bay there is Alameda, Oakland and Berkley, and in the distance Grand old Mt. Diablo, then looking on the Grand bay of San Francisco, with its shipping there is Goat Island, Angel Island and Alcatraz Island and in the distance Mt. Saint Helena.

Then looking northerly there is Marin County Sausalito and Grand old Mt. Tamalpais three thousand feet high. Then there is Golden Gate where many a longing eye has looked to see, and is known all over the world. Then there is Bonita Point light house and Point Lobos Light House, and Seal Rocks, one of the finest private gardens on the Pacific Coast, and is kept open free by Mr. Seal with the Cliff House and the Sea Rocks below it. Then to the westward is the Grand Pacific Ocean with one of the finest beaches in the world near a great City. Then there are the Farallone Islands, twenty-one miles out in the Ocean and must any evening a race to see the sunset with a chance of five miles to see. Then to the South there is San Mateo County, with its grand farms and the Steam cars running to the beach, and let me say that the architects Percy & Hamilton, and the Concrete builders Ransome Cushing deserve great credit for the manner in which they have done their work. And I now present this magnificent structure to the Park Commissioners for the benefit of the Public.

Thos. H. Sweeny

Cor. 7th Ave. & H.
South of Golden Gate Park
Sept. 19/91

At the conclusion of Mr. Sweeny's remarks Comr. Austin accepted the gift of Mr. Sweeny in the name of the Park Commissioners and on behalf of the citizens of San Francisco. Mr. Sloss concluded by introducing

the Hon. Frank M. Coffee, whose remarks so pertinently relate to much of the unwritten history of the Park, that the Commissioners take pleasure in having them placed at length in the record of Board proceedings as follows, to wit;

We are met here to day to witness the performance of a deed duly by one whose simple story you have just listened to. We are told "the evil that men do lives after them, the good is oft interred with their bones" but, fortunately, there are exceptions to this rule, and the present is an honorable one. This work will stand unimpaired. I hope long after those who now look upon it shall have passed away. Any henceforth through the ages it will attract the attention of people entering the Golden Gate and upon inquiry they will learn that there lived in this vicinity a man who loved to look upon the beautiful in nature, especially the mountains and the ocean, and finding he could best gratify this desire when standing upon this mound, he resolved to fit it up as you see it now, for the benefit of his fellow citizens. Here, sheltered from the harsh winds, they can enjoy this noble panorama which this man so often breasted the storm to look upon.

This gift is exceptional - it comes from an unexpected quarter. Rich, powerful, ambitious and sometimes unscrupulous persons, in all ages and countries have made gifts to the people. When Caesar gave all his wealth, private urban and new planted orchards on this side Tiber to the people of Rome, he was master of the world, and besides his gift did not take effect until after his death. But here we find an humble citizen, one of the masses, unmoved by ambition or the lust of power, giving largely of his means for the benefit of his fellow humans. The warm hills he has this is certain to bear abundant fruit in the future. This is the people's park, here the toilers can recreate themselves, and whatever adds to its beauty and attractiveness, and thereby to their pleasure will surely be enrolled among God's people, for are we not told that he who giveth to the poor lendeth

to the Lord. Thirty seven years ago Mr Swing came out here and settled upon what was then a waste. He had no title then to these sand dunes for that he had to wait fourteen long years but he had faith in himself and the future of the City. The City was not in a position to deal with the question of title to this land until 1866. In 1866 Judge Field rendered a decision in favor of the city's claim to four square leagues of land upon this peninsula and decree was entered in May 1866. The decree so entered in the Circuit Court was subsequently approved by Act of Congress of March 3. 1866. and the long pending dispute thus brought to an end. It is understood that the Confirmatory Act of Congress was drawn by Judge Field, and therefore it is to him, first as Judge, and Steward as the framer and promoter of this legislation that the City owes its possessions here to day.

Prior to 1866. the city, by the passage of the Van Ness Ordinance, disposed of its title to all the lands within the public lands up to the Charter line of 1851. Dupont street on the west and Twenty second and what is now Napa street, running to the bay on the south. Therefore the decree and Act of Congress just referred to related practically only to the territory lying outside of the Charter line aforesaid and within the public lands. And the terms of "Outside Lands" As was all claimed by squatters or settlers, as they called themselves but as they were actively aggressive and very effective in manipulating State politics it was found very difficult to deal with them equitably and at the same time save what was necessary for a park and other public uses. The question entered somewhat into the election of 1867 when a party was formed here which promised each voter who would cast a vote in a given way a fifty vara lot but this only resulted in further muddling matters. There is a conflict between the language of the decree and the Circuit Court and the Act of Congress. The decree says: This confirmation is in trust for the benefit of the lot holders under grants from the Pueblo, town or city of San Francisco. and as to any streets

(the Outside Lands) in trust for the use and benefit of the inhabitants of the city". The grant by Congress provides "that all the said lands (the outside lands) not heretofore granted to said city shall be disposed of and conveyed by said city to parties in bona fide actual possession thereof, by themselves or tenants on the passage of this Act in such quantities and upon such terms and conditions as the Legislature of the State of California may prescribe, except such parcels thereof as may be reserved and set apart by ordinance of said city for public uses. The necessary confirmation by the Legislature of the acts of the municipality was the real and paramount difficulty in the way of settlement. California Legislatures are not, as a rule, disposed to favor this City, and when it is remembered that among the numerous claimants to this land were such able, influential and powerful men as the late John B. Felton, Eugene Casserly, Eugene Sullivan, John H. Baird, Eugene Leis and many others whose names I need not now recall, and that they would naturally oppose any adjustment not conducive to their personal interests, the difficulties that then surrounded those whose duty it was to save this Park for the people will be but faintly understood. The claimants had influence enough to block the city, through the Legislature in whatever it might attempt that would be absolutely distasteful to them, and therefore it was necessary to have on so far as it could be obtained the assent of their leaders to the principles of a plan of settlement, before its details were unfolded. With this object in view they were got together and asked to say each for himself, how much he would be willing to surrender to the City in return for the city's title to the lands now named by any & them was it. And the largest sum named by any & them was 10. Of the largest & for each & their holdings. After the list was made up, & the largest sum, named the highest figure. They were asked whether they would be willing to surrender 10 per cent of their holdings and to speak with the City carrying through the Legislature a measure based upon that principle, and confirmatory thereof. This they all said they would. They were dealing

with the Mayor elect, a man whom they well knew and who was then and for the preceding seven years had been the Supervisor of the Eleventh Ward, which embraced almost almost all the territory in question, as well as the land covered by the Van Ness ordinance. Order 800, with whose provisions you are familiar, was evolved out of these conditions. The committee appointed under it to appraise the "Outside Lands" found they were worth over twelve million dollars, and the portions taken for public use, including this Park, were valued at something under thirteen hundred thousand dollars, and an assessment of 10 3/4 per cent upon the whole was sufficient to pay those whose land was taken 90 per cent of its appraised value. And thus was settled forever the largest and perhaps the most momentous question ever dealt with by this municipality. And now, after the lapse of twenty-three years, looking at it dispassionately, I do not know that I would change that settlement in any particular save one - I wish the Park could have been made larger than it is. But when we consider the time in which the thing was done, the absence of public sentiment upon the subject of parks, the greed of individuals, and the general want of education among the people in regard to public grounds, it is really a matter for congratulation that so much was accomplished. Perhaps we builded better than we knew. But I cannot forgive the Selygman's and others like them, for that mutilation of the Park which resulted in the Panhandle. The Park should have commenced at Divisadero Street and embraced all the land between the cemeteries on the north and Point Lobos Road on the south, and such would have been its boundaries now if not for the cupidity - the vulgar greed of a few individuals. Before closing this first address I deem it proper to say two things. First of all those who in 1868, received this vast estate from the city upon paying 10 per cent of its then value, Mr Sweeny, though not by any means one of the largest beneficiaries, is the first and only one thus far to show a direct tangible appreciation of the benefits thus conferred upon him by a generous community. Through this gift to the people he expresses

his gratitude, his love for his fellow men, and reverence for God and all his works

I stand in this age, when general misconduct upon the part of public servants throughout the land has been carried to such an extent that official life has became a thing to be almost dreaded, it is agreeable to be able to say, and I take pleasure in saying it upon this occasion that the administration of the affairs of this Park, from the time when Henry Haught as Governor, appointed the first Commission has been throughout clean, honorable and above suspicion, and when the people come here to recreate themselves they have the satisfaction of knowing that the public funds contributed for the improvement of this place are honestly expended.

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Sept. 16th, at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. H. H. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. B. Hammond. (late)

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

In respect to the matter of the lease of a part of the plant at the Childrens Quarters, it was decided to call for arbitrators to appraise the value of the interest of H. C. Tyler in the Merry go round, and Geo. Percy was selected to act on the part of the Park Commissioners.

It was decided to increase the appropriation for the Childrens' Quarters from seven to ten thousand dollars.
Other matters affecting the Childrens' Quarters were laid over on account of the absence of Comr. Hammond

It was decided to enter into Contract with Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson for 70,000 sq. ft. of Galvanized iron work if in mest to be delivered at the Park at 1¾ cts. pr. sq. ft. payments to be made as iron is delivered but no payments to be made until December next

A communication was received from W. R. Hearst Esq tendering the bear Monarch to the Park. The selection of a place for the animal was left to Supt. McLaren until plans were viewed which it was represented W. Hearst would bring with him from the East in a few days.

The following specified Improvements were decided upon to with
Macadamized Boulevard estimated to cost $300.

Crushing Stone Drive with 15th Ave. estimated to cost $2,500
Appropriation for House approximate 1,000.
Water pipe Estimated 8,000.
Library 10,000.

Supt. McLaren was requested to confer with Architect Perry in regard to an Observatory in the Park.

A Communication was received from J. Dunn Esq. of the Board of Education asking for plans for the School Department. Said request was granted

The Board then adjourned.

C.C. Peck
Sec.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 31st at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Hoskins
" R. B. Hammond

The following business was transacted:

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

Relative to the future improvements of the Childrens' Play Ground the plans suggested by Com. Hammond to whom it had been referred were unanimously adopted excepting that part which related to the Tennis Court

In the matter of the Childrens Play ground Comr. Hammond reports that after consultation with Supt. McLaren of the Park, they believe it to be necessary to purchase from the present holders the large Berry go round, for a sum not to exceed $2500, that the same amount, to wit $2500. will have to be expended for a permanent top or Covering for the same, as the temporary cover - as of late have been a source of trouble and expense. Further, that the small Merry go round shall be dispensed with; that the Swale to run in the centre of the present Tenn Court be removed to the point indicated on the accompanying plat, to be used as a ticket office. and in its place be constructed a rustic house open on all sides around this rustic house, and occupying a to a great extent the same ground as the present. It is advocated that rhomboid rock be laid having a uniform width of say 2 feet and an approximate length of 150 feet, to be used as a skating rink only for bicycles.
The pathway lying north of the present Tennis Court for goats and donkeys will be modified and changed so that the donkey and goat carts will be removed further north occupying the space any distance

shown upon accompanying map
It is also necessary to construct at least one hundred new benches, to be located in the vicinity of the skating and bicycle rink
It is further suggested that the present base ball grounds be reduced in size, and that a space about 150 feet square be taken from the same to be used as a lawn tennis ground, or for such other purposes as may be hereafter decided upon. This leaves for base ball purposes ample field for those of proper age to indulge in the national game. The present base ball grounds have several objectionable features, the principal being that the Children's Playground is lost sight of from the fact that the majority of ball players are youths of from fifteen to twenty years of age and not children. It is urged that the ground is not available, owing to the fact that being macadamized with gritty gravel the youngsters wear out their shoes as well as baseballs, in a measure not consistent with the objects of this particular feature of the Playground; hence, it is suggested that the space allotted baseball players be restricted to the use of those under fourteen years of age, and that it be planted in grass.
Several changes in the pathways are suggested as designated by the accompanying plat.
The filling of the Dairy & Restaurant is constantly injured by persons walking over it who come direct from the surrounding paths which are macadamized with our road material of gritty macadam; hence, it is urged that if within the means of this Commission, the path immediately surrounding the Playhouse as designated upon the accompanying map, be bituminized.
The improvements now urged as of immediate necessity may be itemized as follows; $2500 for the purchase of the undivided interest in the Merry-go-round $2500. for the Construction of a permanent Carriage for the same, $1100 for bituminizing the Skating and bicycle rink; $600 for bituminous paths around the house, $165 for new benches; $200 for new

swings; $50 for Spring boards; $50 for May poles; $300 for Rustic House; a total of $8465.
The lawns which we advocate to be planted and maintained for the use of lawn tennis and baseball cannot be made until about March next, and then the cost of plowing, hauling loam, will amount to about $1000 additional, the work, however, being done by the present Park force.
The foregoing suggestions have in view the establishing of additional attractions in the Sharon Quarter for children, such additional attractions being free of charge; the brightening of the present donkey and goat cart circuit; the re establishing of the various attractions so as to relieve the pressure of and divert the crowd from that narrow space immediately surrounding the house, at which points all of the present features & attractions seem to be concentrated.
It is further suggested that but one class of ticket shall be sold, which shall be good for the Merry-go-round as well as riding upon the goats & donkeys, or for one ride in the wagonette the tickets being sold for five cents.
In relation to the management of the Children's Playground it is strenuously urged that any radical change would be disadvantageous. This particular feature of the Park has necessitated careful watching and nursing. To sell the privilege of this institution would be to take it out of the hands of the Commissioners & to a very great extent, still leaving them subject to such criticisms as always will be made by the dissatisfied.
We therefore suggest that the department of the Childrens' Playground be under the jurisdiction of the Superintendent of the Park, the same as the management of the Conservatory, the Nursery, etc; that the goat carts, donkey carts, animals, etc be purchased from the present owner Mr. Murphy for a sum not exceed $600; likewise that the tables, chairs, and

all paraphernalia pertaining to the Dairy and the Childrens' playhouse be purchased for a sum not to exceed $1600.-; that Mr. Murphy be employed as Manager of the Childrens' Quarters at a salary of say $125.- per month, and his wife as Matron, to be employed for at least $75. that the Superintendent shall select an assistant to have charge of the Ticket Office, and that all tickets shall be issued by the Superintendent under a system agreed upon; that all bills for supplies, etc. shall be first approved by him and paid by the Manager of the Playground, who shall at the end of each month, having made a weekly printed statement to the Superintendent, hand over to him such money as may be on hand, such money to be paid into the Park Improvement Fund, as net returns from the Childrens' Playground, and to be used as far as it is praticable, for the further improvement of such grounds.

—Recapitulation—

Cost of Plan submitted for improving Childrens' Playgrounds.

Purchase Merry go round	$2500.
Pavement over for same	2500.
Skating & Bicycle Rink.	1400.
Gymnasium Parks	1000
Dairy &c &c	1100.
New Swings, Maypoles, ch	300.
Rustic house.	300.
	$8100.

Cost Rearranging Playhouse Management.

To purchase Donkeys, goats, carts, harness, ch	$600
Tables, Chairs, furniture, cooking utensils, China, ch	1600
$2200	2200
	$10,600

A communication was received from the Park Hill Improvement Club. It was laid over until the next meeting.

A Communication was received from the Heist Club Secty. instructed to acknowledge the receipt of same

The Board then adjourned

C.S.P. Wood Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 29th at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R.P. Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed

Mr. Fletcher appeared before the Board in behalf of the St. Soles Improvement Club, relative to the discontinuing of the steam dummy on St. Soles Avenue. Referred to Comr Stow

A communication was received from McCulloch & Co. for permission to erect a waiting room at or near the intersection of 119th Avenue. And Referred to Supt. McLaren to look in the matter, and see what kind of structure they intended to erect

Relative to the kind of cow to be used on the Childrens' Quarters & also of the talamus for the swings, it was referred to Comr Hammond

A communication was received from the Park Hill Improvement Club which was laid over for future consideration

A communication was received from F.K. Seaman Esq. in respect to boating on the Lake. The whole matter was referred to Comr Stow with instructions to confer with Mr Seaman in respect to same.

The Board then adjourned

C.S.P. Wood Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held, Nov. 8th, at Park Lodge were present

Comr. D. D. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Hutchins.
" R. B. Hammond. (absent)

The following business was transacted,
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The following bids were received for the construction of the Roads

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J. W. McLachlan.	6419.
L. H. Hummel	6307
J. V. Keen.	7150.
Scull & Bateman	7370
Ingelson & Gere.	7550
G. W. Kirkwood.	9795

Jno McLachlan being the lowest bidder the Contract was awarded to him

The following Resolution was unanimously passed & adopted

Resolved. That the Superintendent and the Chief of Police divide the Park into Beats for the Park Police, both the mounted and those on foot, that each class be assigned to respective beats, and that during the hour of duty, each man shall confine himself the beat which he has been allotted, and shall not leave the same during official hours unless in case of arrest it shall be in the line of his duty to do so

Resolved that a violation of this regulation shall be punished by suspension from service for not exceeding 10 days without pay. & such suspension should be made by the Supt of the Park.

The resignation of Police Officer Smith was received & accepted

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was received and ordered placed on file

The monthly Report of Capt Hinson was received and ordered placed on file

A communication was received from Com. Philemon Tec. of Visalia tendering his collection of birds eggs & nests &c. to the Park The same was accepted.

A communication was received from J. J. Shulan? Esq. relative to making an Entrance to the Park on Logan? Ave. also of improving the South side of the Park.
Referred to Supt. McLaren

A communication was received from F. Slater Esq. offering ten pairs of Japanese Nightingales to the Park. The same was accepted

The Board then adjourned.

C. C. Street
Sec.

A regular meeting of the Board of Port Comm
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Comr. [illegible] in the Chair
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The following business was transacted,
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting
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The following bills were presented for the construction
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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 28/92, at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. W. Hotaling in the chair
" Jno. Austin.
" R P Hammond.

Attorney Wheeler & Supt. Ramsey pt.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed

The monthly repot of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

The following Amendments to Section 5 and 17 of Ordinance No. 11 were unanimously passed upon and adopted;

Ordinance No. 11

Sec. 5. Amended to read as follows;
No funeral procession and no hearse or other vehicle carrying a designed for the carrying of the dead body of a deceased person shall enter or go on or upon any part of Golden Gate Park, or on the Avenue (sometimes called the Panhandle) leading thereto

Sec. 17. Amended to read as follows;
The drivers of all animals, teams, vehicles, bicycles, tricycles, or similar vehicles, when on Golden Gate Park or on the avenue (sometimes called the Panhandle) leading thereto, shall keep on the right side of the road, and when meeting or passing all the aforesaid vehicles shall take the road to the right thereof; by the right is meant the right of the direction travelled.
This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force ten days after the date of its passage; and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted, in the San Francisco Daily Post, a daily newspaper published in said City

and County of San Francisco, which newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners.

A committee from the N. Lobos Dist. Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to certain repairs of said Road Referred to Supt. McLaren.

Relative to a new Cover on Merry Go Round it was referred to Comr. Hammond.

A communication was received from D A Sinclair Esq. asking to donate one dozen mountain quail to the Park. The Secty. was instructed to accept same with thanks.

Lieut. Ramsey was invited to meet Mr. Jackson, Engineer of the Park for the purpose of establishing the true boundary line between the Presidio and the Mountain Lake Park

The matter of preparing a pay roll so as to conform to the eight hour law was referred to Comr. Hammond the Commissioners by making this reference do not admit that they are bound to comply with any such eight hour law, but will take the action as hereby contemplated to avoid if possible controversies such as have recently existed in the case of the Park Commissioners vs. the Board of Supervisors City and County of San Francisco

The communication of W. C. Parkinson Chief of the Weather Bureau relative to the establishment of a Station in the Golden Gate Park was referred to Comr. Stow.

The Board then adjourned.

C. W. Stock
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 16th, at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. W. H. Stow (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" D. P. Hammond

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and filed

E. F. Segnus Esq. appeared before the Board relative to donating his Museum to the Park and presented a communication in writing in respect to the same together with a detailed list comprised in the Museum

A communication was received from C. L. Taylor, Esq asking for permission to take duplicates of the Children's Pictures. Said request was denied

A communication was received from Col. Randall asking for a quantity of Bunch grass. Said request was granted and referred to Supt. McLaren to confer with Col. Randall in respect to the same.

A communication was received from the H. Soles Department Club relative to the granting of certain privileges to the Olympic Club. referred to Comrs. Hammond to confer with the Olympic Club and to come to some understanding.

A communication was received from J. J. Dunn. Esq. of the Board of Education asking for plants for the School Departments. Said request was granted

Comr. Austin to whom was referred the communication of D. E. Markham reported that he had conferred with

Mr. Markham and also with Mr. Hickey the Lessee of the Casino, and had arranged with these parties that Mr. Markham should have such room in the Casino and in Conservatory Valley as would necessitate the requirements incidental to the establishment of the Station aforesaid.

Comrs. Austin was appointed a committee of one to get an expert from the Union Iron Works to inspect the Bridge and to make a report on the strength and quality of the Structure.

Thos. H. Swan Esq. appeared before the Board relative to building an extra story on the Panorama Building at his own expense. Said request was granted.

The Board then adjourned.

W. C. Block.
Secty.

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apl. 16/92 at Park Lodge were present.
Comr. W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" R.P. Hammond. (absent.)

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed

A Communication was received from E. H. Leguen. Esq relative to donating a part of his Museum to the Park.

A Communication was received from the St. Peters Imp. Club relative to putting extra gravel along said Avenue West of First Avenue referred to Supt McLaren with authority to take such action as he should deem advisable.

A communication was received from the Olympic Club relative to the laying of water pipes along the said Avenue. Referred to Comr. Austin.

Relative to the Canal matter it was referred to Supt. McLaren to look into and do as he thinks best.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Stow the salary of Supt. McLaren was advanced from two hundred and fifty to three hundred dollars per month to commence on April 1, 1892.

Resolved that the Golden Gate Park may have such advantages as may be suggested by late improvements made in the Parks of the East and Europe it was Resolved that Supt McLaren have leave of absence for two months, commencing in the first part of June as his convenience to visit the parks of the Atlantic

England France and Scotland with the view of enabling the managers of the Golden Gate Park to place it in the foremost rank of the park attractions of the world.
And whereas the said McLaren designs making a visit to the East and Europe in part for personal purposes, therefore it is
Resolved that such expenses as he shall incur whenever he departs from the journey personal in its character in visiting and familiarizing himself with the advance work of other Parks that the expenses thus incurred shall be reimbursed to him out of the Park Funds.

The Board then adjourned

C. O. Peck
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 28/97. at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. W. H. Shaw. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" A B Hammond. (absent.)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

Relative to the communication received from the Olympic Club for permission to lay water pipe along N. Lake Sd. it was referred to Comr. Shaw to consult with Dr Harrison about same

Communication of J. C. Drake Esq relative to allowing to fence the Recreation Grounds was referred to Supt. McLaren.

On motion of Comr Austin seconded by Comr Shaw it was decided to present the "Gilt Directory" with our thanks for the present.

No Board then adjourned.

C. C. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 4th/97. at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. W. H. Shaw in the Chair
" Jos. Austin.
" A B Hammond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. Gardner was approved and filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and filed

A communication was received from G. M. Patten & Jno. an equatic exhibition in the Park. Said request was denied

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Hammond the following Resolution was adopted unanimously and ordered published for 10 days in the Report.

Resolved In accordance with the petition therefor there is hereby granted to the Olympic Club, a corporation, and to its successors and assigns, the following rights and privileges:

First. To lay down and for a period of fifty years to maintain in Point Lobos Avenue from the intersection of the middle line of Point Lobos Avenue and the middle line of Central Avenue, westerly along said Point Lobos Avenue to the intersection of the middle line thereof with the middle line of Thirty Fourth Avenue, pipes of a capacity of at least five hundred thousand gallons per day in which to convey salt water from the reservoir referred to in Order 2492 of the Board of Supervisors of the City and County of San Francisco

Second: To lay down any for a period of fifty years to maintain in Point Foles Avenue from the intersection of the middle line thereof and middle line of Thirty-ninth Avenue westerly to the Pacific Ocean pipes of a sufficient size to convey from its the Olympic Club's pumping works referred to in the aforesaid order to the said point on Thirty-Ninth Avenue all the salt water that may be pumped at the aforesaid pumping site, provided that the said Corporation the Olympic Club, and its successors and assigns shall not any maintain five 3 inch Grose nods on said Point Foles Avenue at points to be hereafter fixed by this Commission, and connected with the mains from which this Commission shall have the right without cost to take all the salt water that it may desire for sprinkling said Point Foles Avenue

Relative to the last Paragraph the matter was referred to Comr. Hammond

The Board then adjourned

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held July 17th, at Park Lodge were present:

Comr W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" J.D. Austin
" R.P. Hammond

The following business was transacted:

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The Commissioners considered the matter connected with the Children's Quarters, the expenses attending the same and after a considerable discussion the subject was laid over for future action. There was also some discussion in respect to the proposed new pumping works but no decision action taken

The Board then adjourned

W. W. Stow
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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 3rd/72, at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin
" R. P. Hammond. (Abs)

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Asst. Supt. Garden was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed.

The matter of the Water Works was taken under consideration and by motion action was taken.

The Board then adjourned.

C. H. Stock
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 7th/72, at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin
" R. P. Hammond.

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Asst Supt. Garden was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

The matter of dispensing with cars at the Childrens' Quarters and substituting printed tickets was referred to Comr. Hammond

The Board then adjourned

Ulr regular meet. of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 9th, at Park Lodge were present.

(Comr. W. H. Stow in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" J. D. Hammond

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Supt. Dolan was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly report of Supt. Thomas was approved and ordered filed.

The following bids were received for the Construction of Dam at Stanyan St.

Thos. Shea	$6500.-
Otto Von Pein	7900.-
Ransome & Cushing	13,800.-

The bid of Thos Shea being the lowest & most satisfactory the contract was awarded to him. [illegible] adopted by Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Hammond the following Contract for the Construction of Rock Work was unanimously adopted.

[illegible] the last named party of the first part, and [illegible] party of the second part.

[illegible] party of the first part hereby [illegible] all the specifications [illegible] part of the second part, in the [illegible] Court of [illegible] the sum of

Sixteen Thousand ($16,000) Dollars, in gold coin of the United States of America, to be paid as hereafter provided.

The party of the second part hereby agrees that it will furnish the foundations for the said engines, pumps, any boilers, and will also erect the chimney for the boilers and the house covering the same;

The party of the first part to place the engines and boilers upon said foundations provided by the Park Commission and to connect same up ready for steam;

And the party of the second part agrees to pay the party of the first part for the said work as the same progresses, ten percent (10%) of the total amount to be held until trial and acceptance of the machinery.

In Witness Whereof, the parties hereto, have caused these presents to be subscribed and its corporate seal to be attached hereto, and affixed by the hand of its President and Secretary who are thereunto duly authorized.

Nelson Dewey's
By H. S. Scott.
President
and Chas. W. Champion
Asst. Secty.

W. H. Stow.
Pres. Board of Park Commissioners.

C. A. Black
Secty.

Specifications

For the Building and Erection of a Pumping Plant for
The Park Commissioners of Golden Gate Park
San Francisco Cal.

General Description. The Plant will consist of two independent sets of pumping engines of the horizontal Compound type; the pumps being direct. the plungers being attached to crossheads

of the piston rods of the engines. They will be built in accordance with the general plans. The engines will have 17" high pressure cylinders, 30" low pressure by 24" stroke. The pump plunger will be 15 3/4" diameter with a stroke of 24 inches. The suction valves of pump will be arranged below the plungers, and the discharge valves above the plungers.

Area of Pump Valves.

The area through the Pump Valves will be sufficient for the easy flow of water at 30 revolutions of the engines. The engine frames will be of the Corliss type. The distribution of steam will be by slide valves, the speed being controlled by a throttle valve governor of the Gardner Safety Stop make. A sole plate will extend under the whole length of the engine, receiving the feet of the engine frame and the feet of the cylinders, they will be attached to the ends of the pumps.

Air Pumps.

The Air Pumps and Condensers will be placed below the level of the engine bed, back of the cylinders, and in the centre line between the high pressure and low pressure engines.

The Air pumps will be driven by a rock shaft and arm, operated by steel links attached to the engine crosshead that is to the low pressure piston rod and the pump through rod.

The specification will include all the engine and boiler room, including the air chamber and vacuum chamber, and the discharge and suction pipes.

Boilers.

The Boilers will be five in number of the type known locally as the "Elephant" Boilers. They will be set independent of each other and arranged so that either set of engines may be run from either boiler.

Steam & Foundation.

The foundation up to the level of the engine bed plate and the line of the boiler bed and will be furnished by the Port Commissioners

in accordance with plans to be furnished by the Contractors. The contractors will furnish all foundation bolts.

Cylinders

The cylinders will be made of close grained cast iron. The high pressure cylinder will be finished to a bore of 17" diameter x 29 1/2" long over face of flanges. The low pressure cylinder will be finished to a diameter of 30", and the same length as the high pressure. Each cylinder to be fitted with a slide valve. The back heads of the cylinders will be furnished bright, also the flange attaching the cylinders to the engine frames. The cylinder flanges will have their edges prepared to receive lagging. Both the cylinders to be lagged with polished rods.

Engine Frame.

The engine frames will be of the Corliss type, of cast iron with the pillow blocks cast on. The bearing for the shaft journals on each side to be lined with Parsons White Brass. The parting for the cap of the bearing to be on an angle of 45 degrees. The frame to be bored out to form the guide for the crosshead and faced and finished to receive the cylinders. The feet of the frame to be finished to a true line with the feet of the cylinders.

Bed Plates.

Under each Engine a cast iron bed plate will extend from the pillow block under the crank shaft to the front end of the pump and fitted there. The plate will have planed faces to receive the feet of the cylinders and the feet of the engine frame, and under the low pressure engine there will be a pillow block fitted for the rock shaft of the air pump. Each bed plate will be bored for two foundation bolts 1 1/2" diameter.

Piston & Rods

The piston rods will be of steel 3" diameter in the front end and 2 3/4" diameter in the back end. The front end will screw into the engine crosshead and be locked with a nut. The piston rods will fit into the pistons and

taper with a nut on the front side. The tail rod will be keyed into the sleeve coupling between it and the rod of the pump. The pistons will be of cast iron, fitted with snap rings

Crossheads and Connecting Rods

The crossheads will be of cast iron with adjustable slippers with white metal faces. Crosshead pins to be of steel and carefully fitted. The connecting rods will be of forged iron 6ft. long between centers. tapering from 2"& 3" and flattened at the crank pin end. Both ends to be provided with adjustable brasses.

Crank Shaft & Discs. The crank shafts to be of mild steel 5"& 9" long and journals 5½" diam. and 6½" diam for the fly wheel. Crank discs to be of cast iron and polished on edge and face. Crank pins to be of steel 3" diam × 3" l

Fly Wheel. The fly wheel to be 10ft. diam. × 7" face × 6500 lbs. in weight. The rim of wheel to be finished on sides and face.

Valve Gear. The eccentrics for operating the valves will be keyed to the shafts and to have variable cut off attachment. The valve shifting gear will be secured to the engine frame. The eccentric rods and valve stems will be of steel and the guides of cast iron.

Air Pumps. The Air pumps will be 14" dia. × 10" stroke. Condenser and air pump will be in one casting. Air pump liners, foot valve and head valves will be of bronze. The air pump casting will carry the pillow block for one end of the rock shaft, the other end of the rock shaft will be carried in the pillow block on the bed plate. Air pump buckets to be of bronze. Bucket rod will be of forged Johnis bronze.

The rock shafts to be of cast iron with arms to actuate air pump valves. The valves that receive water from the engine will be of forged iron and after part finished, and will be fitted to the coupling sleeve between the piston rod of the low pressure engine and the pump

rod of the same engine, by a pair of links with bronze ends. The horizontal arms will also connect to the air pump by a pair of links

Pipe Connections & Governor. The high pressure cylinder will receive steam from a 3" angle throttle valve bolted to governor and to have a polished hand wheel. The speed of the engines will be controlled by a 3" Gardner Safety stop Governor. The exhaust from the high pressure cylinder will be carried across to the low pressure cylinder through a receiver placed below the floor and between the two cylinders. The low pressure cylinder will exhaust into the condenser. There will be a suction from the hot well to the feed pumps.

Pumps. The pumps will be of the double plunger type, of a capacity of 10000 gallons per hour to a height of 230 feet. The stuffing boxes being accessible in the centre of the Pump. The main body of the pumps will be of close grained cast iron, the mixture to be such as to give a casting of 20,000 lbs. tensile strength to the square inch. The pump rams to be 5½" diam. and made of phosphor bronze. Packing glands and thrust bushes of bronze. The valve plates to be of phosphor bronze and to be interchangeable one side for the other. The valves to be of hard rubber. The discharge from each set of pumps will be united by pipes having easy bends and an air chamber will be placed on each pump.

Suction Pipes. The suction pipe to each pump will be drawn from one common pipe 9" diam., which will be supplied with a vacuum chamber. A small pipe will be introduced from the vacuum chamber to the condenser so that any slip of air in that chamber can be exhausted at any time; the pipe to be supplied with a valve. The chambers and the pipe connections will be made of cast iron. The suction pipes are to be coated inside and

the wall of the building.

Feed Pumps. There will be two direct acting Feed Pumps. "Nat. & Cameron" fitted in the engine room underneath the platform. They will have proper pipe connections for steam and water and fitted so that either pump will fit either boiler

Boilers. There will be two boilers of the "Elephant" type. The Boilers proper will be 54" diam. x 16 ft. long made in two shells with horizontal seams, double riveted, and circular seams single riveted. Shell of mild steel 5/16" thick, of 60,000 lbs. tensile strength. Heads of 11/16" flanged steel drilled for 116- 3½" tubes; to have a manhole below, tubes in front head, and above tubes in the back head. The nozzles for connecting the water drums to boilers will be lap welded and flanged on ends, one end to fit boiler, and other to fit water drum. Both heads will be sufficiently braced to stand a working pressure of 100 lbs. per. square inch

Water Drums. There will be two water drums to each boiler 3/8" mild steel, 27" dia. x 23 ft. long. with a manhole in each end. They will also receive the fittings for the feed pipe and the blow off pipe. The nozzles to connect to boiler will be riveted in place

Steam Drums. The steam drums will be of mild steel 5/8" x 36" diam x 10 ft. long. with manhole in one end. Heads to be well braced for 100 lbs. working pressure. The steam drums will connect to boilers by double cast iron nozzles

Fittings. Each boiler will have a 3 inch nozzle safety valve, and a stop valve bolted to same. Each boiler will be fitted with gauge glass and three gauge cocks, feed, check and stop valve and blow off valve with the necessary fittings to make connections. Each boiler will have a cast iron high fire front of neat and ornamental design, fitted with fire doors, ash pit doors and tube cleaning doors

A full set of grate bars and grate bar bearers to be supplied. Across the fronts of the boilers and at a proper height for tube cleaning will be fitted a cast iron platform secured to the boiler fronts

Brick work. The Contractor will set the boilers in position and do all the brick work above the foundation line" excepting the smoke stack which will be built by the Park Commissioners, as forming part of the building

Foundations. The contractors will erect all the machinery on the foundations provided by the Park Commissioners, making the plant complete, and doing the mechanical work inside the walls of the house.

Pumps and boilers to be operated for thirty (30) days after erection by an engineer of the Union Iron Works, and to the satisfaction of the Park Commissioners. Should any defect occur in material or workmanship the same to be replaced and made perfect by the Union Iron Works.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 25th/94 were present,

Comr. W. W. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" D. D. Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed

The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.
Relative to the Bills for the Town House it was on motion of Comr. Hammond seconded by Comr. Austin referred to Comr. Stow with authority to make and execute the Contract.

[illegible] was read in respect to the height of the bridge over the Park Lake which Ord to be determined by Engineer & that it should be proper height in the clear above the water that was to be placed in the plans adopted for [illegible] bridge it was agreed to [illegible] and [illegible] Stop Planks for the width of Span of the Bridge and piers to rock

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C. C. Stark
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 8th/94 were present.

Comr. W. W. Stow.
" Jos. Austin
" D. D. Hammond (Cols)

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed

The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

After a general discussion about the Main Locks and Bridge the Board adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

C. C. Stark
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge, Dec. 5th/93 were present,

Comr. W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jas. Austin
" R P Hammond

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly report of Supt. McLean was approved and filed

The monthly Report of Capt. Thorn was approved and filed

Mr. Fraser Esq. appeared before the Board relative to the building of Artificial Geysers in the Park. He was directed to get up plans so that the Sup. could act upon them.

Comr. Stow reported that he had executed a Contract in duplicate with Gray Bros. for the Construction of the Store House a copy of which duplicate is on file in this office

Relative to the laying of the Concrete foundation of the new engine house it was on motion of Comr. Hammond seconded by Comr. Austin ordered by Comr. Stow that Supt. McLean be directed to determine whether the work should be done by the Park only by Contract, and if they decided to do the work by Contract to open with Gray Bros upon a price at which they would do the work

Motion of Comr. Hammond seconded by Comr. Austin that the Board do now adjourned.

C. C. Stock Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 5th/93. at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. W. W. Stow (in the Chair)
" R P Hammond
" Jas. Austin (abs)

The Board met and then immediately adjourned out of respect of the death of Jas. G. Blaine

C. C. Stock
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 28th, 93. at Comr. Austin's were present;

Comrs. W. H. St. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read & approved & ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read & approved & ordered filed.

The following resolution relative to the petition of the Olympic Salt Water Co. was unanimously adopted;

Resolved, That, in accordance with Subdivision 1 of Petition 17 of Order No. 2492 of the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco, the Board of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park does hereby designate as a site or location for the erection of steam engines, boilers & other machinery for pumping salt water by the Olympic Salt Water Company, a corporation, assignee of the Olympic Club, a corporation, pursuant to Orders Nos. 2492 & 2497 of said Board of Supervisors, that certain lot or parcel of land belonging to the City & County of San Francisco, bounded & described as follows, to wit: Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly line of Point Lobos Avenue with the westerly line of the Great Highway, and running thence southerly along the said westerly line of the Great Highway one hundred & fifty (150) feet; thence at right angles westerly one hundred & fifty (150) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred & fifty (150) feet to the southerly line of Point Lobos Avenue; thence easterly along the said southerly line of Point Lobos Avenue one hundred & fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning, as the same is more particularly shown upon a map entitled "Proposed Site for Pumping Station of the Olympic Salt Water Company."

Resolved, That, in accordance with Order No. 2497 of the Board of Supervisors of the City & County of San Francisco, & subject to the conditions of a Resolution of the Board of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park, passed June 28th 1892, the Olympic Salt Water Company as assignee of the Olympic Club is hereby permitted to change the location of the route of the main pipe, so that it shall go along the Great Highway to Sea & Street & the Point Lobos Avenue, & thence along Point Lobos Avenue to its junction with Geary St.

Resolved, That the Olympic Salt Water Company be hereby permitted to run a suction pipe from the aforesaid pumping station to the Pacific Ocean, on the condition that no injury be done to the Great Highway or any other roadway.

Provided, however, that no part of the buildings or machinery, to be erected on such proposed "site for pumping station" shall be so located as to encroach upon any portion of the "Great Highway," commonly called the Boulevard, or upon any portion of Point Lobos Avenue, or upon any ground under the supervision & jurisdiction of the Board of Park Commissioners.

Provided, further, that the grantee hereof shall combine with any machinery erected at said Station the most approved appliances for controlling & neutralizing any offensive effects resulting from the use of coal or other fuel in the operation of the machinery proposed to be erected as contemplated.

The Board then adjourned

W. H. St. [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 27/93 were present;

Comr. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R P Hammond (absent)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with;

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was approved & ordered filed.

On motion it was ordered that a warrant be drawn in favor of Samuel Harper for his salary for the months of February, March and April 1893, amounting to Two hundred forty dollars during which time he acted as Watchman in the Park.

Comr. Stow made a verbal report relative to the progress of the Water Works.

There Board then adjourned.

H. H. Stow
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 28/93, at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R P Hammond.

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

A number of gentlemen representing the Citizens Committee of the Winter Exhibit for the proposed World's Fair to be held in San Francisco appeared before the Board relative to having the said Exhibit within the Park Grounds. After a general discussion the following Resolution offered by Comr. Hammond and seconded by Comr. Austin was passed;

Resolved. that the Board of Park Commissioners will cooperate with the Citizens' Committee relative to holding a winter Exhibition from the proposed World's Fair at Chicago so far as may be consistent with their duties and obligations as Commissioners. But this is not to be considered as agreeing that any portion of the Park shall be devoted to fair purposes until further ordered.

The Board then adjourned.

H. H. Stow
Secty

On the 16th. day of July 1893 a conference was had between the Executive Committee of the Mid-Winter Exposition and the Park Commissioners at the Office of the latter whereat M. H. DeYoung presented a Resolution which had been adopted by the Exposition Committee of which the following is a Copy to wit;

Resolved. That it is the sense of this Committee that at the next meeting with the Park Commissioners on Sunday morning next, the Chairman of this Executive Committee be authorized to say to the Park Commissioners that we will accept the ground only upon condition that the work be done by Contract, let to the lowest responsible bidder, the Contracts to be let out by this Executive Committee and that this Committee have absolute control of the improvements to be placed upon that site and be permitted to make all contracts for the California Mid-winter International Exposition.

Comr. Stow replying on behalf of the Park Commissioners announced that of the Fair managers expected to come into the Park and do as they pleased, the sooner they abandoned such an idea the better, that any such license would not be granted nor tolerated.

Thereupon the Fair Committee was called to order by Mr. DeYoung and the word "only" was stricken out of the Resolution, and after a considerable discussion by said Committee it adopted the following provision to be added at the end of the Resolution.

"Provided all plans of ground work are first submitted to and approved by the Board of Park Commissioners and that the rules regulations which govern the methods of contracts in the Park shall be complied with."

Commissioner Hammond then submitted the following Resolution which on his motion was adopted by the Park Commissioners.

Resolved by the Park Commissioners that the Resolution presented to them by the Executive Committee of the Cal. Mid Winter International

Exposition, accepting the site selected by the Park Commissioners and guaranteeing that the Contractors employed by the Exposition Directors shall be subject to such rules and regulations as may be adopted by the Park Commissioners and that the plans for ground work shall first be approved by said Park Commissioners as acceptable to the said Board of Park Commissioners

At said meeting Comr. Stow read a paper addressed to Director General DeYoung of which the following is a Copy to wit;

Park Commissioners Office
S. F. July 15. 1893

Dear Sir;

At the meeting and conference which took and place between the Committee of the Winter Fair the Park Commissioners, the business relations between the two parties were pretty fully discussed, and we think well understood. But as there is no record of those proceedings in the Park Commissioners Office, we have thought it proper to make this Communication to you in writing and to ask your reply thereto so that there may be convenient reference at the Park Commissioners Office to the leading points agreed upon between us.

Wish. The Space reserved for the Winter Fair has been set apart in Golden Gate Park and is known as Concert Valley. On the ground selected there may be erected four buildings or sites to be selected by you and Gen. Hammond, Engineer for the Winter Fair, of such dimensions as you and your associates shall determine. These buildings to be used for exhibition purposes only and to be removed at the expense of the Fair Management within ninety days after the close of the Fair.

Second. That John Wilson has been appointed Landscape Gardener for the Fair and is to have Charge and supervision of the laying out of roads drives, walks, lawns and of the construction, planting

decorations and improvements thereof; and is also to grade the sites for the buildings mentioned in Subdivision First hereof

Third That all expenditures necessary to the execution of the duties and the cost of the varied words under the superintendence of Landscape Gardener McLaren are to be borne and provided for by the Fair Management. And inasmuch as the work assigned to Mr. McLaren is the very first to be entered upon, the first moneys at the disposition of the Fair Management should be set apart to meet the cost of these improvements. Funds for this purpose must be deposited with the Treasurer of the City to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund and disbursed on the warrants of the Park Commissioners and City Auditor. Once in that Fund and the money can be only drawn in pursuance with the terms of the Statute governing the Park. Mr. McLaren has made a careful estimate of the cost of the work assigned to his supervision and places it at one hundred and ten thousand dollars, ninety per cent. of which will go to the employment of unskilled labor. Forty or fifty thousand dollars ought to be placed at once with the City Treasurer and must be before work will be proceeded with. When any deposit made as above is exhausted, work will at once cease and not be resumed until further expenses are provided.

Fourth The Secretary of the Park Commission will provide and keep books of the disbursements made by Mr. McLaren, which will at all times be open to the inspection of any representative of the Fair Management. Vouchers will be taken in duplicate, one of which will be deposited with the City Treasurer and the other retained in the Office of the Park Commission. The labors of the Secretary will be largely increased by this additional work, for which just compensation will be made by the Fair Managers

Fifth So much has been said about the construction of a permanent building in the Park, to be used eventually as a Museum, that in justice to ourselves

we state that it is impossible to erect within the Park in the short life time of the preparations for a Fair a structure that would be permanent in character. Again Concert Valley is not the appropriate place for a Museum. Again the open space south of and adjacent to the Dear Glen, has been chosen for the site of the Museum of the future

It has been suggested that the sum of three hundred and fifty thousand dollars could be placed in the hands of the Park Commissioners with which they could erect a permanent building at their leisure. We apprehend that such a large sum diverted from the resources of the Fair Manager might seriously embarrass their enterprise and hence we have not encouraged this liberal suggestion.

There will be much damage to the Park. There will be the destruction of many trees that we are sorry to lose; and there will be improvements made in the Park, permanent in character, in the pursuance of the undertaking assigned to Mr. McLaren as Landscape Gardener.

The Fair is to be of temporary existence, and when twelve months will be an entertainment of the past. We wish it every success and hope it will realize the expectations of those so actively engaged in its promotion. Golden Gate Park is a permanent institution dedicated to the pleasure and recreation of the public for all time. The money of the people has been expended in advancing the Park to its present attractive condition. The Park Commission is charged with its preservation and improvement. We are impressed with the importance of our trust, and you must expect us to see to it that the benefit accruing to the Park shall exceed the injuries resulting from the location of the Winter Fair within its limits

Park Commissioners

To M. H. de Young Esq.
Director General of the Midwinter Fair

At an informal conference between Park Commissioners Stow & Austin and Supt. McLaren in regard to said McLaren's acting as Landscape Gardener to the Mid-Winter Exposition, the consensus of opinion was substantially as follows. That Whereas said McLaren had heretofore been appointed Landscape Gardener to the Mid winter Exposition by its Executive Committee and had submitted to the Executive Officers of said Exposition an estimate of the cost of making the roads and walks, and laying and fertilizing the grounds and planting the same to produce the garden effects desired and grading the sites of the proposed Fair Structures and of restoring the grounds to their normal conditions after the close of the Fair and Whereas what seemed to us most unjust criticism was indulged in by said Committee in respect to said Estimates so made by said McLaren and

Whereas said Commissioners presented a resolution which it had adopted practically taking out of the control of said McLaren all detailed supervision of the work to which he had been assigned

Therefor it was deemed advisable for the proper protection of the Park that said McLaren should not have any connection with Operations of the Mid winter Exposition except as a representative of the Park Commissioners. Thereupon Supt McLaren prepared and had sent to the Director General of the Mid Winter Exposition a letter of which the following is a copy to wit,

Park Office. July 30/93

W.H.L. Young Esq
Director General Mid Winter Fair.

Dear Sir,

As it has been determined that preparations for the Mid Winter Fair are to be made by the Executive Committee having charge of the Fair subject to the conditions agreed upon by and between your Committee and the Park Commissioners I have decided to and do hereby tender my resignation as Landscape Gardener. Please accept my thanks for the compliment paid

by my appointment.

My position as Supt. of the Park will naturally place me in consultation with those you may select to lay out the Fair Grounds.

I Remain,
Very Respectfully
J. McLaren
Supt.

The Estimate proposed by Supt. McLaren was in the words and figures following to wit

Estimated Cost of preparing 60 acres of Ground for Mid-Winter Fair and restoring them again to their original shape.

Constructing Drive 3600 ft. x 60 ft.	$ 6,480
Constructing Walks 12,000 ft. x 20 ft.	2,520
Grading four Building Sites 400 x 300 ft. each.	5,000
Grading and Shaping Grounds.	7,500
Tunnel under Main Drive	12,500
Water-pipe 3,000 ft. of 8 in.	3,000
Water pipe 12,000 ft. of 4 in	1,800
Hydrants	250
Leaning thirty acres	36,000
Purchase of Trees, Palms and Shrubs	3,600
Planting of Trees, Palms and Shrubs.	250
Dressing Manuring Grass Seed. etc	1,500
Flower Beds planting, etc	1,000
Extra Conservatory Attractions	1,500
Watering and maintaining thirty acres for six mos	10,800
Extra Police 4 men for six months	1,920
Cleaning away Buildings	250
Degrading Building Sites	5,000
Laying up Roads	600
	$110,990.

The Board then adjourned. C.F. Stow
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 28/93. were present.

Comr. H. H. Starr (in the Chair)
" Jos. Rosbe
" E. Hammond.

The following business was transacted,

The Monthly Report of Supt. McKee was approved and ordered filed.

The Monthly Report of Capt. Thomas was approved and ordered filed

On motion of Comr. Hammond seconded by Comr. Rosbe the following Resolution was passed

Resolved. That the Secretary be and Read he is hereby granted the privilege of Surveying, constructing and operating a railway line over the grounds of the Toledo Park subject to the act of the Toledo Railroad at a point on 10th Ave. known as Locust Valley. The exact location of the line hereafter to be agreed upon between the said Commissioners & the Toledo Belt Ry. Co. the proper privilege is granted to enable the parties of the 2nd Part to Construct & operate the cross under the Belt Ry. tracks that the railway be moved if the said Board as far as practicable to the north of the said Belt Ry. tracks after the Close of the Fair Carried further that such be done to suit for the transportation of freight only

The Board then adjourned

C. C. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 28/93, at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. H. H. Starr (in the Chair)
" Jos. Rosbe
" E. Hammond (absent)

The following business was transacted,

The monthly Report of Supt. Lane was approved & ordered filed

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomas was approved & ordered filed.

The communication received from H. B. Hilliard relative to charges against Foreman Sharpe was laid before the Board & on Thursday the 31st inst. was designated as the day & hour at which the matter will be investigated. A letter to this effect was ordered & Mr. Hilliard with the request added that he be present.

A Communication having been received from the Toledo & Cliff Haven Railway Co. asking for the privilege of extending the track of the Toledo & Cliff Haven Railway over Locust Valley now laid on 10th Ave. Upon motion of Comr. Rosbe seconded by Comr. Hammond the following Resolution was passed

Resolved: That the Toledo & Cliff Haven Railway Company be and it is hereby granted the privilege of Surveying, constructing and operating a railway over the grounds of the Toledo Park subject to the consent of Council of the Toledo Park Commissioners with the Toledo & Cliff Haven Railway Co. The exact location of the line hereafter to be agreed upon between the said Commissioners & the Toledo & Cliff Haven Railway Company & the proper privilege is granted to enable the parties of the 2nd Part to Construct & operate the cross under the Belt Ry. tracks that the railway be removed if the said Board as far as practicable to the north of the said Belt Ry. tracks after the Close of the Fair Carried further

that such line shall be used for the transportation of freight only.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block.
Secty.

A special meeting of the Board was held Aug. 31/93 for the purpose of investigating charges against Benamin Harper filed by W. H. Philbrook at which meeting Mr. Philbrook and Mr. Harper appeared and made their respective statements as to the charges made against said Harper. After which the Board went into Executive session, and determined that Harper should pay a fine of $25.- for conduct unbecoming an Officer.

The Board then adjourned.

V. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 27/93 at Park lodge. were present

Comr. W. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. B. Hammond

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved & ordered filed.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was approved & ordered filed.

The Park Commissioners having under consideration the procurement of Insurance on some of the buildings in the Park, the whole matter was referred to Comr. Stow with authority to take such action as he should deem advisable.

In respect to lease of the Casino & any portion of it to be used as a Restaurant the Commissioners decide that they would not make any lease of any part of it

Comr. Hammond offered the following Resolution viz: Resolved that Supt. Childs be and he is authorized and empowered to erect on the Golden Gate Park a Shaft commemorative of the religious ceremonies that took place on the shore of Drakes Bay in 1579

In respect to the application of Wm. Flatery to purchase & erect an electrical building on the land at the rear of the Life Savings Station it was Resolved That the privilege be granted provided the architecture of the proposed building be equal in style to the buildings

already in place as a part of the Station

The Board then adjourned.

C. C. Black.
Secy.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 5th/73 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. M. H. Stow. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved & ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved & ordered filed.

A delegation of 40 Women from several of the Western Counties of the State had an interview with the Park Commissioners and the object of obtaining a site for a building to be erected by them as a part of the Mid Winter Fair. After conversation the Com approximated Ground a site was agreed upon, and instructions as to plan that would have to be followed to make room for the proposed building. The ground thus fixed upon to be taken charge of with a guard of police by Supt McLaren, when the building was erected.

The resignation of D. D. Neal as a Policeman was on Motion duly accepted.

Com. Stow was authorized to execute the Contract of the Contractor of the Seal House in behalf of the Commissioners.

Various matters had in respect to the disposition of the Grass, but nothing done to report upon.

The Board then adjourned. C.H.S. Block Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 7th/73 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. M. H. Stow. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved & ordered filed.

A number of parties interested in the grading and opening of Tenth Ave. and connecting the same with the Park - appeared before the Board, and advocated making the Avenue and Park aforesaid. And as an inducement to connection aforesaid, the Park Commissioners offered to expend twenty-five hundred dollars on the Park entrance and a gate. The matter was discussed by the Board and the following Resolution was adopted to wit;

That when Tenth Avenue shall be graded and macadamized between 72 Street and M. Lobos Avenue, the Park Commissioners will grade and macadamize a suitable connection of Tenth Avenue, provided the cost of the work so to be performed by the Board be paid by those interested in the opening of said Tenth Ave. Provided further that the sum of Twenty-five hundred dollars, shall be deposited in the City Treasury to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund, to cover the cost of the work so to be done by the Park Commissioners and

in constructing an attractive Gate way and approaches at and on the line of the junction of 10th Ave. the Park and 10 Street. Vouchers showing the expenditures by the Park Commissioners shall be kept in the Park Office and duplicates lodged with the City Treasurer open to the examination of any contributing or other interested party.

A communication was also received from parties interested in the opening of Twenty Fourth Ave. petitioning for Park driveway connection therewith. On motion of Comr. Hammond seconded by Comr. Austin the matter was referred to Comr. Stow and Supt. McLaren.

Comr. Hammond exhibited a sample of uniform with which to equip the boys employed in and about the Childrens' Quarters. Favorable consideration was given to the same and the matter was referred to Gen. Hammond with power to fully carry out the equipment.

Communications were received from Mr. Harold Wheeler, one in respect to the differences between Adolph Sutro and the Board about boundaries and the other in respect to the authority of the Board in regard to the appointment of guards and police in Mid Winter Fair Grounds. Both papers were ordered filed.

The Board then adjourned.

C.C. Stock
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 27/93 at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. M. H. Stow (in the Chair.)
" Jas. Austin.
" R.B. Hammond.

The following business was transacted,

It was determined to give a Tree Day at the Childrens' Quarters for such of the Children of the City as are unable to meet the expenses thereof. The whole matter was referred to Gen. Hammond with authority to provide a free lunch suitable to the occasion and such instructions to make the whole affair a complete success. Communication was had with Col. C. F. Crocker by telephone and he authorized the Board to announce that the Market St. R.R. system would take the Children to and from the Park free of charge.

For legal services rendered the Board during the past eight months by Harold Wheeler Esq. in investigating the matters in dispute between the Board and Adolph Sutro about the proper lines of Point Lobos Avenue, and in furnishing the Board with an opinion in regard to the appointment of a Police force for the Mid Winter Fair it was resolved that Mr. Wheeler be paid five hundred dollars and that a warrant be drawn in his favor therefor and that

The Board then adjourned.

C.C. Stock
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan 26/94 at Park Lodge were present,

Comrs H. H. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" D D Hammond (abs)

The following business was transacted,

A communication was received from Wm. Hanes relative to the altering and extending of the bridle-path. Said communication was referred to Supt. McLaren.

A communication was received from W. Lyster Esq. for permission to sell his guide book in the Park. Said request was denied.

The Board then adjourned.

C O Sloat
Secy

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on the 1st day of February 1894 to consider a lease of the Right of way for water pipe from the Alms House farm to the Park, at which Commissioners Stow and Austin were present.

A lease prepared by the Spring Valley Water Company was submitted to the Board which was approved, and on motion of Messrs Austin and Stow were instructed to execute the same by and on behalf of the Commissioners. The said lease is in the words and figures following to wit,

Know all men by these presents that the Spring Valley Water Works, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California, Lessee, for and in consideration of the rents hereinafter agreed to be paid has demised and leased, and by these presents does demise and lease unto H. H. Stow, Joseph Austin, and D. D. Hammond, as and being the Board of Park Commissioners of and for the City and County of San Francisco, in the State California, Lessees, a certain right of way and easement in and over certain real property belonging to the Lessor in the City and County aforesaid, which right of way and easement is described as follows, to wit;

A right of way and easement for the maintenance of a line of wrought iron water pipe (to be laid in the ground at a depth of at least two feet below the surface at all points) in and over such lands of the Lessor as may be on its course (to be determined as herein stated) from certain wells situate on lands belonging to the City and County aforesaid and east of the Lake Honda Reservoir, thence to and in and along on the road on the East side of said Reservoir and the waste pond below the same to the north boundary line of the property of the Lessor known as the Waste Land Tract - but it is agreed that the exact location of the said pipe line on such general course and the manner of laying the same and the size of the pipe shall be where as directed by the Chief Engineer of the Lessor.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan 26/94 at Park Lodge were present;

Comm. W. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" J. D. Hammond. (abs.)

The following business was transacted;

A communication was received from Wm. Hamel relative to the altering and relanding of the Sloat path. Said communication was referred to Supt. Mc Laren.

A communication was received from H. Taylor, Esq. for permission to sell his guide book in the Park. Said request was denied.

The Board then adjourned.

Wm. H. Stow
Chm.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on the 1st day of February 1894 to consider a lease of the Right of way for water pipe from the Ocean House farm to the Park, at which Commissioners Stow and Austin were present.

A lease prepared by the Spring Valley Water Company was submitted to the Board which was approved. And on motion of Comm. Austin, Sec. Stow was instructed to execute the same by and on behalf of the Commissioners the said lease was in the words & figures following to wit

Know all men by these presents that the Spring Valley Water Works, a Corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of California for and in consideration of the rents hereinafter reserved to be paid, have demised and leased and by these presents does demise and lease unto H. H. Sloat, Jos. Austin, and J. D. Hammond, as they being the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, the State of California, a certain right of way and easement in and over certain real property belonging to the said Water Company situate in the City and County aforesaid, and which right of way and easement is described as follows to wit:

A right of way and easement for the construction of a line of [illegible] pipes [illegible] ground at or about the Ocean House [illegible] Junipero and all parts [illegible] the lines running [illegible] as have already been [illegible] lands belonging to the City and County aforesaid [illegible] City along the road [illegible] Ocean House [illegible] Park [illegible] said lessors [illegible] the said [illegible] that the said [illegible] or said [illegible] the [illegible] the City [illegible] which by [illegible]

Such lease shall be and is for the full term and period of four years from and including the first day of January 1894, to and including the thirty-first day of December 1897, at the rent and sum of One Dollar for such entire term.

And the said Lessees hereby covenant with the said Lessor that they will lay such pipe line at the depth below the surface aforesaid and of such size and quality of pipe and workmanship and along such actual course as may be directed as aforesaid and will in all respects restore the soil to and maintain the same in its present good condition along and in the course of such pipe line and that they will not assign this Lease or sublet said right of way, or any part thereof, without the written consent of the said Lessor first had and obtained therefor, and that they will, at the expiration of said term, quit, and peacefully quit and surrender, the possession of said right of way, and every part thereof, to the said Lessor, its successors or assigns, and remove said pipe therefrom and restore the soil in the line thereof of its present condition.

In Witness Whereof the said Lessor has caused these presents to be signed by its President and its Corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and the said Lessees have hereunto subscribed their names this 17th. day of January A.D. 1894.

Spring Valley Water Works.

By

President

H. H. Stow. } As Board of Park
Joseph Austin } Commissioners of and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 9th 94, at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. H. H. Stow (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin
" R. P. Hammond.

The following business was transacted:

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

Whereas very great danger arises from the use of bicycles on the drives and walks leading to and from the summit of Strawberry Hill, the Park Commissioners in regular meeting convened, a full Board being present, on the 2nd day of February A.D. 1894 do hereby ordain as follows, to wit:

Section 1. No person shall ride over, lead or operate any bicycle or tricycle over or upon any of the driveways or walks leading over said Hill or any part thereof; nor shall any person ride, drive, lead or operate any bicycle or tricycle upon or over any of the walks or drives leading up, down or upon any part of Strawberry Hill.

Section 2. Power and authority are hereby given to the Superintendent and head Gardener of Golden Gate Park and to the Park Police, and to any of the foremen employed in said parks, avenues or grounds, to arrest and detain and deliver to the proper authorities to in their discretion to eject and expel from the said parks, avenues or grounds any person or persons who shall violate or offend against Section 1 of the provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 3. Whenever any person shall be arrested for an offense against Section 1 hereof the Superintendent of said parks, or of the park or place in which

such offense shall have been committed, may in his discretion release such person from custody upon receiving from him a deposit of not less than twenty nor more than fifty dollars as bail or guaranty for such person's appearance in the police court on the calling of the charge or case against him. All such moneys shall be forfeited by the failure of such arrested person to appear in said Court on the calling of the charge or case against him. Any all moneys so forfeited shall be deposited in any become a part of the Park Improvement Fund

Sec 11 This ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after the first publication hereof, and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days (Sundays excepted) in the "S F Chronicle" the "Daily Examiner", daily newspapers published in said City and County of San Francisco, which newspapers are hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners

C.C. Peck
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held March 18/91 at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. H. H. Haw. (as the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" D Hammond (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomas was approved & ordered filed.

After a general discussion relative to Park matters the Board then adjourned

C.C. Peck
Secty

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 16/94 at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. W. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" E. D. Hammond.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

After a general discussion relative to Park matters, the Board then adjourned

U. V. Block.
Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 5/94, at Park Lodge were present,

Comr. W. H. Stow.
" Jos. Austin
" J. M. Scott. (absent)

The following business was transacted,

No meeting held on account of absence of Comr. Scott. and adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

U. V. Block.
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 8/94 at Park Lodge, were present.

Comr. H. H. Stow.
" Jos. Austin.
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Scott J. McLaren and V.V. Block were reappointed Superintendent and Secretary.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr Scott. Comr. Stow was re-elected Chairman of the Board.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr. Scott. the Superintendent was instructed to purchase a vehicle suitable for the uses of the Park Comrs and such visitors from abroad as may be their guests.

Comr. Scott presented a communication from T.C. Judkins Secretary of the Worlds Fair Commission containing a list of articles formerly exhibited at Chicago, a portion of which are now in the Mid Winter Fair, and a part in storage which communication and list are now on file

The Board then adjourned

V.V. Block
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 16/94, at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A communication was received from M. H. De Young. Esq. tendering some of the Buildings in the Mid-Winter Fair Grounds to the Park, and after considerable discussion relative to same it was unanimously determined that the Fine Arts Building so called being the only one which any practicable use could be made of was the only one we would accept, and it was decided to so notify Director General De Young.

The Board then adjourned

V.V. Block
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held at Park Lodge, June 27/94 were present.

Comr. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" Jno. Scott. (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

A delegation from the Bicyclers of the City appeared before the Board to discuss the restrictions to be enforced against the uses of the Bicycles in the Park. The Commissioners insisted that Bicyclers should not be permitted to run on the walks ~~and~~ drives of the Lake and Strawberry Hill, that the Wheelmen might leave their machines at the Boat House if they wished to visit the Hill on foot.
The Commissioners gave assurance that they would improve the facilities of the wheelmen as rapidly as they conveniently could so that they would be able to pass from Baker St. to the Beach without conflict with vehicles or footmen.
It was also conceded by the Commissioners that the Wheelmen might dispense with lamps during the four or five evenings when the moon is full or nearly so.
It was also conceded that the wheelmen might pass over the Main Drive immediately South of the Conservatory on Concert Days until twelve m instead of eleven as now provided.
Bicycles were also allowed to use the Page St. walk from Sanjuan St. to the South Drive provided they dismounted.
For all of which the Bicycles expressed their satisfaction.

W.W. Block Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held at Park Lodge on July 4th/94 were present.

Comr. H. H. Stow. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" J. M. Scott. (abs.)

There being nothing of importance before the Board they adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

W.W. Block
Secty

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge, on Oct. 2nd/94 were present,

Comr. H. H. Starr. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

After a general discussion relative to Park improvements the Board adjourned.

C. C. Block
Secty

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Comrs held at Park Lodge, on Nov. 2nd/94 were present,

Comr. H. H. Starr. (in the Chair.)
" Jos Austin
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

A communication was received from the Pacific Gas Improvement Co. for permission to continue their pipes Mid the Park Grounds so as to connect with their Gas Works South of the Boundary of the Park at or near 9th Ave. as shown in their communication on file. Their request was complied with.

After a general discussion of matters pertaining to the Park the Board adjourned.

C. C. Block.
Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commis held Dec. 11/14 at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. W. H. Stow
" Jos. Austin
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted.

The following Ordinance relative to Bicycles was unanimously adopted and ordered paid.

Sec. 1 Bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes and vehicles of similar character may be ridden or driven over any of all the driveways in Golden Gate Park and on over the Boulevard or Speedway, except the driveway around Stow Lake and the driveway leading up Strawberry Hill and the Carriage Concourse adjacent to the Concert Station and the Speed Road. The exclusion from the Carriage Concourse aforesaid is confined to the afternoons of days when there is music at the established Concert Station.

Sec. 2. All persons are prohibited from riding or driving any bicycle bicycle or velocipede, or over any of the lawns or footpaths in Golden Gate Park except said vehicles may be led over the Shell walk leading from the Lloyd Entrance to the South Drive, and also over the walk leading from the corner of Fulton and Stanyan streets to the North Ridge Road.

Sec. 3 Not more than two bicycles tricycles or velocipedes going in the same direction at the same rate of speed shall be ridden abreast.

Sec. 4 All vehicles named in this Ordinance must be driven in a straight away course as nearly as possible, and must not run or be driven crosswise coming to and fro. Riders must conform to the customary rules of the Road. In meeting a vehicle going in the opposite direction, they must pass

on the right hand side. In passing a vehicle going in the same direction they must pass on the left hand side.

Sec. 5. Wheelmen may ride their machines on the walk running along the South side of the Speed Track. Also on the walk commencing at or near Thirty-Fifth Avenue if extended on the north Drive and terminating at about Forty-Eight Avenue, if extended.

Sec. 6 On days on which music is played in Concert Valley the speed of bicycles on main Drive between flag staffs and Sixth Avenue shall be limited to six miles per hour.

Sec. 7. After Sundown each and every bicycle, tricycle or velocipedes, or vehicles of similar character ridden or propelled in Golden Gate Park, shall carry a lighted lantern or lanterns in front and a bell. Bell must be of size to be heard at least 150 feet distant.

This ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after the date of its passage, and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted in the San Francisco Daily Report, a daily newspaper published in said City and County of San Francisco, which newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners.

The application of L. A. Thompson to locate and maintain the Scenic Railway in the S.E. corner of the Park was considered at length and denied.

The Board then adjourned.

W. H. Stow.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Dec 29/94 at Park Lodge, were present:

Comr. H. H. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos Austin
" J.M. Scott.

The following business was transacted:

Hon. A. Sutro appeared before the Board relative to opening Fifth Ave into the Park. After a general discussion, the Comrs decided to take the matter under consideration, and the following is a copy of an answer in regard to same.

Hon. A. Sutro

Dear Sir,

The Park Commissioners have had under consideration your application to open Fifth Ave. to the Park, so as to facilitate travel by connecting with Seventh Avenue, and have decided to grade and macadamize the requisite space to connect Fifth Avenue with the South Drive of the Park, where Fifth Avenue will have been graded and macadamized southerly to J Street, and J Street shall have been graded and macadamized to Seventh Avenue.

The above described work having been completed, the Park Commissioners will close up the opening made out of the Park about midway between Third and Fourth Avenues

Thereafter.

Very Respectfully
C. C. Sloss
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Jan 7th/95 at Park Lodge were present.

Comr. H. H. Stow (in the Chair)
" Jos Austin
" J.M. Scott. (ab.)

The following business was transacted.

A communication was received from A.J. Moulden Supt. of Public Schools asking for the Park to furnish trees & plants to the School Dept. Said request was granted.

Comr. Stow reported that he had purchased 1 Moose for $150.- Said action was approved by the Board.

A communication was received from the Veterans Home.- See letter on file. which request the Commissioners were unable to comply with.

The Board granted Comr. Scott leave of absence from the State, he having asked permission

C. C. Sloss
Secty.

At a meting of the Park Commission held this 1st day of March 1895, the following business was transacted,

It appearing that there is a vacancy in the Board of Park Commissioners occasioned by the death of H. H. Stow the matter of filling such vacancy came on regularly before the Board of Park Commissioners to appoint a successor to fill the unexpired term of H. H. Stow deceased as such Park Commissioner. Upon motion of Park Commissioner Joseph Austin, John Rosenfeld was placed in nomination as successor of H. H. Stow deceased to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the said Park Commissioner H. H. Stow and for his said unexpired term. A vote being taken Commissioner Joseph Austin and Irving M. Scott voting in the affirmative. It is therefore ordered adjudged and decreed that John Rosenfeld a resident of the City and County of San Francisco be and he is hereby elected a member of the Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco vice H. H. Stow deceased to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the said H. H. Stow and for his said unexpired term.

W. W. Block
Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 10th/95 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. Austin
" Scott

The following business was transacted,

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. John Rosenfeld was elected Commissioner in place of H. H. Stow, deceased.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, Comr. Austin was elected President of the Board.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld it was moved and adopted that all the officers and employees of the old Board be confirmed.

Resolutions to the memory of the late H. H. Stow, President of the Board were approved as read, and the Secty. instructed that the same be engrossed and framed, and a copy of which be sent to the Family of the deceased.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Children's Quarter were leased to Mrs. Murphy for the sum of $100.00 per annum payable quarterly. Said lease to take effect from Apr. 1st/95

A general discussion was had relative to the leasing of the Casino as a Restaurant. No definite decision was reached, and the same was laid over for further consideration.

The Board decided to build a New Lodge for the Commissioners, and House for the Supt. and it was left to Comr. Austin and Supt. Mc Laren to get plans and receive estimates to the construction of same.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, it was decided that the "Electric Tower" in the New Music Grounds must be removed at once, and the Secty was instructed to write to Col. Andrews, acting Chairman [illegible] Mid-Winter Fair, and to notify him of same.

The monthly Report of Supt. was approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed.

A committee was appointed by the Board for the purpose of furthering the collection in the Museum. Said Committee to consist of Comr. Scott, M. H. de Young & J. D. Davis and is to be known as the "Committee on Museum & Art." The duties of said Committee is to solicit and collect curios etc. for the said Museum.

Wood
Secty

Whereas. At this present meting the Park Commissioners becomes officially cognizant of the death of its President. W. H. Stow, whose long and valuable public services, merit the highest recognition.
Therefore. — Be it resolved that, in recording the inscrutable decree of Divine Providence. this Board feels that to his able, just and unwearying administration of the affairs of the Park during the years of his Commissionership, are due in great measure, the many permanent improvements executed during the past six years, and especially the Lake bearing his name will remain the best monument to his memory
His wisdom as a counsellor, his amiability as a gentleman, and his worth as a citizen, will enshrine his name in the memories of all who enjoyed the privilege of his sterling friendship.
He was averse to notoriety, but had an intense though modest appreciation of those who placed a proper estimate on public services honestly rendered. Kind, gentle, and courteous in his intercourse with all, he was a true high-minded man, a genial earnest lover of justice, whose sense of duty was his guide and limit of his actions.

This Board tenders its sincere and respectful sympathy to the relatives of its late President in their irreparable loss, and that these Resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Board, and that a copy thereof suitably engrossed be forwarded to the bereaved widow & family.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 16/95 at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. Austin. (in the chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" Irving M. Scott.

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were approved

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomas was approved and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was decided that the "Electric Tower" must be removed The matter was referred to Comr. Scott to see about the early removal of same.

A communication was received from H. A. Kunzie relative to the disposing of a collection of Indian Curios. Secretary instructed to notify same that we cannot purchase on account of lack of accomodation.

In reply to the communication received from H. B Ward the Secretary was instructed to answer him stating that no public speaking is allowed in the Park. Relative to the games no permission would be required.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld Supt. McLaren was authorized to go and see Mr. Badlam relative to the glass Aquariums that he had for sale.

A petition was received from the property owners on N. Lobos Road asking that Mr. James Winslow be awarded the contract for watering & repg. N. Lobos Road. Said on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld

seconded by Comr. Scott the said award was granted for the sum of $2000.- per annum.

The Board then adjourned.

C. O. Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 21/15 at Park Lodge, were present:

Comrs. Jos. Austin, (in the chair)
" John Rosenfeld
" J M. Scott.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. C. Stow representing the Merchants Association appeared before the Board relative to making Fifth Avenue a Boulevard. The Board having no control over the said Avenue, no action was taken.

Mr. Stewart appeared before the Board with a proposition to construct a water shute. The Board took no action until he would submit his proposition in writing.

Supt. McLaren reported upon the glass cases that Mr. Badlam had for sale.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

A copy of an Order passed by the Board of Supervisors relative to the Market St. Railway Co. was received and the same referred to the Attorney of the Board.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the plans and Specifications presented by Architect Swain for the Park Lodge were accepted, and the same be signed by the Commissioners, and that Architect Swain be employed to superintend the construction of same, and that his pay be 5% of the cost of the construction of the said Building.

He was also authorized to obtain bids and submit same to the Park Commissioners.

Relative to the construction of the new Ladies Cottage the plans were submitted by the Architect, and the plans were adopted and the Supt. was instructed to have the same built.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to hire teams to distribute the loam deposited along the western portion of Park.

O. V. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 20th/95 were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

The following Bids for the construction of the New Park Lodge were received

For Carpenter Work

Mckersie & Patterson	$ 14,444
C.C. Ferrill	13,990.
D.M. McLachlin	13,150
J.S. Tennyson	12,980.
Andrew Wilkie	12,976
C. Chisholm	12,500
W.T. Veitch & Bro	12,333.
G.M. Walker	11,987.
A Jackson	11,410.
J.T. Logan	11,397.

Plastering.

H.F. Mulville	1,549.
C.C. Morehouse	1,236.
W.T. Veitch & Bro	1,094.
Chas. Hanlan	1,090.
D.C. Sullivan	1,000.
Wm Leahy	997.
H.C. Watson	950
J.C. Morehouse	935.
J.R. Tobin	891.

Plumbing & Gas Fitting

J.T. Regan	$ 3,900.
E.A. Carter	2,750.
E James Ruffey	2,600.
L Schellhamer & Bro	2,589.
L Lee	2,560.
The Ford Bros	2,476.
Thos H. Wilson	2,337.
H Williamson	2,144.
W.S. Smart & Son	2,071.
James E. Bull	2,093

Painting & Polishing.

Chat & Ellert	$ 2,247.
J.P. Fraser	2,035.
J.H. Keefe	1,930.
Thomas Downing	1,775

Roofing

Wm. Crenan	$ 3,999.
Toronto Cornice Works	3,870.

J.T. Logan being the lowest Bidder for Carpenter work, the Contract for same was awarded to him.

J.R. Tobin being the lowest Bidder for Plastering work, the Contract for same was awarded to him.

James E. Bull being the lowest Bidder for Plumbing & Gas fitting the Contract for same was awarded to him.

Thomas Downing being the lowest Bidder for Painting & Polishing, the Contract for same was awarded to him.

D.L. McGilvray being the lowest Bidder for Stone the Contract for same was awarded to him.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott it was moved & passed that the parties being the lowest bidders in their respective work in the construction of the New Park Lodge, the Contract be let to them, provided they furnish satisfactory bonds to the Commissioners

Supt. McCraw was instructed to consult with Architect Swan relative to the time to be allowed to said Contractors in which to complete their work on the new Lodge.

Relative to the Boating privileges to be let at Sans Souci the following proposition was submitted & agreed upon by the Commissioners

That the said privilege be granted to James V. Roman provided 1st That he give a Bell at Sale to the

Park Commissioners for all Boats rote, used on Stow Lake
2nd That the rates to be charged for the rental of said
Boats shall be submitted to the Park Commissioners.
3rd That Mr. Forman shall pay to the Park Commissioners
the sum of $100.- per mo commencing from May 1/95 and
that the said payment shall be made at the end
of each month, and unless said terms are complied
with the privilege will be cancelled.
4th. Said lease to run from May 1/95 to May 1/96

Relative to lighting the Park with Electric Lights the
matter was referred to Comr. Rosenfeld with power to
act as he deems best.

Relative to the Franchises to be granted to the Market St
Railway Co. in regards to power and authority to construct,
maintain and operate a Street railroad upon Point Lobos
Avenue and Pt. Lobos Rd. the matter was referred to
Comr. Kustel to see that the desired alterations in
said Franchise be made. Said alteration being
that the proposition shall provide that the 2½
be paid into the Park Fund when the Road is
completed and the cars begin to run. Also that
the Rail Road Co. insert a definite time for the
beginning of work under this Franchise.
Comr. Kustel was authorized to have the papers
properly executed.

Supt. Wilson was instructed to examine the
sewer on 13th Avenue the water of which seems an
outlet into the Park System of Water Wks

Supt. Wilson was instructed to see that the Frances
Scott Key Monument be appropriately decorated
on the Fourth of July.

Mr. L. J. Foster was granted privilege to place a
box on the Frances Scott Key Monument on the 4th
of July for the purpose of collecting funds for the
Key Monument Association.

A communication was received from the Manufacturers

and Producers Association suggesting to the Park Commissioners
that all the material to be used in the construction
of the New Park Lodge be manufactured in California.
The Commissioners agreed unanimously in the
above proposition.

The monthly Report of Supt. Wilson was read and
approved and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld
it was passed that owing to increased donations
being received in the Museum, and the same
being too small to accomodate them all that the
Building be enlarged. The entire matter was
referred to Comr. Scott with power to act relative
to same.

The following Ordinance relative to the lighting
of Bicycles was unanimously passed by the
Commissioners

Every person riding upon a bicycle, tricycle,
velocipede, or other similar vehicle in Golden
Gate Park, at any time between Sunset and
Sunrise, must have attached to some conspicuous
place on the front part of the machine a well
lighted lamp or lantern.

The Board then adjourned.

C. C. Block.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 18/95 were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" W. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the following Ordinance in reference to the Market St. Railway Company submitted to the Board, and on call of the roll was unanimously adopted. The Ordinance is in words and figures following to wit;

Ordinance No. Granting to the Market Street Railway Company, its successors and assigns, power and authority to construct, maintain and operate a Steel railroad upon Point Lobos Avenue and Point Lobos Road.

The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby find the following Ordinance to be necessary for the regulation, use and government of Point Lobos Avenue, and Point Lobos Road, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, do ordain as follows;

Section 1. The right is hereby granted to the Market Street Railway Company, its successors and assigns, to construct, lay down, maintain and operate, for the term of fifty years from and after the passage of this Ordinance a single track Steel railroad, with all necessary and convenient sidings, side tracks, switches, connections, tubes, conductors and appliances, along and upon Point Lobos Avenue, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, from its easterly end and intersection with Central Avenue, easterly to its connection in junction with Point Lobos Road, thence along and upon Point Lobos Road easterly to the Pacific Ocean.

Sec. 2. When it is constructed said railroad must be commenced within one year from the date of this Ordinance, and the same must be completed within three years thereafter.

Section 3. It shall be lawful for the said grantee, its successors and assigns, at their option, to propel cars over said railroad or any part thereof by electricity, with modern appliances and requirements, and with either side or center pole construction, or by wire ropes running under said Avenue and Road, and moved by stationary steam engines, or such other means as may be sanctioned by Law for the operation of street railroads in towns, cities, counties, and cities and counties

Section 4. The tracks of said railroad, if there be more than one, shall be located as to cause the least possible obstruction to the customary use of said Avenue by the public, and said grantee, its successors and assigns, shall during the continuance of this franchise, macadamize and pave between their tracks and for two feet on each side thereof, in the same manner as the remainder of said Avenue or Road shall be paved or macadamized

Section 5. Said grantee, its successors and assigns are hereby authorized to collect a rate of fare for each passenger upon said railroad not exceeding the sum of five cents each way for any distance over said road.

Section 6. In consideration of the grants and privileges herein contained, the said grantee, its successors and assigns, shall, after the completion and commencement of operation of any portion of said railroad, and each year thereafter during the continuance of the rights and privileges hereby granted, pay into the Treasury of the City and County of San Francisco aforesaid to the credit of the Park Improvement Fund, five per cent of the gross receipts of said railroad, of such part thereof as shall have been completed and operated as aforesaid, during the next preceding fiscal year. Said percentage shall be ascertained by means of a sworn statement to be rendered by the said Park Commissioners, verified by the oath of the Secretary or some officer or agent of the grantee, its successors or assigns, showing the gross receipts during

the preceding year of the line of railroad constructed or such part thereof as shall have been completed and operated under the privileges herein granted; such statement to be made and presented on or before the 1st day of March in each year, after any such percentage shall become due under the provisions of this Ordinance. If said grantee, its successors or assigns shall fail or refuse to comply with the provisions of this section, all of the rights and privileges granted by this Ordinance shall cease, and determine.

Section 4. Said grantee is required to file with the Secretary of said Board of Park Commissioners, within twenty days after the time when this Ordinance shall take effect, an acceptance in writing of the provisions hereof, and thereupon the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed and taken to be a contract between said Grantee, its successors and assigns, and said Board of Park Commissioners. If no such acceptance be filed within the time aforesaid, this Ordinance shall become and be null and void and of no effect.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted, in the San Francisco Daily Report a daily newspaper published in said City and County of San Francisco, which said newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners. Said publication shall commence within five days from and after the passage of this Ordinance, and this Ordinance shall be in force and effect from and after the date of the last day of said publication.

Sig'd: Jos. Austin
Irving M. Scott
John Lewis Price

The Board allowed Com'r Scott full power to purchase a collection of coins for the Museum.

The Board then adjourned

C C Bloch
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 26/95 at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin, (in the chair)
" D. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed

Bids for the Mill work for the construction of the Ladies Lavatory were submitted to the Board, and the same were referred to Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren with power to act.
The following is a list of the Bids

Enterprise Mill and Building Co.	$1067.-
California Mills.	965.-
A. Wickis	931.50

Bids for the construction of a Steel Vault in the New Lodge were submitted to the Board, and the same referred to Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren.

The following is a list of the Bids.

C. B. Purdall & Lubold (Supt of each)	$395
Chas Matty	388
J. Gosling (Herring Hall Marvin Co.)	395
[illegible]	$ [illegible]

Bids for the construction of the Roof for the New Lodge were submitted to the Board and the same referred to Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren.
The following is a list of the Bids

Wm Cranston	$399.-
Western Fence Works	532.-

A communication was received from the property owners on Waller & Stanyan Sts. asking for an Entrance to be constructed at said point into the Park.
On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, the said request was granted, and the Supt. instructed to see that the same be made.
The Secretary was instructed to notify the petitioners that the request was granted.

The Secretary was instructed to send a communication to the Market St. Railroad Company urging an early completion of the building of the Road on Pt. Lobos Road in consideration of the urgent and numerous requests of the residents of the said District sent to the Board
Following is a copy of the letter sent to Col. C. F. Crocker.

Park Office, July 26/95

Col. C. F. Crocker
Pres. Market St. R.R. Co.

Dear Sir,
At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held this day, the Secretary was instructed to send a communication to the Market St. Rail Road Co. urging an early completion of the building of the Road on Pt. Lobos Road, in consideration of the urgent and numerous requests of the residents of the said District sent to the Board
Yours,
Very Respectfully.
C. O. Block
Secty.

Relative to the purchase of Loam the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren and he was instructed to purchase same at $.75 per cu. yd. delivered at certain designated places in the Park.

The Board then adjourned. C. O. Block
Sec'y

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 17/95 were present;

Comr. Austin. (abs.)
" Rosenfeld.
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted;
On account of the absence of Comr. Austin, Comr. Scott moved that Comr. Rosenfeld occupy the chair.

Relative to certain alterations to be made in the Museum, the entire matter was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to purchase material for the making of glass cases, wood, railing etc.

After a general discussion on Park matters the Board adjourned.

C. K. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 24/95 at Park Lodge, were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" D. M. Scott. (abs.)

The following business was transacted;

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.
On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the following Ordinance was unanimously passed and adopted;

Sec. 1. Riders of bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes and vehicles of similar character will not be allowed to ride at a rate of speed exceeding that of one mile in six minutes or ten miles per hour, excepting on such roads as are specially set apart for cycling.
Sec. 2. Between sunset and sunrise, every bicycle, tricycle, velocipede, carriage, buggy, cart or other vehicle must have attached on some conspicuous place of said vehicle a well lighted lamp or lantern.
Sec. 3. All riders of bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes and all other vehicles similarly propelled shall not ride more than two abreast in any of the drives or roads of said Golden Gate Park.
Sec. 4. No coasting to be allowed on either the Bicycle Road or any roads in said Golden Gate Park.
Sec. 5. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force fifteen days after the date of its passage, and it is hereby ordered to be published for the period of ten days, Sundays excepted in the San Francisco Daily Report, a daily newspaper published in said City and County of San Francisco, which newspaper is hereby selected for that purpose by said Park Commissioners

A communication was received from Chas. H. Phe

Pres. of the South Side Imp. Assn relative to the Completion of the Ocean Boulevard The Secty was instructed to communicate with the Supt. and state that the Park Commrs would be unable to do anything until the yearly appropriation was made.

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Rust the Secty was granted a ten weeks Leave of absence

The Board then adjourned.

V V Block
Secty.

at a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept 26th 95 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. Rust (in the Chair)
" Rosenfeld
" J W. Scott. (6th)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly report of Supt Wilson was read and approved and ordered filed

The monthly report of Capt Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed

Relative to procuring Loam from San Bruno the matter was referred to Comr. Rosenfeld and Supt Wilson

Relative to the proposition of Loam submitted by M. C. Stevens the matter was referred to Supt Wilson

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott it was unanimously passed that the Supt be empowered to employ and discharge all the employes of the Park whenever it is for the interest of the same so to do

The following bids for the Electrical Works for the new Lodge were received and opened.

Bid No.	Name.	Money in Contract	Warrants	Electric Bells
No. 1.	Pacific Electrical Wks.	$500	$267.	$ 195.
" 2.	Cal Electrical Supply Co.	1100.	280.	288.
" 3	Cal. Electrical Wks.	595.	300.	180.
" 4 & 5	R. H. Matthews.		379.	168.
" 6.	L. B. Kelly	504	295.	145
" 7 & 8.	Miller & Hind.			

Clerk

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 11th 95 were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" John J. Rosenfeld
" D. M. Scott

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Repirt of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

A communication was received from the Pacific Coast Jockey Club stating to making an opening on Park Ave. on the South side of Park.
The Secty was instructed to write to the said Club stating that if they did the grading the Commissioners would construct the said Road

Relative to the preparation of Loam from Mr. Rockwell the same was referred to Supt. McLaren.

A communication was received from Mr. Geo. R Archer relative to repairs at St. Johns Road. The same was referred to Mr. Manslow who has charge of the said Road

The Board then adjourned

C. C. Stocks
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 26th/95 were present;

Comr. Austin (in the chair)
" Scott.
" Rosenfeld (abs)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the following Improvements to be made were decided upon and work to commence as soon as possible.

Museum Building Extension cost not to exceed	$12,000.
Music Grounds	10,000.
Bridge	12,500.
Boulevard	
Bicycle Track	13,000.

Architect Sumner was instructed to make plans and specifications and receive Bids for the same & that Museum and to submit same to Comr. Scott who was authorized to proceed with said work with full power to act.

Relative to the construction of the New Bridge it was agreed upon to receive Designs from members of the Guilds of Arts and Crafts. Said Bridge to be of monumental design and also criticisms as to location and design.
Supt. McLaren and Architect Sumner were instructed to submit a design also

Relative to the claim of J. Tuttle against the Park, for loam it was decided upon to pay him for the same.

A general discussion was had relative to having a Childrens Day in the Park. The entire matter was referred to Comr. Scott to consult with the Board of Education as to the day which they would select which would be best for teachers and pupils. Expense not to exceed the yearly rental paid by Gen. M. Murphy to Park Commissioners.

The Park Commissioners having received many complaints relative to the condition of the Speed Road the matter was taken up, and the entire charge was left to Comr. Austin, who suggested that the Casino Building be removed from its present site to a point near the westerly terminus of the Speed Road for the accomodation and guests to some responsible party who would on lieu of the rent keep the said Road in good repair.
Comr. Austin was to submit a report on the same at the next meeting.

Bills were presented by the Ex. Committee of the Cal Midwinter Fair Exposition for $5,167.80 being for pipe moved and laid in the Recreation Grounds, and other parts of the Park.
After a general discussion it was decided to pay the same.

The Board then adjourned

C. C. Block
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 14th, 95 were present:

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D. M. Scott.
J. Rosenfeld. (abs)

The following business was transacted:

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
The following bids were received and opened for the grading and extension of the Boulevard from its present Southerly terminus to its junction with the Road leading to the Presidio
Following are the Bids

No. 1. Warner & Malloy	$10,300.
2. John Telfer	21,974.
3. E. B. Stone	18,000.
4. O. McHugh	9,700
5. John Tuttle	8,980.
6. E. H. Dennison	12,760.
7 A. E. Buckman	7,500.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Contract was awarded to A. E. Buckman for $7500 he being the lowest bidder. Said work to be done in accordance with specifications and made part of his bid.
Supt. McLaren was authorized to execute a Contract and have same properly signed

A communication was received from Wm. Johnson Secty. of the St. Peters B. & L. Club asking of the Board of Park Commissioners to lay sidewalks & plant trees on St. Peters Ave from Central to 1st Ave.
The Secty. was instructed to reply to Wm. Johnson that the Park Commissioners have only control of the Road and that it lies with the property owners to construct the sidewalks.

A communication was received from the Superior

Gas Imp. Co. to run their pipe along the pan handle at Stanyan St. The Secty. was instructed to write to the said Co. granting them the request provided they furnish Gas free at the Park Lodge, Museum, and Police Stations.

After a general discussion relative to the removal of the Electric Tower the Secty. was instructed to send a communication to P. N. Lilienthal Treasurer of the Cal. Midwinter International Exposition stating that after repeated attempts to get the tower taken down and the failure of having it done and that 12 months have elapsed since notified the Commissioners would commence to have it removed on Tuesday Dec. 17/95 and that all expense so incurred would be charged to the Cal. Midwinter International Exposition.

The Board then adjourned

W. H. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 28/95, were present:

Comrs. Austin (in the Chair)
" J.M. Scott
" Rosenfeld (absent)

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Rept. of Supt. M. Lowe was read and approved and ordered filed.

Comr. Scott reported that he had received and opened the Bids for the Annex to the Museum, and accordingly to instructions received had awarded the Contract to the Lowest bidders. The Concrete and Carpenter work to Thos. Butler for $6000- and the Iron and Steel work to the Pacific Rolling Mills for $19750

Following is a list of the Bids

Iron and Steel work.

Pacific Rolling Mill Co.	$19750
Bay City Iron Wks.	1993.
Fredr. Clark Iron Wks.	2200
Ralston Iron Wks.	2258.
Western Iron Wks	2270.
Judson Manufg. Co.	2137.65
Judson Manufg. Co.	2367.90
Pacific Refiner Roofing Co (unsafe)	311.65

Concrete, Brick, Stone Carpentering Roofing, Painting and Glazing

Thos. Butler	$6000.
V. H. Day	8120.
Riley & Lowe	8149
A. Miller	6507
Richardson & Gale	8795.
J. F. Logan	8250
Robt. Mitchell	6948.
J. McCarthy	7484.
2 Rejected	6, 7?
J. D. Conyeau	7720.

The action of Comr. Scott in awarding the Contract for the Annex to the Lowest Bidders was confirmed by the Board

The Board then adjourned. W. H. Block Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held June 7th were present,

Comr. Jos. Austen (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott
" J. Rosenfeld (Sec)

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

The monthly report of Supt M Laren was read & approved and ordered filed

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed

The plan of Bridge submitted by Cabiad & Cabiad was accepted. Said plan to be modified according to alterations suggested by Supt M Laren.

There being no further business

C. C. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb 7th/96 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austen (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott
" J Rosenfeld. (Sec)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

The monthly Report of Supt. M Laren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed

Relative to the renewal of the lease of the Boat House the Commissioners decided to cancel the present lease on May 1st and to take the management of it themselves.

A communication was received from A.E. Buchanan who was awarded the Contract for grading and macadamizing the Boulevard, transferring payments for same to Wm Ede & Son.

The Board then adjourned.

C. C. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Mar. 16/96 were present;

Comr. Austin (in the Chair)
" Scott.
" Rosenfeld. (abs.)

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

A communication was received from J.J. Lyon Esq. Cor. Secty. of the Labor Bureau G.A.R. and the Secty was instructed to inform him that the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren.

A communication was received from C.H. Reynolds Esq relative to repairing N. Lakes Rd. Secty was instructed to write to him stating that the Board would do the best they could.

Relative to the Asphalt flooring to be laid in the Museum Annex the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to act, and that he should confer with Mr. Jackson about same.

The Board then adjourned.

O.O. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Apr. 28/96, were present;

Comr. Austin (in the Chair)
" Scott.
" Rosenfeld. (abs.)

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

A communication was received from M. Rosenthal Esq asking for the privilege of leasing the Casino for Restaurant purposes. His request was not granted as the Commissioners desired to have the Building removed.

A communication was received from J.O.B. Lyon Esq of the Olympic Club asking that the Board supply water for the use of the Olympic Grounds. The Secty was instructed to answer same by stating that it would be contrary to the rules of the Board to interfere with other peoples privileges.

Relative to the renewal of the lease of the Boat House the Secty was instructed to notify Mr. Forman that the Commissioners would take charge of it on and after from May 1/96

Supt. McLaren was authorized to purchase the gas-fixtures for the Boat House.

O.O. Block
Secty

The Board then adjourned.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 7th/96. at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs)

The following business was transacted;

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with

Relative to the claim of A.E. Buckman for extra work done on his Contract in grading the Boulevard the Board decided to allow him $150.- for same.

The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

After a general discussion on matters pertaining to the Park the Board adjourned.

C.V. Block.
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held June 2d/96. were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott
" Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;
The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.
On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. J. Rosenfeld was reappointed Park Commissioner.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld it was agreed upon to proceed and finish the facings and pailings of the Tunnell as per Specifications.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Superintendent was appointed a Committee with the President to purchase a Desk for the Commissioners Office.

A communication was received from Mrs. P.J. Hughes relative to the planting of certain trees in Golden Gate Park on Oct. 19th/96. by the Daughters of the American Revolution. Said communication was referred to the Supt. to answer.

A communication was received from the property owners in the vicinity of Grove and Stanyan Sts asking for an Entrance into the Park at that point. Said communication was referred to the Supt. and Secty to answer.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed

A communication was received from the Musical Director Golden Gate Park Band asking for permission to allow the Band to wear their Uniforms during the coming Fiesta. Said request was granted

The Board then adjourned. C.V. Block Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioner held July 27th 96 were present,

Comr. Austin
" Rosenfeld
" Jas. Scott.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The Monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

A communication was received from P.J. Newberry for the privilege of operating open cars along the Road.
On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, the proposition was rejected.
A communication was received from C. J. St. Claire of Otto Road, Arizona offering to procure a female Mountain Sheep for $100. the proposition was accepted with the provision that the sheep be delivered in good condition in San Francisco for that price.
Minutes of Supt. McLaren in disposing of the Hid and outside brush was approved by the Commissioners
On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott it was ordered & passed that the following Bids which were received for the grading & curbing on the Sea Beach Co. be rejected.

Sea Beach Const. Co	$1,950
Patrick & Leonard	1490.
Boyd & Co	1,985.
Pacific Paving Co	2,896
Sea Beach Contracting Co	39,998
Raymond Granite Co.	1,305
O'Regan	1,695
A. D. Foreman	39,00

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the bid of A. McLaren of the date July 27th for the amount of $7,316.00 for the Granite work of the New Bridge was accepted, and the Contract awarded to him with the following provisions
All work to be done according to plans & Specifications of Cerkhead & Cerkhead, Architects and the payments being made as follows
Warrants will be issued when the Architects and Supt. issue certificates certifying that the work has been done. Payments to be 75% of the work done
Comr. Scott and Supt. McLaren were appointed a Committee to prepare the Contract.

Relative to the Concrete the Supt. was authorized to confer with Mr. McLaren and do the best he could in furnishing same.

Relative to the bids received for the Cases for the Museum the Commissioners decided to defer opening the same until Saturday Aug. 1st 96 as there were parties desiring to put in bids at that time.
The following Bids were received for Loam
P. Kilroy $.62½ per cu. yd.
P. Hogan .62½ " "

The Board then adjourned.

C. H. Block.
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Aug. 28/96 at Com'r. Scott's office were present,

Com'r. Austin. (in the Chair)
" Rosenfeld.
" Scott.

The following business was transacted,
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

The Report of Curator Wilcomb was ordered filed.

A communication was received from Dr. Yates offering his collection of woods, indian relics, pressed plants, shells, minerals etc. to the Park in lieu of a position in the Museum. The Secty. was instructed to answer him stating that it would be impossible to accept of his offer.

A communication was received from Mr. D. A Osborn, Inspector, complaining about Officer McNeil. The Secty was instructed to acknowledge same and state that the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to investigate.

A communication was received from the Sunset Soda Water Co relative to a claim of $40.00. The matter was referred to Supt. McLaren & Mr. McYoung to see that some settlement is made.

A communication was received from a Mr. Hatch relative to setting up the bird display in the Museum. The letter was referred to Supt. McLaren.

The Board then adjourned.

C. A. Black, Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 29/96 were present,

Com'r. Austin. (in the Chair)
" Rosenfeld.
" Scott.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Rept. of Capt. Thomson was approved and ordered filed

The proposition of P. Broderick to supplying the Park with 100,000 yards loam at 15c per yd. was received and referred to Supt. McLaren

A communication was received from the Western Addition Improvement Club relative to planting trees on Pt. Lobos Avenue from Central Avenue to the Ocean. No action taken until the Board saw whether the new charter would be adopted if so the jurisdiction over the said Road passes to the Park Dept.
A communication was received from the Pt. Lobos Imp Club asking the Park Commissioners if they would not aid them in having the Market St Railway Co. remove the old and unused rails on Pt. Lobos Rd. The Secty. was instructed to answer the Club stating that the Park Commissioners would do all in their power in having them removed. Also to send a copy of the communication to the Pt Lobos urging the necessity of removing same.

A communication was received from the Sea Cliff Improvement Club Sandhills and Ashbury Heights which was read and filed.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the matter of the lighting of the Park with Electric lights was referred to Comr. Scott for him to look into same and report.

The Commissioners reported the sale of the Old Lodge to Messrs Tuttle & Brown for $300.-

The following Expenditures for the coming year were agreed upon by the Commissioners.

Insurance by National Safety Ins. Co. Sept. 1st, 96	$ 118.000
Bridges	60.000
Fences	5.000
Water pipe & fittings	10.000
Maintenance	105.000
Museum Incidentals	5.000
Loans	10.000
Repairing Sheds & purchase of Horses	5.000
Incidentals	4.000
	$ 225,000

The Board then adjourned

C C Block
Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 6/96 were present

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" J Rosenfeld
" D.M. Scott.

The following business was transacted.

The offer of S. Menzies of $100. for the Casino Building was accepted, and the Supt. instructed to notify him that as soon as we could remove the tenant now occupying same he could have the building

A communication was received from the Hartford Steam Boiler Inspection & Insurance Co. asking for the insuring of the Boilers at the Water Works. The Secty was instructed to notify them that the Commissioners deemed it unnecessary to have them insured.

The matter of the communication relative to the Speed Road House came before the Board & upon motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was moved and agreed that a proper shed should be erected - plans and size of same to be determined by Supt. McLaren and Mr. Speedels and the same be erected by the Park Commissioners by their own carpenters and also it is to be distinctly understood and agreed that no liquor shall be sold. Said shed to be erected as soon as we have money to pay for same.

The Board then adjourned.

C C Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 7th/96 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The Secty was instructed to communicate with Scott H. Knight the Attorney of the Board relative to drawing up a Bill to be presented at the next Legislature by which Pt. Lobos Road now under the jurisdiction of the Park Commissioners be transferred to the City.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Supt. McLaren was authorized to uniform the 2 attendants at the Museums. Said uniforms not to cost more than $25.

The Commissioners agreed to employ two janitresses for keeping the Museum in a clean condition
The following Bids were received for Loam
Sullivans Sons. 5000 c. yds. @ $1.[illegible] p. Ld. rock Ld. containing 2 cu. yds.

C. McHugh	.67½ p. cu. yd.
Jas. McCoy.	.90 " "
P.J. Carroll	.65 " "
Andrew Burke	.63 " "
A. McIntosh	.67½ " "
[illegible] Tuttle.	[illegible] " Loam
C.H. Kullman	.57½ " "
J. Kelso	.90 " "
P. Broderick	.82½ " "

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the Contract was awarded to Sullivan Sons

The Board then adjourned.

A.A. Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 4th/96 were present.

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed

Warrants to the amount of $32.713.[illegible] were examined and ordered paid Labor. $10.185.[illegible] Bills $22.528.[illegible]

A communication was received from L.J. Chamness keeper of the Boats relative to certain alterations necessary to be made to the boats. Also to reduce the rental of the Boat House during the winter months
Said communication referred to Supt. McLaren

A communication was received from M McLennon Contractor for Granite Bridge. asking for a two months extension on his Contract for the Bridge. Said extension was granted provided no extra charges are made.

A communication was received from the Market St. R.R. Co. asking permission to lay a Gas pipe along their track from the P. & O. Round House to a point adjoining their track on Stanyan St near opposite the intersection of Waller St.

Said request was granted
A Report was received from Curator Wilcomb on the Museum, and the same ordered filed

The Board then adjourned A.A. Block Secty

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec. 23/96 were present:-

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin, it was moved and passed that Saturday Dec. 26/96 be set aside as the Annual Childrens' Day at the Quarters, and Mr. Murphy was authorized to expend $1000.- the annual rental of same in a free entertainment for the children of the City

The Board then adjourned.

V.O'Block
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 28/96 were present:

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

208 Warrants for the month were examined and ordered paid. Total Amt. $ 18,371.75 159 Labr warrants $ 9464.32
49 Material warrants $- 8907.63

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The following report of the work done and cost of improvements for the year beginning Jan. 96 was submitted by Supt. McLaren and the same ordered spread upon the minutes

Park Office Dec. 28/96

To the Hon. the Board of Park Commissioners City.

Gentlemen,

I also beg to report a brief summary of the principal works that have been completed during the year ending with this month also an estimate of the cost of finishing the different works now under way

A year ago at this time the Park Lodge was in course of erection and the tile roof just about finished. The entire structure was completed and accepted by your Honorable Board on the 16th of May 1896. The amount paid on it during the year 1896 being $19502.73 The next heavy item was the hauling and distributing of loam over 38,000 cu. yds of surface soils having been spread over the lower portions of the Park at a cost per cu. yd. varying from 30c to 65c. The total amount spent on the purchase of fertilizers being $1031.05 The reconstruction of the grounds lately

Park Lodge completed 1896

occupied by the Midwinter fair composed of about 40 acres was another large item in the expenses of the year. Much of the labor of which was very rough and costly and of which there is nothing now to be seen such as taking out old concrete foundations, pulling down iron towers, building shelter hills and planting them with large sized trees many of which were 30ft. in height. Each of the trees required about 6 cu. yds of loam to plant in and it took an enormous amount of heavy work. Besides old roadways had to be dug up, the road hauled away, new roads laid out, graded and macadamized. Over three miles of water pipe was laid and 6,300 ft. of new walks laid out and gravelled. Twenty five acres of new lawn were surfaced, graded, shaped, sown and cared for besides many thousand of trees and shrubs, planted most of which were of large size necessitating heavy labor and great care in the transplanting in order that success in the work might be insured and that it was successful is shown in the very small percentage of failures among the trees and shrubs that were moved.

This increased amount of lawn surface and finished grounds tested the pumps to their full capacity during the summer months and also showed that if any more lawn & other grounds requiring irrigation were to be added to the area now under cultivation that more pumps would be required to furnish the increased amount of water for their maintenance. To meet the demand it was determined to order a new set of Dow's Double Acting pumps of a capacity of 30,000 gallons per hour. The contract price for which was $9503.- $6713.- of which was for the Pumps. $953.- for the fittings and the balance $137.- for the setting up of them. Before being accepted they were given a severe test and are now giving good satisfaction and are in first class order.

Early in the year a Contract was entered into with Story Bros. for the construction of a concrete tunnel under the main Drive according to plans of your Superintendent; the length of which is 133 ft. long by 21ft. wide, in the clear. This work cost 25¢ per

Tunnel Main Drive

cubic foot and a total of $4,485.50 thereby saving over $1500.- from the plans proposed by your Architects. On Aug. 1. a Contract was entered into by your Honorable Board with A. McLennan according to plans of your architects Corbett & Corbett for the erection of the Bridge now in course of construction at a cost of $27,216.- also with Story Bros for the concrete work at 23¢ per cu. ft. The main walls are now up and the contractors are about to commence the building of the walls dividing the bicycle road and foot paths from the main drive. There has been paid out on this work to date $5,136. leaving about $17,050 still due.

Another heavy piece of work accomplished during the year was the building of the extension of the bicycle road from Burns Point to the Conservatory a distance of about 1¼ miles. This road varies in width from 20ft. at the west end to 30 feet wide east of the cut.

The larger items in the maintenance departments are for labor from 30 to 40 men being required in water districts keeping the grass, shrubs and flowers in order, 20 men engaged in policing. And cost about $22,000.- Again the Museum cost for construction of Annex 130×70 $20,171.10
for new cases & glass shelves $4863.25
Annex putting up division walls, repairs &c $6,635.61
Maintenance $5,418.16
Marble facade & putting up same $1016.55 $17955.57

During the year the cost of feeding the fifty Head of horses in the Stable was $6,137.91 being for oats, hay, rolled barley &c.

Another large expense was the purchase of coal for the different departments; 299 tons being used at the Dumping Station, 92 in the Conservatory, 20 in the Office. Water pipe & fitting material cost $2718.10 The purchase of Hay, grain, coal from month to month has been done as instructed by Comrs

On the contracts still out there will be required to finish the Bridge $12,000 & complete grounds $2,000. for maintenance $12,000. Horses $600. Team $100. Incidentals $1,000. Leaving $28,000 for the lighting of the Park & any other work in which Comrs

Honorable Board may determine to expend the same. Commissioner Scott has sent to the Office blue prints of a plan without cost for an Engine House that seems to me to be just what is wanted for that purpose and would blend and harmonize in style with the present pumping station and other buildings now in that neighborhood.

J M Scarr.
Supt.

The following financial report by the Secty was read and approved and ordered spread upon the minutes. December Expenditures. Labor $ 9461.37
Bills $ 9907.63 Total $ $18371.75

Total Receipts up to date $ 170.267.
" Disbursements " " 178.775.23

A communication was received from the Board of Health relative to the erection of a Building in the Park to serve as an Ambulance Station. The Secty was instructed to write to the Board stating that the Commissioners were willing to cooperate with them and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Supt was authorized to have an extra room built in the rear of the new Police Station and also to have the necessary accomodations for their wagon & horses. The Secretary was instructed to notify the Health Board of the Park Commissioners action of same.

Park Superintendent Hospital

A communication and bill was received from Douglass Tilden relative to work done on certain models for Stairway on New Bridge and also for alterations in the said plans of Bridge. Said letter & Bill were ordered returned to him as the Park Commissioners had not authorized same.

A communication was received from Mrs E.B. Crocker of Sacramento stating that she would like to donate three paintings to the Museum. The Secretary was instructed to notify her of the acceptance of same,

and to thank her for the generous gift.

A report was received from L.J. Chamnes Esq Lessee of the Boat House relative to the receipts and disbursements of same. and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the rent of the Boat House was reduced to $50.- from Nov. 1/96 to May 1/97
Following is the Report submitted by Mr. Chamnes

Boat House Golden Gate Park
San Nov 24/96

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen,

I most respectfully beg leave to submit for your inspection, your leniency and generosity the following petition which I trust will meet with your favor.

Owing to the shortness of the days, the inclemency of the weather, and the almost total lack of patronage during the months of December, January, February and March, I earnestly beg a reduction of rent for the Boat House to as low a figure as your Honorable Board can make for the above mentioned months. The boats are now in need of much repair such as varnishing, painting, new row locks, new oars lost sockets (this item alone cost $64. at Garratts last year.) new oars and new canvas bottoms. This all means a considerable outlay.

Furthermore, the business of the past summer has shown a marked falling off from that of previous years, thus leaving no margin to tide over the winter months.

Hoping that your Honorable Board will grant the above request. and for which you favor I am,

Yours Obediently
Louis J. Chamnes

Statement of Boat House
Golden Gate Park

	Total Cash Receipts	Rent	Labor	Material	Returned to Co
May 1896	$188.65	$100.	$24	$3.70	$150.75

Net for Month of May 1896

	Total Cost Receipts.	Rent.	Labor	Material	Disbursements
June 1896	$220.65	$100.-	$27	$7.40	$134.40
Net for Month of June 1896.					$86.25
July 1896	$223.40.	$100.	$27	6.15	$133.15
Net for Month of July 1896.					$90.25
Aug. 1896.	$219.30	$100.	$27	5.30	$132.30
Net for Month of Aug. 1896					$87.
Sept. 1896.	$207.20	$100.	$27	1.	$128.
Net for Month of Sept. 1896.					$79.20
Oct. 1896	$226.75	$100.	$20	5.	$135.
Net for Month of Oct. 1896.					$91.75

This is a Statement of the six best months of the year an average of $82.06⅔ for the summer months only

Respectfully
Louis J Chesmas

A communication was received from Chas. Green Esq relative to procuring Rock from the Park Quarry. The Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Green stating that he was undoubtedly under the wrong impression that the Commission allow private parties & Contractors to take rock from the Quarry as the same belongs to the City and the Commissioners have no authority to give it to anyone else that they regret accordingly that they cannot comply with his request.

A communication was received from the Western Addition Improvement Club relative to laying Sidewalks along St. Lobos Road, and the Secretary was instructed to write to them stating that the Commissioners are unanimously of the opinion that they are not authorized to build sidewalks, put in sewers, repair streets, nor purchase lands belonging properly to the City and that their duty requires them to maintain St. Lobos Road for a Drive the same as the other Drives in the Park are now maintained

The Park Commission has no greater authority over a Street than the City and as the City requires Sidewalks, sewerage & paving before acceptance, the plowing of St. Lobos Rd. under the Park Commission does not relieve the citizens from this duty. Also that the Attorney of the Board is now drawing up a Bill to be presented at the next Legislature by which St. Lobos Road be transferred to the City

Supt. McLaren was granted permission to draw plans &c. and superintend the improving of Alamo Square, the same having been requested by the Board of Supervisors as pr. Resolution No 18484.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to confer with a Committee of Gentlemen from the Polo Players to select and place on proper order suitable grounds for them to play in the Park

The following Bids were received for Pennsylvania Anthracite Coal to be delivered in the Park subject to the approval of the Supt.

Chas Allen	$11.75 pr Ton of 2240 lbs
J.C. Wilson & Co.	$13.50 " " " "

The following Bids were received for Hay & Grain. Alfalfa

W.W. Chase & Co. Bid Dec 7/96	Choice Wheat Hay	$13. pr Ton
	" Wheat & Oat	13. " "
Scott & McCord. Bid Dec. 7/96	No. 1 Wheat Hay	13. " "
	" 1 " & Oat Hay	11. " "
Somers & Co. Bid Dec. 2/96	1st Quality Wheat Hay	13. " "
	" " Wheat & Oat Hay	11.

S.P. Hay & Grain Co.
Bid. Dec. 3/96

Wheat Hay } Cartage $12.- pr. Ton.
Wheat & Oat. } " 11.50 " "
Fair quality " 10.- " "

Geo. Morrow & Co.
Bid Dec. 3/96 { No. 1 Wheat or Wheat & Oat Hay $10.50 " "
No. 1 Oat Hay $9.- Alfalfa 9.-

S.F. Dec. 26/96

Supt. McLaren
Golden Gate Park.

Dear Sir,

With reference to our recent bids to supply the Park with hay &c, we were under the impression that as your horses are work horses we could supply hay of good quality but similar to that used by most of our City Contractors; but we now find you require gilt edge hay & under the circumstances we beg therefore to withdraw our bid as it would only entail a loss upon us. Trusting that you will accede to the withdrawal

We Remain,
Yours Respectfully
Geo. Morrow & Co

Geo. Morrow & Co
Bid. Dec. 26/96

No. 1 Wheat Hay $12.50
No. 1 Wheat & Oat Hay 11.50
No. 1 Oat Hay 10.50
Alfalfa 10.-

S.F. Dec. 26/96

Supt. McLaren
Golden Gate Park
City

Dear Sir, Pursuant to our letter of even date withdrawing former bids for hay & assuming the kind acceptance of same by the Commissioners and your good self, we beg to submit the following tenders for goods such as we are accustomed to use viz: No. 1 Wheat Hay $12.50 No. 1 Wheat Oat $11.50 No. 1 Oat Hay $10.50 Alfalfa 10. Yours Respt. Geo. Morrow & Co

Supt. McLaren was authorized to receive Bids for 1— 10 Ton Scale and to select location for same

In the death of Officer Harper the Commissioners decided not to fill the vacancy. The Secretary was instructed to send a letter of condolence to the family

Comr. Scott who was appointed a Committee of one on the Electric Lighting of the Park reported progress as follows. After a careful examination of the various Electrical devices and Consultations with the Supt. of the Park he decided that the lamp posts should be ornamental, that the Cable conveying the Electric current be placed under Ground, that the Dynamo should be of the highest type constructed at present of the direct connected type. Engines to be compound, and of modern of the highest workmanship in order to ensure economy in running and in repair
Boiler to be of the internal fired straight away tube pattern as best suited to the carrying loads and repeated firing and cooling down which the plant will be subjected to. The whole to be erected on concrete foundations and connected with the present flue & chimney. The design of the Building to correspond with the present Pump House. Walls to be of Concrete. Roof of tiles and the Building placed far enough from the present Pump House to enable a cart to pass between.
That specifications are being made and as soon as prepared and examined will be submitted to the Board

Relative to the claim of Wm. Banks who draws for and plans for an Agricultural Bldg. in the Park the Commissioners agreed that it was very unfortunate, he not being officially authorized to do same and while not having any legal claim there may be some way to adjust some

& the Secretary instructed to notify him. Also to return to him the plans & designs submitted.

The Cases for the Museum, the Contract for which was given, having been finished the Commissioners decided to pay for same.
Following are the Bids that are accepted.

Bid No. 1 "A"	6 oak centre cases & tables. Mr Wolf.	$660.
" " 3. "C"	14 Ebony cases & tables. Mr. Wolf.	1070.
" " 7. "G"	4 Mahony column cases. Mr Wolf.	160
" " 8. "H"	4 Mahony one half column cases Mr. Wolf	70.
" " 2. "B"	4 wall cases & tables. Hoffman, Dahl & Co	681.
" " 4. "D"	14 Ebony wall cases. Hoffman Dahl & Co	263.40
" " 5 "E"	6 Ebony centre cases & tables Hoffman, Dahl & Co	551.10
" " 6 "D"	6 Ebony bird cases. Hoffman, Dahl & Co	594.60

The Board then adjourned.

W. W. Dodge
Secty.

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 4/97. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" Wm. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld, Mr. Ihmsky was appointed special Engineer to examine & report the amount of Concrete contained in the granite walls of Park Bridge now in course of construction, as members of the late Grand Jury claim error in Architects Certificate.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld L. Folger was appointed Expert to examine the Books of the Commission & report on same as members of the Grand Jury claim that the amount & quality of material delivered is incorrect.

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, Mr. Jas. Winston was authorized to continue the care of Ft. Peter Lot during the pleasure of the Board & the same terms as last year.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Supt. was instructed to purchase Marking & Tags in such quantities & at such price as are best & cheapest.

A communication was received from the Union League asking for the loan of plants on Jan 19th Said request was granted.

The following Bids were received for Weighing Scales of ten ton capacity.

Howe Scale Co. $264.
Fairbanks, Morse & Co 245.

The Contract was awarded to Fairbanks Morse & Co. for $235.- the Commission agreeing to put in foundation for same. Ten Dollars being deducted from Bill.

A Letter was received from Architect Coxhead suggesting certain changes to be made in Granite Bridge. On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott. $80.- was allowed for extra carving on Granite Bridge $600.- for Channelling steps. $170.- 4 scrolls.- $400.- 4 Balls.- $50. Relative to the other suggestions submitted by Architect they were referred to Comr Scott with power to act provided he receives Bids from other Contractors.

The following Bids were received for Coal.

S.F. Dec 28/96

To the Hon Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen;

During the year 1897. I will supply the following first class Coals to Golden Gate Park at the following prices per Ton of 2240 lbs. delivered at usual places of delivery at Park, say 300 Tons, more or less "Southfield Wellington Coal" for Steam purposes in bulk at $6.45

20 Tons. Wilkesbarre screened Pennsylvania Egg Coal delivered in bulk @ $14.75

Screened "Southfield Wellington Coal all that may be required for house and Office use delivered in bulk @ $7.90

When delivered in sacks there will be an additional charge of 50¢ pr. Ton.

Yours Respectfully
Chas. R. Allen.

S.F. Dec 30/96

J M Scott. Esq
Dear Sir.

During the year 1897, we will supply the following first class Coals to the Golden Gate Park Commission at the following rates. per ton of 2240 lbs. delivered at usual places of delivery at the Park, say 300 Tons, more or less Beth Australian Average Coal for Steam purposes in bulk at $6.50
or screened Beth Coal in bulk at. $7.25

100 Tons Anthracite Egg guaranteed to be absolutely smokeless, delivered in bulk at. $10.50
or we will deliver the following Coals for house and Office use
Genuine Wellington, bulk. $8.
Hamilton Scotch Splint bulk $8.- when Stove

If coal delivered in sacks, the charge will be 50¢ per ton additional.

Chas S Howard
Manager Oregon Imp. Co

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Supt. was instructed to purchase coal when needed for the Conservatory from Sherwood Stations where he can get it best and cheapest

The following verbal Bid was received from Church & Berringer for Hay etc.

Wheat Hay		$10/
Oat & Wheat		1/2 at $8.50
Oat.	No. 1	$11
"	" 2	9/
Alfalfa	No. 1	9½
"	" 2	7
Straw	No. 1	.60
Oats	No. 1	1.55
"	" 2	1.30
Brand	No 1	13/
Wheat	1	55
	2	117
No. 1 Barley		rolled

S.F. Dec. 8th/96

Irving M. Scott. Esq.
Pres. Union Iron Wks.

Dear Sir,

I am very sorry to have to disappoint you in prices for the Contract you were kind enough to offer me. I am not in a position just now to do anything that would bind me just at present (thanks to my pardner). I gave Messrs. Malone & Hart an order on you for the amount of my bills for protection, as I was afraid my partner would collect same & keep the money as he has been doing & I just found him out. I will be pleased to call on you in the very near future & render you all the assistance in the park matter in my power. Hoping you will not be inconvenienced in this matter.

I Am.
Yours, Very Respectfully
Frank A. Church

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 19/97 were present;

Comr. Austin (in the chair)
" M. Scott
" L. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meetings were read & approved

Mr. D. Folger who was appointed Expert to examine the books & accounts of the Park Commission submitted the following Report & on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was moved & passed that it be spread upon the minutes

S.F. Jany 16. 1897

To the Honorable
The Park Commissioners of Golden Gate Park
Gentlemen;

At your request I made as an Expert an examination of the books of accounts of the "Golden Gate Park." My attention was called to a charge made by the last Grand jury that 100 tons of Coal had not been accounted for. The figures given the Grand Jury by the Secretary of the Park should have been for 200 tons, and not 100 tons a clerical error.

299 tons of coal were delivered as the Park between Jan. 1/96 & Nov. 1 1896. Between Jan 1 & Nov 20 1896 Sixteen were delivered as shown by coal dealers books & also by the books of the Park. The coal dealers books agree with books at Park. The bills & books agree with books at Park. The books of the Secretary & grain are correct. The books & bills have been carefully examined by me & found correct. The system of keeping the accounts is very thorough & strictly adhered to. & would do credit to any mercantile establishment.

Respectfully
D. M. Folger
Expert Accountant

S. B. Dec 6th/41

Young M. Scott Esq
Pres. Union Pac. R.R.
Dear Sir,

I am very sorry to have to disappoint you in prices for the Contract you were kind enough to offer me. I am not in a position just now to do anything that would bind me just at present (thanks to my partner). I got Messrs Kuhne Hart to order on you for the amount of my bills for protection, as I was afraid my partner would collect same & keep the money as he has been doing & I just found him out. I will be pleased to call on you in the very near future & render you all the assistance in the power. Hoping you will not be inconvenienced in this matter.

I Am.

Yours, Very respectfully
Frank A. Church

Report to the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners of Golden Gate Park on the books of accounts of said Park kept at Office of Park

Gentlemen,

In my examination I have gone over the books of accounts as thoroughly as in my judgment was necessary Commenced with the bill book for January 1896 and examined every bill presented for payment during the succeeding 12 months Carefully checked the amounts distributed from each bill to the different departments to which the amounts were charged, as shown in the book kept to classify and apportion the bills found the apportionments carefully and correctly made. The footings in said book used to classify material added, proved the sum total, in the bill book, proving correctness of the entries With this report I hand you a detailed statement of the Coal &c of "Water Works", "Conservatory" and "Lodge" Some controversy seems to have arisen as to the record kept at the "Park" of the receipts and consumption of coal. Each load of coal as delivered at the Park, is accompanied with a "tag" from the weigher. this tag is handed to the "Secretary" when it is read the footings of the tags for loads and tons are compared to prove correctness of delivery in loads and weight. A claim was made that 100 tons of coal had gone astray again that the books of the coal dealer showed 312 Tons when the books at the Park showed 299 The parties getting the information left out the 12 196/2240 tons delivered at Park Nov. 21. 1896 The 100 tons mentioned as astray can be accounted for by a clerical error. The Secretary made a mistake in addition of just 100.- and notified the party to whom he had given the information. Also hand you a copy of Scott & McCord's bills for feed for horses and mules. The cost of keeping 53 horses employed at the Park I examined carefully, and found fifty (50) cents each a day will pay for feed and labor of grooming and medical attendance. The horses are large powerful and valuable animals. One team in particular

grays are "Norman" stock weigh 1700 lbs each. Light horses could not do the work. The feed is good. I examined the hay and found it of good quality. The oats and barley also good. It must be seen that the feed is good as the horses are in good condition, and the cost of keeping each horse is low, considering their size. The coal is a good strong steam coal. The same quality scanned is used at the "Lodge" and burns fully and gives good heat. The monthly expenditures for labor is given you in order that you may see how much is paid out in labor for each department and have the figures conveniently handy. The amount expended for material monthly is also hand you.

The cost of "Construction" of Water Works during the year Maintenance and labor employed in running Pumps. You can from figures ascertain what it has cost to procure water for one year. The cost of keeping "Buffalo" is also given you. All ten figures for supplies for the birds are also given. Every bill brought to the "Park" is copied into the bill book and properly distributed. All entries are carefully made. I find no fault with the manner of keeping the accounts as the books are carefully and conscientiously kept and the Secretary thoroughly efficient

Respectfully submitted.
H. H. Feige
Accountant

San Francisco
January 16. 1897

Bills of Coal purchased by Chas R. Allen as shown by dates of purchase

— Pump &c. —

1895						
Dec.	24	Tons	25	2240 lbs	Panama Co	$ 87.50
1896						
Jan.	10	"	13	2240	"	37.20
Feb.	11	"	18	2240	"	62.55
Mar.	2	"	28	2240	Aug	100.15
Apr.	3/6	"	19	2240	"	66.10
May	6	"	11	2240	Aug	38.60
June		"	25	2240	"	87.10
July		"	16	2240	"	56.10
Aug.		"	71	2240	"	248
Sept.		"	28	2240	"	98.30
Oct.	19	"	10	2240	"	35.10
Nov.	21	"	17	2240	"	59.65
		"	838	2240		$2910.65

From Jan. 10. 1896 to Oct. 19 inclusive 299. 9/2240
Nov. 21 12 2100/2240 Tons. 312 790/2240

Lodge A/c.

1895 Dec	24.	Tons.	2	Clean Nanaimo in sacks.	@ 9.	$ 18.
1896 Feby	11.	"	2	" " "	"	18.
Mch.	6/17.	"	4	" New Lodge "	"	36
"	25.	"	2	" " "	"	18
Apr.	14.	"	2	" New Lodge "	"	18.
May	5	"	2	" " "	"	18.
June	16.	"	2	" " "	"	18.
Aug.	16.	"	2	" " "	"	18.
Sep.	23	"	2	" " "	"	18.
Oct.	10	"	2	" " "	"	18.
Nov.	19/28	"	3	" " "	"	27
		"	25			$ 225.

Conservatory A/c.

1895 Dec.	24	Tons.	4	490/2240 Clean Nanaimo in bulk.	@ 8.	$ 35.50
1896 Jan.	10/25	"	5	1790/2240 " " "	"	46.15
Feby	11	"	2	330/ " " "	"	19.05
Mch.	2	"	4	1580/ " " "	"	37.65
Apr.	3/6	"	4	970/ " " "	"	33.85
May	13/15	"	4	1860/ " " "	"	38.65
June	29.	"	4	560/ " " "	"	34.
Aug.	17	"	2	2000/ " " "	"	23.15
Sept.	23	"	7	1320/ " " "	"	62.50
Oct.	1/29	"	5	1950/ " " "	"	46.95
Nov.	21	"	4	90/ " " "	"	32.80
			51	21/100.		$ 409.68
1895 Dec.	26	Tons.	10	1490/ Egg Coal @	12.	129.05
1896 Jan.	11/24	"	5	1800/ " "	"	69.65
"				6 Bags Charcoal.		3.
Feb.	11	"	4	440/ " "	"	48.20
Mar.	2.	"	4	740/ " "	"	51.95
Apr.	3/6	"	4	500/ " "	"	52.30
May	13/15	"	4	440/ " "	"	53.05
June	25/29	"	9	810/ " "	"	109.65
Aug.	17	"	3	660/ " "	"	37.95
Sept.	23	"	8	1830/ " "	"	103.65
Oct.	29	"	6	270/ " "	"	73.45
Nov.	20/21	"	8	1630/ " "	"	104.75
						$ 26.65

Water Works. Construction A/c

Material.

1896 Jan.	Material used.	$ 97.07	
Feb.	" "	157.47	
Apr.	" "	587.40	
May	" "	18.	
June	" "	252.03	
Sep.	" "	251.78	
Oct.	" "	35.40	
Nov.	1 Dow Steam Pump.	1803.	$ 11,255.10

Maintenance

1896 Jan.	Includes coal coal & small articles	$ 218.35	
Mar.	" " " " "	132.46	
Apr.	" " " " "	207.55	
May	" " " " "	191.53	
June	" " " " "	77.82	
Sept.	" " " " "	1061.	
Oct.	" " " " "	223.60	
Nov.	" " " " "	337	
Dec.	" " " " "	94.10	$ 2,843.73

Labor.

1896 Jany.	P. Dolan	$ 67.	J. Dolan	40.	
Feby	"	46	"	40	
Mch	"	74	"	40.	
Apr.	"	60.	"	40	
May	"	67.	"	40	
June	"	80	"	40	
July.	"	82.65	"	40	
Aug	"	83.25	"	40	
Sept.	"	64.65	"	40	
Oct.	"	68.90	"	40	
Nov.	"	60.	"	40	
Dec	"	62.	"	40	
		$ 807.45		$ 560	

J.M. Humbird 1700.
$ 2007.45

Coal.	$ 2,452.65	
Office	341.05	
Labor	2367.45	
	$ 5211.15	

Cost of feed in part for Birds.

1896 Jany	H. Cluff for Aviary	wheat results			$12.11
"		Corn wheat	33.96		128.24
		Seeds results	94.28		
Apl 7/96	" " "	Corn wheat	30.11		50.45
		nuts Seeds	20.34		
Mar. 17	" " "	wheat	7.60		12.68
		Seeds &c	5.08		
June	" " "	"			29.64
July	" " "	"			64.75
Aug.	" " "	Corn wheat	36.34		60.84
		nuts &c	24.50		
Sept.	" " "	Corn wheat	24.63		74.11
		nuts &c	49.48		
Nov.	" " "	Corn &c.	31.82		49.70
		nuts &c.	17.88		
					$512.52

Feed Bills and Cost Keeping Horses.

Feed purchased of Scott and McCord for consumption in Golden Gate Park.

Stable &c

1895 Nov. 26.	60 Sks Bran	2,980 lbs.	@ $17. ton		$33.48
Dec. 4.	117 " Oats	7,335 "	" 1.05		78.23
10.	93 Bales Hay	19,255 "	" 1¼		135.35
19.	79 " "	15,550 "	" 1¼		111.16
20.	90 " "	12,651 "	" "		105.35
23	82 " "	18,456 "	" "		128.94
24	71 " "	15,100 "	" "		111.07
"	28 Sks Bran	1394	" 16.		10.99
"	40 " Mid Bly	3475	" 97½		32.17
"	33 " Oats	2465	" 1.05		36.41
"	131 Bales Hay	28,700	" 14.		201.18	$1001.38

Recapitulation Stable.

326 Bales Hay	113,215 lbs		$793.
41 Sks Bran	5,319 "		44.47
145 " Oats	12,523 "		134.64
40 " Mid Bran	3475 "		32.17	$1004.28

Deer and Buffalo.

1895 Dec. 11	11 Bag Corn	180	@ .95		$1.24
	3 Sks. Barley	1735	" .97½		25.29
	3 " Wheat	555	" 1.10		6.11
	14 Bales Alfalfa	900	" 11½		5.63½
	8 Sks Bran	240	" 16		1.92
	15 Bales Hay	3320	" 14		30.24	70.32

Stable &c

1895 Dec. 27.	28 Bales Hay	6,715	@ 14		$43.81
30.	31 " "	7570	" "		53.09
31	27 " Straw		" .85		22.95
1896 Feb. 6	32 " "				27.20
Jan. 6,	10 Bags Oats.	1095	@ 1.05		11.50
6.	110 "	10.330	" "		108.47
7.	30 " Bran	3667	" .75		27.50
"	60 " Bly	5.040	" .95		47.88
Jan. 31	100 " "	8397	" 95		79.77
Feb. 5	107 " Oats	10,130	" 1.05		113.96
8	6 " Carrots		" .50		2.50
	50 " Bran	6347	" .50		23.33
14	105 " Bly	9734	" 95		70.64	$660.11

Recapitulation Stable.

66 Bales Hay	111.035		$75.00
39 " Straw			50.15
207 Sks. Oats	21.035		233.93
100 " Bran	7767		58.33
265 " Bly	23.366		217.40
6 " Carrots.			1.50	$660.11

Deer and Buffalo

1896 Jan. 11	9 Bags Wheat	675	@ 1.10		$11.17
	11 " Bran	280	" .75		2.50
	14 " Corn	133	" .05		1.55
	30 " Bly	2765	" .95		26.27
	6 Bales Alfalfa	1755	" 13.		1.35
	16 " Hay	3670	" 14.		25.69
	10 " Alfalfa	2290	" 13.		10.91
	10 " Hay	2703	" 14.		11.93
	30 " Bly	2867	" 97½		23.70
	3 Sks. Wheat	1137	1.14		3.11
	1 " Corn	125			1.23
	11 " Bran	545	" .70		1.75
	7 " Corn	232	" 1.15		2.67	$736.65

Stable &c.

1876 Feby. 26.	35 Bales Hay	8,950	@	14.	$69.65	
27.	65 Shs. Bran.	11,250	@	15.	31.56	
Mar. 5	65 " Oats.	6,675	@	1.05	70.09	
7.	3 " R Bly	240	@	.93½	2.22	
12.	44 Bales Hay	9,100	@	14.½	63.70	
17.	105 Shs. R Bly.	9,757	@	.93½	85.57	
18.	19 Bales Straw			.85½	24.65	
25.	60 Shs. Bran.	10,37		15.-	30.28	
	60 " Oats.	5,720		1.05	60.06	
26.	35 Bales Hay	4410		12.	26.64	$445.72

Recapitulation Stable

114 Bales Hay	12,490	$132.99
145 Shs. Bran	8,287	62.14
135 " Oats	12,395	130.15
108 " R Barley	9,191	57.79
29 Bales Straw		24.65 $457.72

Dan Mag Buffalo.

1876 Mar. 19	27 Bags R Barley	2,317	@	.93½	22.08
	1 " Corn	125		.95	1,18
	6 Bales Hay	1,350		14.-	9.66
	11 Bags Bran	265		15-	1.91
	6 " Wheat	430		1.25	5.38
	6 Bales Alfalfa	1400		11½	5,05	$48.26

Stable &c.

Mch. & Apr. 8	33 Bales Hay	9952	@	14.-	$68.25
	105 Bags Oats	10,997		1,05	115 96
	27 Bales Hay	3,670		14.-	39.69
" 10	65 " "	9,965		14	69.75
	2 Shs. Corn	230		1.05	2.47
11	311 Bales Hay	7,475		14.	32.82
21	37 " Straw			.80	29.60
"	35 " Hay	9,530		14.	65.81	$446.85

Recapitulation Stable.

109 Bales Hay	12.690	$98.57	
105 Shs. Oats	10.997	115.96	
29 Bales Straw		29.60	
2 Shs. Corn		2.47	$446.85

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Stable &c.

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Mar. 26.	35 Bales Hay	8900	@ 14-	62.30	
	Billed in error	4400	@ 17.	16.64	35.66
Apr. 25.	125 Corn.	175-	@ 1.		125
" 27.	106. Oats	9.850	" 1.05		103.42
29.	115. R Barley	9.791	" .91		70.56
"	75. Bran	5.180	" 67		47.95
May 7.	35 Bale Hay	9.870	14-		66.57
8.	35 " "	9.780	14-		68.46
25	118 Bags Oats	10.553.	1.05		110.80
	40 " Bran	4.970	.90		26.28
	2 Corn 280		.90		2.52
	35 Bales Hay	8.990	14.		62.93
	75 shs. R Barley	6.140	90		55.26
27	47 Bales Hay	9.800	14.		68.60
June 2.	23 Bags Oats	2.130	1.05		22.37
3.	35 Bales Hay	8.560	14		59.92
4.	30 " Straw		.75		22.50
11.	35 " Hay	8.750	14.		61.46
11.	50 " "	11.770	"		78.54
13.	84 " "	8.335	"		58.34
20.	115 Bgs R Barley	9.970	90		89.73
					$1183.82

Recapitulation Stable

341 Bales Hay	18.225	$160.48
303 Shs R Barley	25.901	233.55
115 " Bran	5.400	24.23
211 " Oats	22.053	230.79
3 " Corn		3.77
30 Bales Straw		22.50
		$1183.32

Deer and Buffalo.

June 4.	30 shs. R Barley	2725 @ .90		$24.25
	4 " Corn	491 " 1.05		5.15
	6 " Wheat	835 " 1/		7.89
	4 " Bran	270 " .90		2.43
				$111.49

Stable a/c

July 1.	113 Bales Hay	3.520	@ 17.	57.17
	97 " "	19.500	" "	117.
	25 Bags Bran	1.575	.90	16.96
	30 " Oats	3.365	1.10	37.01
July 3	46 Bales Hay	10.380	17-	61.98
8	60 Bags Bran	4.575	17	38.37
	60 " R Bly.	4.199	17½	36.74
11	75 Bales Hay	19.095	17-	114.57
18.	110 Bags Oats	9.999	1.10	109.99
20	36 Bales Hay	8.370.	17.	50.22
	25 " Straw		65	16.25
23	115 Bags RB.	9.835	17½	86.05
29	25 Bales Hay	9040	17.	54.24
Aug. 8	38 " "	8045	17.	48.27
11	47 " "	10.360	17	62.16
13	47 " "	11.700	17.	70.20
	1 Sk. Salt.			50
14	97 Bales Hay	24.920	13.	149.52
17	65 Sks. Oats	6790	1.10	74.69
18	110 " R Barley	9205	17½	80.54
19	60 " Bran.	4015	14.	28.10
24	34 Bales Hay	1570	17.	57.47
25	24 " "	6.050	17.	36.48
	25 " Straw		65	16.25
				$1408.63

Recapitulation Stable

611 Bales Hay	1144.980	867.18
115 Sks. Bran	7715	53.43
205 " Oats	20.194	221.69
275 " R Barley	23.239	203.33
57 Bales Straw		32.50
1 Sk. Salt.		.50
		$1408.63

Deer Creek Buffalo.

July 10	114 Sks Bran	285	@ 17	2.42
	60 " R Bly	2,610	" 17½	22.13
23	2 " Oats	203	" 1.10	2.23
Aug 7	30 " R Bly	2725	" 17½	23.84
	3 " Wheat	450	" 1-	4.35
	2 " Corn	270	" 1	2.70
	3 Bales Alfalfa	630	" 10.	2.67
	2 Sks. Bran	115	" 14.	.80
				$ 61.79

Stable a/c Creek Deer.

Sept. 4	30 Sks. R Bly	2728	@ 17½	$23.87
	3 " Wheat	360	" 1.05	3.78
	2 " Corn	238	" 1.10	2.56
	3 Bales Alfalfa	630	" 10.	3.10
10	35 " Hay	1650	" 13.	21.90
11	30 " "	7570	" 17.	115.45
14	20 Bags Oats.	2170	" 1.10	23.87
	10 " Bran	760	" .75	5.70
	30 " R Bly	2670	17½	23.36
15	115 " " "	6605	17½	54.04
	101 " Oats	11.600	1.10	127.60
	2 " Corn	210	1.10	2.31
	9 " Carrots		.60	5.40
	10 Bales Alfalfa	2810	10.	14.05
	36 Bags Bran	2915	.75	21.86
	76 Bales Hay	18.605	17.	111.63
Sept. 21	35 " "	9585	17.	67.91
25	35 " "	9925	17.	59.55
26	35 " "	10.085	17.	60.51
				$728.01

Recapitulation Stable

250 Bales Hay	6411.20	$316.63
115 Sks. R Bly.	15.275	107.40
126 " Oats	13.770	151.47
115 " Bran.	3.675	27.56
9 " Carrots.		5.40
		$678.34

Deer Creek Buffalo.

Sept. 4	30 Bags R. Bly.	2.728.	@ 17½	$23.87
	3 " Wheat.	360	" 1.05	3.78
	2 " Corn	233	" 1.10	2.56
	3 Bales Alfalfa	630.	" 10.-	3.10
	10 " "	2.810	" 10.-	14.05
	2 Sks. Corn	210	1.10	2.31
				$149.67

Stable $678.34
Deer Creek Buffalo 49.67
$728.01

Stable a/c.

Sept. 28.	20 Bales Straw		.65	$ 16.25
Oct. 12	39 " Hay	7025	12.—	42.15
" 14	52 " "	12,150	11.½	69.86
16	28 " "	5420	11.½	31.16
17	110 Bags Oats	1.245	1¼	53.06
	70 " RBly	5950	1.—	57.01
19	26 Bales Hay	6.610	11.½	38.41
22	110 Bags R B.	9.617	1.05	100.97
24.	56 Bales Hay	11.190	11.½	64.34
21	197 " "	43.420	11.½	249.66
				$ 723.87

Recapitulation Stable

519 Bales Hay	16.555	$ 495.55
110 Bags Oats	4.245	53.06
180 " RBly	15.567	158.98
25 Bales Straw		16.25
		$ 723.87

Deer and Buffalo.

Oct. 2	35 Bags RBly.	3.200	@ 90	$ 28.82
	2 Sks. Bran	235	@ 1.15	2.58
	6 " Bran	375	@ 72½	2.71
	3 " Wheat	107	@ 1¼	5.03
	1 " Oil Cake	103	" 1¼	1.29
	2 Bales Alfalfa	575	@ 10.—	2.87
				$ 43.32

Deer and Buffalo.

Nov. 5	30 Bags RBly	2759	@ 1.05	$ 28.96
	11 Bales Alfalfa.	900	" 11.	4.95
	11 Bags Bran	277	" 80	2.21
	4 " Wheat	520	" 1.35	7.02
	1 " Oil Cake	90	1.35	1.21
	2 Sks Corn	160	1.05	2.73
	2 Cracked Corn	245	1.15	2.82
				$ 49.90

Deer and Buffalo.

Dec. 3	30 Bags R Bly.	2,565	@ 1.05	$ 26.93
	7 " Wheat	260	1.55	11.03
	2 Bales Alfalfa	580	10—	3.65
	1 Bag Bran		.65	49
				$ 31.10

Stable a/c.

Nov. 6.	60 Sks. Bran	4057	@ .75	$ 30.43
	65 . Oats	6749	" 1.40	94.49
	143 . Oats	4295	" 1.40	60.13
	2 . Oil Cake	205	" 1.45	2.97
	9 . Corn Meal	1044	" 1.20	12.53
20.	115 . RBarley	9775	" 1.05	102.64
24.	30 Bales Hay	4305	" 13½	53.16
25.	137 " "	9710	" 13½	66.69
				$ 417.04

Recapitulation

67 Bales Hay	18.215	$ 113.55
108 Sks. Oats	11.045	154.63
115 " RBarley	9775	102.64
2 " Oil Cake	205	2.97
60 . Bran	4057	30.43
9 . Corn Meal	1044	12.53
		$ 417.04

Stable a/c.

Nov. 28	24 Bales Hay.	6,185	@ 11.50	$ 35.56
Dec. 2	45 Bags Oats	11.005	" 1.45	55.07
	50 " RBly	6.360	" 1.05	66.78
18	30 Bales Straw		.60	18
				$ 175.41

Credit.

Nov. 4	11 Bales Alfalfa	@ 10.—	11.50	115	
"	121. Oil Cake	90 lbs	1.13	.98	
18	2 " "	205	" 2.56	.41	
25	30 Bales Hay	1.305	11.50	15.90	11.36
"	37 " "	2710	"	33.55	11.51
					10.01
					$ 168.40

Cost of Food for Buffalo and Labor of taking care of them.

11 Bales Hay	160 lbs.	$5.87
5 Lds. R Barley	1150 "	11.75
3 Loads grain @	250 Lb.	7.50
Labor.		15.
		$33.07

Cost of food and labor for one month for Buffalo $33.07

Statement of Expense of keeping 53 horses for one year in food and labor of grooming

Act for hay and grain paid	Jan 1896	$ 1004.28
" " "	Mar. "	660.11
" " "	Apr. "	457.72
" " "	May "	1146.85
" " "	June "	1133.32
" " "	Sept. "	1408.63
" " "	Oct. "	678.32
" " "	Nov. "	723.87
" " "	Dec. "	417.00
		165.40
		$7098.56

The figures $7098.56 represent the cost of feed delivered during 289 days day stand charged as such being 24 days to much

$7098.56 for 289 days

Add for remaining 11 days " 24 " Dec 31

we have $760.91 for 365 days feed.

$ 760.91 cost of feed for 53 horses for one year

Cost of feed for one horse one day .35

Cost of labor in Stable for one year $ 692.

cost of labor & grain and for Stable and harness of one horse for one day .20

.55

Feed .35

Labor .20 .55 ¢

Cost of shoeing, care of veterinary surgeon, drugs and incidentals for one day .01¢

Time lost before and Attendance .19

to feed one day

Superintendent's Report of Money expended for labor in Golden Gate Park during month of January. 1896

Grading for Museum Annex.		$ 118.
Water pipe Extension		226.50
Construction drains.		141.30
Grading 17th Ave. Sq Construction Fair Gr.	$653.75	
Hauling rock 7th Ave.	96.50	
		809.25
Music Concourse & spreading sweepings		2,201.75
Loam spreading Forestry		2109.50
Construction Bicycle Track		1056.90
Tunnell.		463.15
Viewing Tower.		119.25
Building Tunnell		71.50
Surveying		115.
Maintenance Structures		312.75
" Ir. Wks		204
" Sewers		63.75
" Rds & walks		263.76
" Buena Vista Park		7.
" Pt. Lobos Rd.		35.50
Const. Walk Water Wks		129
Maintenance Grounds		1153.10
" Forestry.		90.
" Live Stock		124
" Rolling Stock & Imp.		123.
" Conservatory		320
" Nursery		315
" Stables		271.10
" Museum.		344
Salaries Supt. and Secty		475
Office Boy		22.
		$14269.65

February 1896

N.p. Extension	$ 208.
Construction Sewer New Lodge	88.
Bicycle Track. 961.75	
Const. Dr. Trail Gr. 796.50	
Const Dr. Tunnell &c.	2,123. 25
Music Concourse	2285.10
Spreading Loam for Forestry	249.50
Constr. Tunnell	425.
Cutting wood	70
Maintenance of Structures	89.75
" " R. R. Brs.	144
" " Rds. & walks	181.50
" " Grounds	1551.65
" " Conservatory	301.
" " Live Stock	116.
" " Implements & Rolling	126.75
" " Police	1461.
" " Nursery	285.75
" " Stables	299.
Salaries Supt. & Secty	475.
Museum	359.
Office Boy	31.75
Surveyor	84.
Mt Lookout Park	2.
	$ 10,913.70

March 1896.

Const Museum	$ 128.
N. p. Ex	283.50
Const Drives	67.50
" Walk from Tunnell to Buffalo Park and Drive at Lodge	659.75
Repr Grounds	137.70
Music Concourse Constr.	3,209.85
Planting Rds & Sea Beach grass	344.25
Tunnell	145.10
Const Bicycle Track	389.75
" Foot walk	36.
Maintenance Structures	154.90
" " R R Brs	174

March

Amt. brot. forward	$ 572 ct. 30
Maint. Rds. and walks	231.
" Sewers.	6.50
Grounds	1113.55
Forests.	20.
Conservatory	283
Live Stock	124
Rolling Stock	117.
Police	1366.65
Nursery	322.90
Stables	316.
Museum	382
Salaries. Supt & Secty.	475
Office Boy	23.25
Surveyor.	101.
	$ 11,356.15

April 1896

Building Tool House.		$ 5.50
N. p. Extension		295.50
Const Drive Tunnell & Dan Gr.	$ 1775.15	
" Bicycle Road.	306.25	
" Walk Buffalo Park.	21.25	
" Drive for Lodge	32.25	
		2,134.90
Music Concourse.		2,391.45
Planting Rds and Beach grass		351. 25
Flow and Repl Museum Annex		1104.65
Surveying		91.
Maintenance of Structures		79.50
" R R Brs		100.
" Drainage		1.
" Rds & walks		334.
Grounds.		2,017.95
Forests.		106.30
Conservatory		319.50
Live Stock		190.
Rds. & planting wagons		101.25
Police		1353.
Nursery		349.15
Stables		305
Museum		373
Salaries Supt. & Secty		475
Office Boy		22.50
		$ 12,385.75

May 1896.

Building Coal House		$10.
M.p. Extensions		107.50
Const. Dr. Park Dr.	$375.50	
" " Park Lodge	144.75	
" " 10th Ave	185.50	
" Bicycle Rd.	113.	
" Boulevard	143.50	
		993.25
Imp. Music Concourse		1401.15
Forestry		14.
Concrete Steps Museum		141.50
Museum Annex		91.
Buena Vista Park		70.
Maint. Structures		60.50
Surveying		87.50
Maint Works		
Rds + walks		244.
Grounds		539.75
Forestry		2240.25
Conservatory		129.50
Live Stock		320.50
R Stock		124.
Policing		238.50
Nursery		1403.
Stables		268.75
Museum		311.
Salaries.		332.
Office Boy.		475.
		23.25
		$9,515.90

June 1896.

Building Tennis Club Lodge.		$65.
M.p. Extension		107.
Const. of Drains		13.
Const. Dr. 10th Ave.	$57.	
" Bicycle Rd.	536.	
" Boulevard.	630.	
		1518
Music Concourse		1,016.50
Con Concrete Steps Music Concourse + Lodge		164
Maint. Structures.		216.
Works.		761.
Rds + walks		518.75
Grounds.		2,763.55
Forestry.		49.
Conservatory		310.
Live Stock		170
Implements		141.
Policing.		1415.
Nursery		767.25
Stables.		298
Museum.		324.
Surveying		148.
Salaries Supt + Secty.		1175.
Office Boy.	30	
		$10,249.75

July 1896.

Const. Fence at Lodge Park		$61.
" Stable " 14		
M.p. Extension		35
Const. Bicycle Road.		771.
" Rock Fair Dr.		32.50
Music Concourse		976
Roadwork		18.
Surveying		97
Masonry (Const. Acct.)		272.50
Maint of Structures		159.00
Works		256.65
Rds + walks		747.75
Boulevard		65
Grounds		2,926.65
Forestry		125.25
Conservatory		337.
Live Stock		124.
R.S. + Imp		85.
Police		1427.75
Nursery		271.65
Stables		306.
Museum		424.
Salaries Supt + Secty		1175.
Office Boy	31	
		$10,247.30

August 1896.

Buggy shed & fence	$ 115.50
Const. Bicycle Rd.	1089.25
" Rd. 10th Ave.	214.
Music Concourse.	919.50
Museum Annex.	345.
Surveying.	103.
Maint of Structures	45.
Wks.	273.75
Drains	35.
Rds. & walks	678.75
Boulevard.	124.50
Grounds.	2747.05
Forestry	94.
Conservatory	384.
Live Stock	124.
Rest & Imp.	137.50
Nursery	278.
Stables	611.
Museum	440.
Supt. & Secty.	475.
Office Boy	31.
Police.	1415.25
	$ 10,339.05

September 1896.

Con Buggy Shed		49.50
M.P. Extension		14
Ex of Drainage		74
Con. Rd. & Buggy Rd.	29.25	
" Bicycle Rd	285.50	
" Walk Music Concourse	272.50	
" Music Concourse		567.75
Museum Annex		1,663.80
Lockwood Justice Bridge Rds.		761.
Maint. of Structures		12.
Wks		381.25
Drainage		215.65
Rds. & walks		37.
Forestry		586.50
Grounds		182.
Conservatory		2712.25
Live Stock		329.25
Rest & R. S.		120.
Police		101.
Nursery		1454.25
Stables		278.75
Museum		800.
Forestry Fees to Park.		431.
Steam Yacht		8.
Salaries Supt & Secty		113.25
Office Boy		1175.
		30.
		$ 10,849.70

October 1896.

Constructing Toilet Strawberry Hill	$ 71.50
M. P. Ext.	"
C. A. Walk	111.
Const. Rd. at Lake	911.50
" Walk 7th Ave.	16.
" Music Concourse	1017.25
Imp. gr. Lodge	648.50
Bicycle Pack. Rd. Border Imp.	75.
Forestry.	"
Museum Constr. Acct.	1177.50
Surveying	46.35
Maint Structures	37.
Painting Beach Chalet	114.
Maint. Wks	233.90
Drainage	172.45
Rds & walks	718.25
Bl. R. & Rd.	86.
Athletic Fd.	"
Boulevard	125.
Grounds	2,118.25
Forestry	236.
Conservatory	342.50
Live Stock	124
R Stock	107.50
Police	1,486.
Nursery	304.15
Stables	311.
Museum	1177.50
Salaries	1175.
Office Boy	31.75
	$ 11,674.75

November 1896.

Con. Gates Strawberry Hill	$ 84.25
N.p. Extension	5
Con. Drains	2.25
Con. Bicycle Rd	225.25
" Dr. 24th Ave	264.70
" Dr. Lake.	553.50
" Wash Pond Panorama.	14.
Improving grounds "	718.25
Rockwork Strawberry Hill	112.
Museum Constr.	563.50
Police St. "	157.50
Surveying	77.25
Maint of Structures $23.-	93.10
Painting Brack Cl alt 67.10	
Maint Works	320.50
Drainage	82.25
Rds & walks	1105.
Buena Vista Park Rd	16.
Boulevard	111.
Grounds	2,284.40
Forestry	397
Conservatory	304
Live Stock	170
R Stock & Poultry	141.
Police	1,469.25
Nursery	360.75
Stables	292.
Museum	196
Supt & Secty	175.
Office Boy	37.50
	$10,185.50

December 1896.

Const. Police Station $259. Shed. 11.50 Beaver Pen. 6.50 Fence. 10.3. Lavatory Str Hill 11.	$ 1178.
W.p. Extension	32.25
Const. of Drainage	228.25
Const Dr. to Lake $151.25. Bicycle Rd. $13.75	565.50
Const Dr. Strawberry Hill. $176.50.	
Imp. grounds	197.50
Forests. Constr	15.
Surveying	50.
Rockwork Str. Hill	20.
Maint of Structures	461.25
Works.	311.50
Drainage	75.75
Rds & walks	631.50
Grounds	2,077.05
Forestry	396.75
Conservatory	317.
Live Stock	138
Shelt & Imp	145.50
Police	1150.95
Nursery	290.15
Stables	328.
Museum	511.70
Supt & Secty	175
B.C.P.Rd.	1.
Boulevard.	118.
Office Boy	51.75
	$9,464.33

Recapitulation of Monthly Expenditures Golden Gate Park Material + Labor.

Material.

1896		
Jan.	Bills pd. as pr. Bill Book.	$ 18.634.97
Feby		3.755.45
Mar.		25.018.69
Apr.		9.237.48
May		12.201.73
June		7.343.74
July		194.80
Aug		223.49
Sept.		21.591.99
Oct.		11,993.26
Nov.		22.557.24
Dec.		9.565.63
		$145.657.47

Labor.

1896		
Jany.	As shown by Statement of Supt.	
Feby		$ 14.269.65
Mar.		10.913.70
Apr.		11.356.18
May		12.257.55
June		9.515.90
July		10.249.75
Aug		10.339.05
Sept.		10.559.70
Oct.		11.675.75
Nov.		10.155.80
Dec		9.164.32
		$134.349.55

Re Post House

The Secretary was instructed to answer the communication received from the Parkside and Ashbury Heights Imp. Club relative to the locating of the Post House on the Almshouse Tract by stating that the Park Commissioners regret very much of not being able to do anything in the matter as it is outside the jurisdiction of the Park.

Contract re St. Ives Road

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the Contract awarded to Jas. Winslow for sprinkling + Mtg. St. Ives Rd. was ordered discontinued. and the Secretary instructed to inform him of same

The Secretary was instructed to reply to the League of American Wheelmen L.A.W. in regard to their communication asking for permission to put up a Sign in the Black Point, that it would be contrary to our rules to allow any kind of advertising in the Park, and sorry that they would be unable to grant their request

In reply to the communication received from the Merchants Association relative to the street sweepings to be hauled to the Park, the Commissioners referred the entire matter to Supt. McLaren for him to confer with Mr. King, Supt. and report same to the Commission

Comr. Scott who was appointed a Committee of one on the extra work to be done on Bridge submitted the following Report of the Architects Eichbaum & Coulter

S.F. Jan. 18/97

To the Board of Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen:

With reference to the sum of $600. allowed for completing the pedestals and Seats to the upper

part of the bridge, we beg to submit the following modifications as to its disposal. The slight change we now beg finally suggest is that the four groups of Statuary shall occupy the four pedestals (in contract) at the outer corners of the Bridge. And that in place of the upper pedestals before proposed for the centre the lower pedestals (in contract) be finished with a ball with the scroll below as before determined on. We wish also to channell the steps between the centre pedestals. The cost of this together with the balls will make the same amount of extra work as before and the price will be the same as follows.

2 Balls.	$ 200.
Channelling Steps	120
11 Scrolls.	400
11 Balls.	80.
	$ 800.-
By omitting 4 outer pedestals in Contract	200.
	$ 600.-

Yours Truly
Ernest Eberhard.

The Secretary was instructed to send the following Communication to the new Grand Jury.

Park Office Jan. 19/97

Messrs Booth
Foreman Grand Jury.

Dear Sirs,

The public press has been full of charges against the management of the Park. The entire Board of Park Commissioners urge upon your Honorable Body a full & exhaustive examination into every detail and will extend to your Commission all the aid within their power.

Yours respectfully
Jos. Austin
Sec'y Board Park Com.

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 28/97 were present;

Comm. Jos. Austin (in the Chair.)
" Wm Scott
" J. Rosenfeld. (absent)

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Reports

On motion of Comm. Scott seconded by Comm. Austin Reports of C.E. Grant, J. Eberhard & Eberhard on the amounts of Concrete in Rustic Bridge were ordered spread on minutes. Also the report of Lucius Pitkin sent to the late Grand Jury.

Report on Bridge

Following is the Report submitted by Engineer Grant's on Amount of Concrete in Dante Bridge.

V. H. Jan. 22/97

John Rosenfeld.
Jos. Austin
Wm. M. Scott.
} Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen.

At your request I have made a careful estimate of the Concrete that will be in the finished Main Drive Viaduct in Victoria Park, and attach hereto my estimate of quantities in detail accompanied by diagrams on five sheets, which show dimensions that have been made the basis of the Estimate.

At the time of my first visit to the work on the 8th inst. the Concrete had been brought up to near the surface of the Driveway, and earth fill covered nearly the entire rear faces of the Concrete arch walls. I therefore selected a spot at random and uncovered the rear face of the wall to the foundation, to verify the required dimensions. The result of the measurements then made, several days later is shown in section on Sheet No. 5.

I found the southwest, northwest and northeast wings of the Structure carried, in part, to foundation

surfaces lower than those shown on Architects plans. They were constructed as indicated by the diagrams which I present. Measurements were made where the work was accessible and at many points where it had to be uncovered to verify the prescribed dimensions and I found throughout, a reasonable agreement with the prescribed dimensions. Measurements of constructed work were given preference in making my calculations, but as it was manifestly impossible to expose the entire work, particularly as the granite facing had been brought up with the concrete, prescribed dimensions were otherwise used.

It remains to be said that the thickness of main walls from rear face to contact surface between concrete and granite, could not be measured. The back faces of the granite blocks were all left rough and irregular, consequently the position of this contact surface cannot be ascertained, except during construction, and this estimate might require modification to some extent if definite information concerning depth of each course of granite were to be taken into consideration. This however cannot now be done for that part of the structure still under construction.

The quantity of concrete in the finished structure will be as follows;

Northeast wing	11400.93 cu.ft.
Southeast wing	11493.51 "
Northwest wing	11511.36 "
Northeast wing	15158.52 "
Intermediate foundations	3279.52 "
Arches	500.
Total	22943.57 "

The above estimate does not include four small blocks of concrete filling the spaces between ends of the viaduct and the wing walls concerning which I have no definite data.

Very Respectfully
C. E. Grunsky. Civil Engineer

Accompanied by Estimates in detail and blueprints of Sheets 1 & 5
C.E.G.

Main Drive Viaduct. Golden Gate Park.
To accompany Report of C. E. Grunsky
Estimates of quantity of Concrete
S.E. Wing. (See Sheet No. 1)

S.E. 1.	3.30 × 3.87 × 11.88 =	62.32 cu.ft.
" 2.	2.00 × 3.87 × 6.05 =	46.53 " "
" 3.	1.40 × 11.36 × 3.71 =	22.65 " "
" 11	2.00 × 7.97 × 5.38 =	85.76 " "
" 5	1.91 × 3.91 × 11.91 =	22.31 " "
" 6	2.00 × 7.00 × 5.38 =	75.32 " "
" 7	(1.40 × 0.85 × 11.21) + (1.65 × 11.02 × 4.71) =	34.18 " "
" 8	2.00 × 7.25 × 5.81 =	85.26 " "
" 9	(1.80 × 1.77 × 11.71) + (1.82 × 5.17 × 11.71) =	115.63 " "
" 10	(1.75 × 2.36 × 6.51) + (2.00 × 5.17 × 6.38) =	72.17 " "
" 11	(1.70 × 2.05 × 5.21) + (1.05 × 6.34 × 5.31) =	52.54 " "
" 12	(2.00 × 6.34 × 6.38) + (1.60 × 0.91 × 6.19) =	90.33 " "
" 13	(1.70 × 1.99 × 5.71) + (1.91 × 1.99 × 5.71) + (0.90 × 5.87 × 5.71) =	119.11 " "
" 14	(1.00 × 1.59 × 7.30) + (2.00 × 5.81 × 6.88) =	91.06 " "
" 15	(4.00 × 3.46 × 5.71) + (2.00 × 5.25 × 5.71) =	138.99 " "
" 16	2.00 × 5.71 × 6.88 =	119.15 " "
" 17	2.00 × 5.57 × 7.21 =	80.32 " "
" 18	3.30 × 6.15 × 5.16 =	104.39 " "
" 19	(Top area 3.10 × 7.11) + (Middle area 11.06 × 9.63) + (Bottom area 13.02 × 11.55) height 3.31 #	131.08 " "
" 20	28.90 Sq.ft. × 11.88 + 15.60 " " × 11.88 =	202.71 " "
" 21	(1.00 × 10.00 × 2.63) + (0.75 × 9.75 × 2.63) =	63.90 " "
" 22.	1.88 × 20.38 × 2.13 =	81.61 " "
" 23	1.88 × 34.83 × 1.03 =	168.07 " "
" 24	0.38 × 30.17 × 2.13 =	118.35 " "

S. E.	25.	1.38 × 50.47 × 2.13 =	148.35 cu. ft
"	26	1.68 × 9.78 × 2.63 11.38 × 11.20 × 2.63 3.011 × 3.88 × 2.63 1.53 × 3.31 × 2.63	647.97 " "
"	27.	11.59 × 37.38 × 3.13 3.09 × 3.95 × 3.13 1.59 × 3.96 × 3.13	594.64 " "
"	28	4.574 × 25.511 × 3.63 3.21 × 2.90 × 3.63 1.86 × 11.29 × 3.63 0.111 × 11.35 × 3.63	494.30 " "
"	29	6.114 × 11.72 × 11.13 11.111 × 5.25 × 11.13 2.114 × 6.05 × 11.13 0.511 × 3.12 × 11.13	467.39 " "
		Total	4460.93 " "

S. W. Wing. (See Sheet No. 2.)

S. W. 1		15.01 × 3.88 × 11.96 =	93.118 cu. ft.
" 2.		2.00 × 3.88 × 6.13 =	47.20 " "
" 3.		1.40 × 11.36 × 3.71 1.70 × 7.97 × 11.21 =	99.69 " "
" 11.		2.00 × 7.97 × 3.38 =	55.70 " "
" 5		1.87 × 3.13 × 11.21	24.38 " "
" 6		2.00 × 7.00 × 3.38	95.32 " "
" 7 to 29		Same as S.E. No 7 to 29 =	4085.74 " "
		Total	4493.511 " "

W. W. Wing. (See Sheet No. 3)

W. W.	1	7.60 × 3.35 × 11.38 =	142.79 cu. ft.
"	2.	1.90 × 3.33 × 6.05	44.30 " "
"	3.	1.40 × 11.30 × 3.71	22.65 " "
"	11.	11.33 × 3.97 × 11.21	146.97 " "
"	5	2.35 × 3.31 × 11.21 =	42.11 " "
"	6	1.40 × 3.38 × 11.21	22.57 " "
"	7	1.53 × 19.38 × 11.11	166.13 " "
"	8	1.90 × 23.06 × 3.38	246.45 " "
" 9 to 19		Same as S.E. No. 9 to 19	1096.26 " "
"	20	23.90 × 9.11 × 11.63 10.60 × 3.13	213.80 " "
" 21 to 29		Same as S.E. No. 21 to 29 =	2707.03 " "
			4811.36 " "

N. E. Wing. See (Sheet No. 4)

N. E. 1	17'.64 × 3'.85 × 4'.50 =	225.41 cu. ft.
" 2.	1'.15 × 33'.11 × 6'.06	293.511 " "
" 3	1.40 × 11.36 × 3.71	22.65 " "
" 11	11.31 × 7.97 × 11.35	152.90 " "
" 5	2.35 × 3.31 × 11.21	112.11 " "
" 6	1.40 × 3.38 × 11.21	22.57 " "
" 7	11.59 × 19.38 × 11.71	115.97 " "
" 8	3.94 × 3.90 × 11.71 =	131 " "
" 9	1.411 × 3.95 × 11.71 =	26.79 " "
" 10	0.35 × 17.13 × 5.21	119.65 " "
" 11 to 19	Same as S.E. No. 11 to 19	915.46 " "
" 20 to 29	Same as W.W. No. 20 to 29	2920.17 " "
		5 105.52 " "

Balustrade Foundation (See Sheet No. 5)

55'.10 × 1'.64	604.37 cu. ft
3'.11 × 11'.10 × 1.17	10.30 "
11.10 × 3.97 × 11.46	159.17 "
2.00 × 19.70 × 1.17	46.09 "
One fourth of total =	819.81 "

Total cu ft. Balustrade foundations
11 × 819.81 = 5279.52 cu. ft.

Arches (not uncovered, as reported by Architects) 8 each 5' × 11' × 3' = 800.00 cu. ft.

6 E. G

Estimate of total amount of Concrete put in place at the Bridge Golden Gate Park.

Overland and Overland Architects

Footings.

Northeast.		Northwest.		Southeast.		Southwest.	
5.6		5.6		5.6		5.6	
7.0		7.0		7.0		9.0	
3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9	3.6	267.9
3.6		3.6		3.6		3.6	
5.9	22.11	5.9	22.11	5.9	22.11	5.9	22.11
15.6		15.6		15.6		15.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½	6.10½	213.1½
7.6		7.6		7.6		7.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½	6.10½	103.1½
7.3		7.3		7.3		7.3	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.11½	92.5	6.11½	92.5	6.11½	92.5	6.11½	92.5
24.6		7.4		7.6		7.6	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
5.10½	346.7	5.10½	86.2	5.10½	88.1½	5.10½	88.1½
3.10		23.0		8.3		8.3	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
6.11½	46.11	5.10½	270.3	5.10½	96.11	5.10½	96.11
	1092.10	3.10					
		2.0		7.0		7.0	
		6.11½ -	46.11	2.0		2.0	
			1102.8	5.4½	82.3	5.4½	82.3
				5.0		5.0	
				2.0		2.0	
				4.10½	78.	4.10½	78.0
				3.10		3.10	
				2.0		2.0	
				6.1½	46.11	6.1½	46.11
					1091.8		1091.8
							1091.8
							1092.10
							1102.8
							4378.10

Wall on top of Footings

North East side.		North west side.		South east side.		South west side.	
7.5		7.5		7.5		7.5	
2.0		2.0		2.0		2.0	
5.9	104.4	5.9	104.4	5.9	103.3½	5.9	103.3½
11.5		11.5		11.5		11.5	
1.11		1.11		1.11		1.11	
5.9	118.11	5.9	118.11	5.9	118.11	5.9	118.11
6.11		6.11		6.11		6.11	
1.2		1.2		1.2		1.2	
5.9	116.6	5.9	116.6	5.9	116.0	5.9	116.0
2.3		2.3		2.3		2.3	
1.9		1.9		1.9		1.9	
5.6	22.0	5.6	22.6	5.6	22.0	5.6	22.0
6.1		6.1		6.1		6.1	
1.1		1.1		1.1		1.1	
5.3	34.7	5.3	34.7	5.3	34.7	5.3	34.7
1.10		1.10		1.10		1.10	
1.9		1.9		1.9		1.9	
5.3	16.11	5.3	16.11	5.3	16.10	5.3	16.10
23.0		5.0		5.0		5.0	
4.2		1.9		1.9		1.9	
4.6	491.7	4.9	111.7	4.9	111.6	4.9	111.6
11.6		19.6		11.6		11.6	
1.3		1.6		1.5		1.1	
4.11	211.8	4.9	134.5	4.9	35.7	4.9	35.7
11.9		11.9		.6		.6	
1.6		4.4		1.6		1.6	
3.9	26.11	4.3	316.5	4.3	3.2	4.3	3.2
3.10		4.4		3.9		3.9	
4.10		1.6		1.6		1.6	
12.3	226.7	3.9	24.5	4.3	24.1	4.3	24.1
1234.0		3.10		.3		.3	
		4.10		1.7		1.7	
		4.3	171.7	4.3	1.9	4.3	1.9
			885.9	4.4		4.4	
				1.6		1.6	
				3.9	24.3	3.9	24.5
				1.0		1.0	
				3.8		3.8	
				4.0	14.8	4.0	14.8
				1.0		1.10	
				3.6		3.6	
				3.8	12.10	3.8	12.10
				5.0		5.0	
				3.9		3.9	
				1.10	18.9	1.10	18.9
				1153.5			453.5
							1153.5
							885.9
							1234.0
							Total 3026.9

Backing to Stone Work

Northeast side.		North West side.		Southeast Side.		Southwest Side	
A.	12.6	A	12.6	A.	11.2		11.3
	2.0		2.0		4.4		4.6
	4.6 112.6		4.6 112.6		2.0 96.9	A	2.0 101.4
B	17.8	B	17.8	B.	15.6		15.4
	3.0		2.0		3.10		4.4
	4.8 164.10		4.8 164.10		2.0 118.10	B	2.0 132.10
	21.9		21.9		20.9		20.5
	1.9		1.9		2.0		4.4
C	4.8 177.10	C	4.8 176.9	C.	4.2 172.11	C.	2.0 176.11
	26.6		26.6		25.0		25.6
	1.6		1.6		3.9		4.6
D	3.7 142.4	D	3.7 142.6	D.	1.9 161.0	D.	1.9 200.9
	29.11		29.4		26.6		28.6
	1.4		1.4		3.6		4.4
E	3.7 140.0	E.	3.7 140.0	E	1.6 149.7	E	1.6 185.3
	33.3		33.3		33.0		33.4
	4.1		4.1		3.6		1.8
F	1.10 248.10	F	1.10 248.10	F	1.6 173.3	F	4.0 222.0
	37.7		37.7		37.9		38.2
	3.3		3.3		3.0		1.9
G	1.9 213	G.	1.9 213.9	G	1.6 169.10	G.	3.8 344.10
	41.7		41.7		41.7		42.0
	3.0		3.0		3.3		1.6
H.	1.6 187.3	H	1.6 187.1	H.	1.6 202.7	H.	3.8 231.0
	46.7		46.7		45.0		45.7
	3.11		3.11		2.11		1.6
I	1.8 258.9	I	1.8 258.9	I	1.9 229.7	I	3.0 205.0
	51.0		51.0		49.0		50.6
	2.9		2.9		2.8		1.6
J.	1.6 210.4	J	1.6 210.4	J	1.3 164.0	J	3.4 251.6
	54.4		54.4		53.8		54.2
	2.9		2.9		2.8		1.6
K	1.6 224.1	K	1.6 224.1	K	1.6 214.9	K	3.4 270.10
	57.10		57.10		58.0		58.2
	2.5		2.5		2.8		1.6
L.	1.6 209.7	L	1.6 209.7	L	1.3 193.4	L	3.4 290.10
	61.4		61.4		61.4		61.4
	2.5		2.5		2.5		2.5
M	1.6 222.4	M	1.6 222.4	M	1.6 222.4	M	1.6 232.4
	54.0		54.0		54		54.0
	1.3		1.3		1.3		1.3
N	2.0 135.0	N.	2.0 135.0	N.	2.0 135.0	N.	2.0 135.0
	54.0		54		54.0		54.0
	1.5		1.5		1.5		1.5
O	1.8 127.6	O	1.8 127.6	O.	1.8 127.6	O.	1.8 127.6
	2773.10		2773.10		2533.15		2997.11
							2533.15
							2773.10
							2773.10
						Total.	11,079.10

Backing to Arches up to Top of Cornice

North side		South side	
	9.6		9.6
	5.0		5.0
2	3.9 356.3	2	3.9 356.3
	11.4		11.4
	3.8		3.8
2	3.0 349.	2	3.0 349.0
	43.1		43.1
	2.7		2.7
	1.10 204.1		1.10 204.1
	809.4		809.4

Concrete Blocks for Arches

5.0
4.0
1 -- 5.0 80.

Foundation & Two Balusters

	1.9	
	5.6	
4	9.6	346.6
	11.6	
	8.9	
4	4.9	746.0
	5.0	
	5.0	
4	4.3	125.0
	4.5	
	4.5	
4	1.9	130.6
	5.0	
	2.0	
4	34.0	2160.
	22.0	
	1.0	
2	5.9	253.0
		3767.0
Deduct		399.0
		3368.

Totals

Footings.	11378.11
Wall on top of footings.	3027.7
Backing & Stonework.	11079.10
Backing & Arches &c.	1018.1
Concrete Anchor Blocks	110.0
Foundation & Balustrades	3368.0
	24,271.11

Report of Lieut Potter. U.S.A.

The cost of concrete 23 cents per cubic foot. I consider very reasonable, in fact I could not consider 29 or 30 cents excessive the latter being the figure at which I arrived after allowing a good profit on all materials and a safe figure for labor. From a measurement of all the work that could be seen, I concluded that the concrete work did not materially from the plans, and so took that as the basis allowing 20 cubic feet each for anchors, which the Superintendent told me was the amount put into them I computed the concrete work carefully three times, and as a result, found the total amount of concrete in place at the date of my examination, Dec. 13. 1896, was 14.878 cubic feet which at 23 cents would make $3731.94. The amount of concrete yet to be put in is 1.178 cubic feet.

Following is the monthly Report of the Secretary which was read and approved and ordered filed

Recorded

Labor. (10 warrants)	$1031.95
Bills (14) "	$637.90
	$1707.85

The above warrants were examined and ordered paid.

A petition was received relative to making certain excavations in the vicinity of Stow Lake so as to facilitate the holding of regattas of miniature yachts

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin it was referred to Supt McLaren to look into the matter, & to have to do all that was necessary to the accomodation of the yachts.

Bids on printing

The following Bids were received for the printing and making of a " Distribution of Labor Book."

E.C. Hughes	$24.50
H.S. Crocker Co.	21.50
Le Count Bros.	18.50

Le Count Bros being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

To Sing "Hail California at Concerts"

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Supt. McLaren was instructed to consult with Mr Geo Millcutt who has charge of the Park Concerts to see that the song of " Hail California" by Miss J Coe be played at the end of every Concert, and that the same be printed on the programmes.

Expenses removal of concrete

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Prof. Geo. Davidson was invited to inspect the Reports submitted by Corbett & Corbett, C.E. Foundry Co relative to the amount of Concrete in Bridge according to their respective Reports and the accuracy of the conclusions reached. and to report as same to the Commissioners Also on the report of Lieut. Potter to the late Grand Jury.

Posts for Lawn

A bid for Loam was received from A. E. Buchanan as follows.
$1.- p. load delivered in yard & store room South of the Park near Stanyan St. & 950 p. Sd. containing 2 cu. yds delivered. For $1.- per two horse wagon load.
On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Austin the said Bid was accepted.
The Board then adjourned.

W. Black.
Secty

special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 17/97 were present,

Comrs Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott
" J Rosenfeld (abs)

The following business was transacted,

correspondence re removal of concrete work in Viaduct

The following Report and correspondence of Prof. Davidson was received and read and ordered filed and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin it was ordered spread upon the minutes.

S.F. Cal Jan. 23/97

Hon Irving M. Scott.
222 Market St. S.F.

Dear Sir,

Herewith I transmit my estimate of quantity of concrete that will be in the finished Main Drive Viaduct. It covers all except 11 small blocks of Concrete (as stated in the report) for which the Architect's figures should be accepted.

Please send me word in case you wish me to do anything further in this matter.

Yours Respectfully
C.E. Grunsky.

S.F. Feb. 4/97

Prof. C.E. Davidson.
San Francisco

Dear Sir.

As a result of our conference in the Parkon Building, San Francisco Feb. 3rd and Mr. Ernest Coxhead of the firm Coxhead and Coxhead, Architects relating to the concrete work in the Main Drive Viaduct, and based upon the explanations of concrete dimensions which they consider possible and not clearly apparent on the plans of the structure, and further also on the measurement at the Southeast arch pier uncovered at your request, I agree to the following additions to and corrections of my estimate of concrete in the finished structure, as contained in my report to the Park Commissioners dated Jan. 22. 1897.

Add,-	Four small blocks of concrete between wingwalls and ends of viaduct, referred to as omitted in my report. 11 × 1.00 × 7.00 × 13.50 =	1085.00 cu ft.
Add,-	a six inch layer of concrete under each of the four balustrade piers. 11 × 0.50 × 5.92 × 11.16 =	729.56 . .
Add,-	To Block No. 18 for thickness 1.75 ft. in excess of that shown by figures in diagrams. 11 × 3.20 × 6.15 × 1.75 =	1132.07 . .
Add,-	For full depth allowance, to blocks Nos. 18 & 19 each 3.50 ft instead of 3.30 ft. 11 × 0.20 × 11.28 × 11.66 =	105.27 . .
Add,-	To blocks S.E. 7th St. No. 7 for length of each 11.57 ft. instead of 11.04 2 × 0.55 × 1.65 × 11.71 =	5.51 . .
		4113.39 .
Deduct,-	From block No. 21. Correction (shrinkage in Block 20). 4 × 3.66 × 2.63 =	37.87
	From Block No. 28. correction 11 × 0.64 cu. ft. =	2.78
	From Block N.E. No. 4 (thick 11.31 instead of 11.31) 11.31 × 7.97 × 0.17 =	5.93
	To modification of dimensions of block No. 20 4 × 0.75 × 11.56 − 11 × 0.25 × 16.38 × 3.75 =	73.01
		119.58 . .
	Total to be added	323.81 . .

Amount of Concrete named in Report.	22.913.87 cu. ft.
Add (as above noted)	323.81 " "
Corrected Total.	23 237.68 . .

This Estimate of quantity of concrete, as explained in my report, is based on the supposition that where Stone work is backed by concrete, the contact surface between the two materials is in the position intended by the Architects. A deviation from this prescribed position

(and in work of this character some deviation is to be expected) will materially alter the above estimate An inch variation of this contact surface in average position from that intended would increase or decrease the above noted quantity by 328 cu. ft.
Please transmit the information herein contained to the Park Commissioners.

Yours Very Respectfully
C.E. Grunsky.

S.F. Cal. Feb. 10. 1897

To the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park.
San Francisco. Cal.

Gentlemen

On the 29th. of January 1897, I received your letter of the 28th. asking me to inspect the reports submitted by Corbaud & Corbaud, Architects and Engineer C.E. Grunsky relative to the amount of concrete in the Bridge, according to their respective reports and the accuracy of the conclusions reached by them. And furthermore "to ascertain from Lieut. Charles L. Potter, U.S. Engineers, the basis of his calculations and how he arrived at the same" because you had no copy of his report to the Board save only that his letter was a newspaper slip giving the amount of material reported by him.
I promptly asked Messrs Grunsky, Corbaud & Corbaud and Lieut Potter to confer with me at the Main Drive Contract of Lieut Potter did not get my note until late in that day and was not therefore present.
We examined several parts of the structure, and at my request several places were uncovered and measurements made other than measures of the balustrade were taken.
I have compared all Mr. Grunsky's figures with drawings and measurements, and have independently computed [illegible] what he had done with his [illegible] with Mr Grunsky I accepted from Mr Corbaud certain measures not available to the [illegible] such small changes as the last uncovering

warranted.
I then invited Mr. Ernest Corbaud to meet us to understand the cause of difference between him and Mr. Grunsky because each had pursued his own method of dividing up and measuring the masses. One difference was acknowledged by the Architect and deducted from his statement. There then remained a difference of 763.43 cu.ft which we all explain in this way: as the concrete work of the structure had been finished when Mr Grunsky made his measurements, he was necessarily compelled to take a certain surface line of the work for the Contact surface between the granite and the concrete, whereas, Mr. Corbaud had measured the actual line of contact of every course and these contacts were irregular.
The result of our conferences is that Mr. Grunsky's final computation gives 23.267.68 cu.ft.
my recomputation 23.267.18 " "
the Architects statement 24.031.11 " "
This leaves a difference of 763.43 cubic feet above the measures and computations of Mr. Grunsky; a difference of thickness of 2½ inches of the concrete at the contact with the granite facing will reasonably account for the amount.
I have delayed this Report because Lieut. Potter has been ill and I wished to learn from him the basis of his computations. He frankly says that he was simply called upon to go out to the Park and look over the bridge work that could be seen, consult only with the Superintendent of the Park and give an opinion of the Concrete in place at that time; that he had not authority to investigate or uncover the work or to consult with the Architect or any one else who knew about the plans & work. He further says: The work was then not carried to the top of the Concrete, there being over two courses on both
He was not aware that there were more than two offsets in the inner surface of the Concrete, nor had he any information of the larger bases and their splays;
The two balustrades to divide the Main Drive con

the foot passages were not commenced and he
understood they were to be granite
The spandrills were empty and he understood they were
to be filled with stone.
There was nothing on the small plans furnished
him to distinguish granite from concrete.
These statements are sufficient to satisfy me that
he had wholly insufficient data upon which to
make an exhaustive computation and report. He
frankly agrees with me. I have no doubt whatever
that if Lieut. Potter had been given the same
authority as Mr. Grunsky and myself to investigate
uncover and measure the concrete, he would
have arrived at the same result as ourselves

Very Respectfully
George Davidson.

A delegation of property owners from St. Ives Road
appeared before the Board with a petition asking for
the improving of the said Road from Central Ave.
to the Cliff House and on motion of Comr. Scott
seconded by Comr. Austin the communication was
ordered placed on file and the Supt. instructed to
carry out the improvements as far as in his judgment
is practicable

Supt. McLaren presented an estimate of macadamizing
the Road bed 12 ft. east side of R.R. Track between
Central Ave. and 6th. Ave. at $1560. His estimate from
5th. Ave to the Beach $150. and the grading of 3 Blocks
to the east of the Subs R.R. Track about $750.

In reply to the communication received from the
Gentlemen present the Board decided to accept
the Steel sweepings at 30 cts. per cu. yd. for the term
of 2 yrs provided arrangements are made by
which the same is delivered in certain designated
places in the Park

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin
Supt McLaren was instructed to have made three
Mummy Cases for the Museum. The Contract for the
fifth Case was awarded to Mr. Wolf for $150.—

Re Entrance at 11th Ave & H St

In reply to the communication received from the
Gallaghan Estate Co. relative to making an opening
on the South side of the Park at the intersection of
11th Ave. with "H" St. the Secretary was instructed
to inform them that it would be impracticable
as it would necessitate a heavy fill at that point
and the changing of the Road.

The Board then adjourned

W W Bladt
Secty

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 24th/97 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meting were read and approved.

Supt. Rpt.

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt. Rpt.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants

The following Report of the Secretary was read and approved and the warrants examined and ordered paid.

Labor	$1144.95	(177 warrants)
Material	2663.77	(41 ")
Total	$1810877	

The following Bids for Pipe were opened and on motion of Comr Scott seconded by Comr Austin, the Supt. was instructed to purchase the necessary amount where he could make best and cheapest.

Bid of Crane Mfg Co.

S.F. Feb. 23/97

to the Hon. Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen, We take pleasure in quoting you on the following
3000 ft. 2" Galvanized pipe at 14½c per. ft
2000 . 1½ . . . 10½c . .
1000 . 1¼ . . . 8½c . .
This is the best price we can make you on this quantity.

This amount would weigh about 15,350 lb. and if you could increase the order so as to make it weigh 24,000 lb. a and any other size pipe sufficient to make 24,000 lb. we could make you the following prices,

2" galvanized pipe.	13½c pr. ft
1½ . .	9½ . .
1¼ . .	7½ . .

With a proportionate reduction on other sizes.
Hoping that we may be favored with your order, which we assure you will receipe prompt and careful attention,

We are,
Yours Truly
Crane Company
W.J. Leahy Manager.

Bid of Miller Hoss & Scott.

S.F. Feb. 23/97

Mr. John McLaren. Supt.
G.G. Park.
City.

Dear Sir,
We quote you -
3000 ft. of 2" galvanized pipe at 14½c pr. ft
2000 ft. of 1½ " . . 10½c . .
1000 . 1¼ . . . 8½c . .
Terms sixty days or 2% discount for cash
Trusting that we may be favored with your order, we remain
Yours very truly
Miller Hoss & Scott
pr. R.W.

Bid of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson.

S.F. Feb. 23/97

Park Commissioners, G.G. Park S.F.
Gentlemen, -
At the request of your Mr. McLaren, we are pleased to quote you the following price on Pipe
3000 ft. 2" galvd. Iron pipe (a) 14½c
2000 , 1½" . . . 10½c
1000 , 1¼ . . . 8½c
Hoping to be favord with you order, we are
Yours Truly, Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson
pr. G.P. Ayers

Bid of Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co

S.F. Feb. 24th/97

Mr John McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your enquiry for prices on Pipe, for the following quantities and sizes, we quote as follows;-

		Black.	Dipped	Galv.
3,000 ft.	2"	9 1/4 c	10 1/4 c	14 1/4 c
2000.	1 1/2.	7 c	7 3/4 c	10 1/4 c
1000.	1 1/4"	5 1/2 c	6 1/2 c	8 1/4 c

The approximate weight of the above order is about 18,500 pounds If enough could be added to bring the weight up to 24,000 pounds, making a carload, the prices would be as follows;

	Black.	Dipped	Galv.
2"	8 7/8 c	9 7/8 c	13 1/4 c
1 1/2.	6 1/2 c	7 1/4 c	9 2/3 c
1 1/4.	5 1/2 c	5 3/4 c	7 2/3 c

The weight of the various sizes, per foot, are as follows;

2"	3.61 lbs per ft.
1 1/2"	2.61 " "
1 1/4"	2.24 " "

The cartage will be $2. per ton. additional.
Kindly let us hear from you soon for above.
We remain

Yours very truly
Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co
per S Hamma.

W.W. Block
Secy.

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Mar. 27/97, were present;

Comrs. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report — The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants — The report of the Secretary was submitted and the following warrants were examined and ordered paid.

317	Labor warrants	$12,069.70
118	" Material	116.72.38
		$16,186.08

Relative to the plans submitted for the House for the Electrical Works it was on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld referred to Supt McLaren to make such changes in the plans as he deems necessary to suit the surroundings and if necessary to confer with Mr Forsyth. Said work to be done by the men employed by the Park.

A communication was received from the St. Ives Imp. Club asking the Board to lay a 5ft. plank sidewalk where not already laid on the north side of St. Ives Ave. from Central Ave to 1st Ave.
The Secretary was instructed to notify the Club that when their Committee appeared before the Board at the last meeting it was agreed upon that the Commissioners would do all in their power to put the Road in good condition and that they could not lay down sidewalks on private property.

D Kilkenny a laborer in the Park who was injured while at work was allowed payment for the month provided he would not sue the City for the injuries he received.

Offer of clock refused.

A communication was received from Mr. O H. Kind. offering to sell a large clock suitable for some Tower or Building. The Secretary was instructed to inform him that the Commissioners had no use for same.

Re silkworm culture request

A communication was received from Mr. Jos. Neumann requesting that a special tract of land in the Park be set aside for the cultivation of the California silk worm and its food plant the Cascara Sagrada.
The same was referred to Supt McLaren

Band

Privilege was granted to Mr. Willauth, Manager of the Park Band to store the Music in the Attic of the Lodge.

Bd. Board then adjourned
C C Block
Secty.

Meeting.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 27th/97, were present,

Comrs. Jos. Austin.
" D. M. Scott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's report

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Police report

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants

The following Repot of the Secretary was read and approved, and the warrants examined and ordered paid.

Labor	$12,884.25	237 warrants
Material	4106.26	118 "
	$16990.51	

Bids for Hose

Supt McLaren submitted the following Bids received for Hose & Hay

Bid No. 1 Gorham Rubber Co.

1¼"	4ply	"Geyser Hose"	38c p. ft. net
¾"	4 "	"	18c net cash
1"	4 "		24c " "

N.Y. Belting & Packing Co.

1¼"	4ply	"Carlon" Rubber Hose	16 3/4 c p. ft.
1"	4 "	"	13 1/2 c " "

Bid No. 2 Gorham Rubber Co.

¾"	3ply	"Geyser" Brand of Hose	@ 13 1/2 c p. ft.
¾"	4 "	"	16 1/2 c " "
1"	3 "	"	19c " "
1"	4 "	"	22 1/2 c " "
1¼"	4 "	"	28c " "
1½"	4 "	Cascade Brand	24c " "

The prices of ¾" Hose includes the Couplings. The Couplings on the other sizes will be charged extra.

J Woodstock

1" Thistle	32½c	pr. ft.
1¼ "	29c	" "

Bowers Rubber Co.

	Sea Oak.	Seal Rock
1" 4 ply pr ft	.19	.16
1¼ " " "	.23	.19

Goodyear Rubber Co.

1" 4 ply special.	18c
1¼" " "	22½c
1¼" 5 "	27½c
1 ¼" 4 ply cheaper quality	16½c

Western Rubber Co

1" 4 ply pr. ft	22½c
1¼ " 4 " "	28c

Bids for Hay

Smith, Purcell & Co

Twice Hollister Hay	$12.-
Straw	50

Chard & Co

Wheat Oat Hollister Choice	$11.50
" 1 "	11.-
" 1 Wheat & Oat	10.-
" 2 "	9.-
Best Baled Straw	65c
" 1 Straw	60c
" 2 "	50c

Scott & McCord

1st Wheat Hollister Hay	$11.
" Oat " "	10.
2nd Grade Wheat Oat	10.
" " "	
Straw per bale best	8.50
	90cts

Somers & Co.

Two cars best Hollister Wheat Hay $11.50 pr. Ton
" " Wheat & Oat Hay mix 10.50 " "
Best Barley Straw 55c pr. Bale.

Peters & Covid.

Wheat Hay	$11.- pr. Ton
Wheat & Oat Hay	10.50 " "
Straw pr. Bale	47½c

Supt McLaren was instructed to purchase the necessary amount where he can get it best & cheapest.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase
1000 ft. 1¼ Sea Oak Hose @ .38c from Bowers Rubber Co
500 " 1¼ 5 ply @ 27½c from Goodyear Rubber Co
500 " 1" @ .18c " " " "

A communication was received from the Market St R'y Co relative to the hauling of street sweepings & the Dpt. beg to enter into contract for a certain period on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the same was referred to Attorney Gen. Fitzgerald for him to give his opinion whether said Contract can be made.

A communication was received from the Millcutt Presidio Park Band relative to a collection of Music which he desired the Commissioners to purchase for the use of Band. The matter was referred to Supt McLaren to examine same and to confer with Mr. Millcutt and to report at the next meeting.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the communication received from the S.F. Gas and Electric Co. was ordered placed on file and the Secretary instructed to send them a communication asking for drawings & specifications of lamp posts, and one which they suggested.

Invitation for Bids for Lighting

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids upon the specifications prepared for the Electric Lighting of the Park and the same were sent to
Gen. Electric Co
W. Wayne Electric Co
Siemens & Haske
Westinghouse Electric Co

Plans for Electrical House

On motion of Comr Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the plans and specifications for the Electrical House were accepted and agreed upon.

Heating of Museum

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the heating of the Museum was referred to Comr. Scott.

Extension

The plans for the extension of the Museum & Heating were accepted and the Supt. was authorized to construct a brick wall adjoining the other three walls and the same to be done by the laborers of the Park

The Supt. was authorized to receive Bids for the Heating Apparatus necessary to heat the entire Structure according to the specifications now on file

Supt McLaren was instructed to discharge 20 men at the end of the month

The Board then adjourned.

V O Block
Secty

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 13/97 were present;

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott
" J Rosenfeld

The following business was transacted;

Letter from Citizens Committee for Relief of Unemployed for Loan of Teams

A communication was received from Wm M. Bunting Chairman of the Citizens Committee for Relief of the unemployed relative to the Loan of some teams from the Park for work on the Boulevard and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld. Supt. McLaren was instructed to send 6 teams to the Boulevard for 11 days. and that the Citizens Committee give in exchange to the Park all tools & implements now being used in the Construction of the Boulevard.

Bids for Loam

The following Bids were received for Loam to be delivered East and West of Strawberry Hill: about 10,000 cu. yds.

C McHugh .65¢ pr. cu. yd East of Strawberry Hill and .70 West.
Sullivan Sons. $1.90 pr. Load each Load to constitute two yards.
J. Tuttle. .87½ cts.
Buckman Contracting Co. $1.63 pr Ld. each Ld to contain two cu. yds

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the Contract was awarded to C McHugh

The Board then adjourned.

V O Block
Secty

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comis held May 15/99, were present,

Comr J. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" I Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meting was dispensed with.

Plans for Museum Annex

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the plans as altered for the roof of the Annex of the Museum and the eyebeams of the floor submitted by the Pacific Rolling Mills be accepted Roof $1715.- Beams $28.60

Gas & Electric Co

The Secty was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the plan of pole and underground Conduit system submitted by the S.F. Gas and Electric Co.

A communication was received from the S. F. Association of Sp. Clubs asking for the Construction of a Bicycle Road from 3rd Ave & M. St. Entrance through the Park & said Stanyan St. Said Request was denied.

The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of the communication received from Atty Gen. Fitzgerald.

Bids for Brick

The following Bids were received for Brick for Annex & Museum.
Hayward Brick Co. $7.50 p M at Museum or Park
Contract Brick Co. $7.50 p M F.C.B. cars Mt & Townsend Sts.
J.E. Carey. $7.00 delivered at Museum. G.G. Park.
On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the bid of J.E. Carey was accepted.

Also the bid of Mr McCall of $6.- for laying M brick

Spec Park Police Regulations

A communication was received from the Board of Health asking the Board to erect information posts & red lamps in the Park designating the location of the Ambulance Stations

The Secty was instructed to answer same by stating that due publicity had been given relative to location of same and that the Comis could not do any more.

Adjn

The Board then adjourned.

V.W. Stock
Secty

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 21st/97. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supt's Rept. The monthly Repat of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed. And all improvements suggested were approved.

Warrants. The following Report of the Secretary was read and the warrants examined and ordered paid.

Labor.	$13,072.95	(237 warrants.)
Bills	1738.18	152 ")
	$14,811.13	

Bids for Museum. The following Bids were received for heating the Museum.

H. M. Montague	$3,180.-
Geo L. Kay Co.	3,165.-

H. M. Montague & Co. being the lowest bidders, the Contract was awarded to them with the understanding that they satisfactorily heat the Commissioners and Secretarys Room in Lodge

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the Repat submitted by Wilson & Corbaud for extra work done by A McLaren on Granite Bridge was adopted and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld a warrant was ordered made out in favor of said McLaren for $1787.33 which is to be held in this Office until in the presence of Sept. and Secretary the following men are

paid the following amounts due them for work performed.

Jones	$81.
Withers	114.
Flint	84.40
Mane Aug Williams	99.50
	$378.90

Mr. McLennan filed a Bond for $1500. (with Thos Butler & M. McGowan as sureties) for above payments.

Removal of fences & widening of Kingman St. A communication was received from the Sunset District Imp. Club relative to the removal of certain fences on Stanyan St. and also of the widening of said Street. The Secretary was instructed to answer the Club by stating that by virtue of an Act of the Bd. of Supervisors it is outside the jurisdiction of the Commissioners. Furthermore they have no power to grant portions of the Park for purposes other than what is needed for the Park.

Offer of pictures. A communication was received from M. Friedman wishing to sell two pictures to the Museum. The Secretary was instructed to write a letter stating that the Commissioners have no means whereby to purchase them

Bids for Electric lighting of Parks. Bids for the Electric lighting of Park were received from the following firms

Gen. Electric Co	Wells, Russel & Co
Ft. Wayne Electric Operation	C. A. Hooper
Abner Doble Co.	
Siemens & Halske Electric Co	
J. A. Roebling's Sons Co	
National Sun Wks.	
Olmes Engine Co	
J. C. Lemmon	
Eureka Boiler Wrks	
Dow Steam Pump Wks.	
Westinghouse Electric Bid	Declined to Bid
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.	

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Austin all the Bids received for the Electric Lighting of the Park were referred to Comr Scott and Supt. McLaren with instructions to decide what was best for Park and to award Contract for same.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to expend $500.- for Constructing Corrals & Fences.

The Board then adjourned.

W W Block.
Secty.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting held June 3/97 Comrs. Austin, Rosenfeld and Scott were present.

Life Saving Service to repair road

A communication was received from the Life Saving Service asking permission to repair and extend the Roadway constructed by the said service in front of the Golden Gate Park Life Saving Station and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Austin the said request was granted to repair the Roadway from the Boulevard to mean high water mark for the transporting of the Life Boats, etc, provided that no excavations shall be made that will endanger the water front or in any way impair the permanent emplacements.

The Board then adjourned.

W W Block.
Secty.

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held June 25/97 were present;

Comr. Austin. (abs)
" Rosenfeld.
" Scott.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supt. Report. The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants. The following Repot of the Secretary was read and the warrants examined, and ordered paid.

Labor.	14,857.65	262 Warrants.
Bills	22,390.88	60 .
Total.	37,248.53	

Donations. A communication was received from Mr. J. L. Bardwell tendering to the Park Museum a collection of Sweiss. The same was accepted by the Board, and the Secretary instructed to send a letter of thanks for his kind & generous donation.

A communication was received from Mr. S. V. Finch offering for sale for the Museum a collection of Curios from China.

The same was referred to Curator Kilcomb to go and examine them and report on same to the Commissioners

Capt. Thorson submitted his annual Report relative to the amount of arrests and fines received from same. The same was ordered filed.

Mr. Jas Winslow offered to sell a team of horses for $350. and the Supt. was instructed to purchase them as cheap as possible

Report of Committee Electric Lighting Park. Comr. Scott and Supt McLaren who had been appointed a Committee on the Electric lighting of the Park submitted the following Report which was approved by the Board and ordered spread upon the minutes.

S. F. June 15/97

Commissioners of Golden Gate Park
San Francisco. Cal.

Gentlemen;—

Your Committee appointed at last meting to examine bids received and those yet to come in, regarding the Electric Plant in Golden Gate Park, with power to act, begs leave to submit the following Report.

Two Systems of dynamos were bid upon, are known as the Constant Potential system, and are known as the Series System of Arc Light.

In the Constant Potential system the dynamos are cheaper and the wire more expensive

In the Series System the dynamos cost more than in the other system, but the wire cost a great deal less, as it admits of attaching lamps on the return wire as well as upon the outgoing wire

The Siemens & Halske Electric Co., the General Electric Co, and the Fort Wayne Electric Corporation all recommend the Series System.

The bids on the dynamos of the Potential System are as follows;—

General Electric C.

2 Dynamos.	$2,050.
35 Lamps.	1067.50
56,000 ft. #6 Rubber Covered wire	
15,000 " #12 " " "	
50,000 " #10 " " "	12013.76

(In their letter they state the above will not fill the requirements)

Fort Wayne Electric Corporation.

2 Dynamos	$2,040.
Switchboard	350.
35 Lamps	700.
60,000 ft 6 Habirshaw Red Ore Lead covered wire	7,800.
Same amount wire only jute covered.	4,800.

Abner Doble Co.

2 Dynamos. 30 light capacity, with triple tandem compound engine neither in accordance with the specifications $4,522.
(No piping included in above.)

1 Water Tube Boiler not in accordance with specifications, without pipes or any accessories $3,384.

Condenser not in accordance with the specifications 384.

35 Arc Lamps 24.75 each.

60,000 ft 6 Jute covered Habirshaw wire 4,080.

Iron Conduit boiled in asphaltum, guaranteed to give satisfactory service for a period of one thousand hours trial test 35.

The bids on the dynamos of the Series System are as follows.

Diamond Electric Co.

1 Brush Arc Generator	$3,700.
35 Arc Lights with hoods and globes complete	945.
1 Thompson & Houston 25 K.W. dynamo (In this case the wire necessary will be 15,000 ft. No. 6 (No lead covering)	5,405 2,250.

Fort Wayne Electric Corporation. Bid No. 2 being the cheapest one.

2 - Arc Generators 40 lamp capacity Switchboard	$3,283.
35 Lamps	150.
35 Hoods	630.
35 Lamps of the Upton Midget type	140.
	178.

Siemens & Halske Electric Co.

2 - 40 light Generators	$3,375.
35 - Lamps	625.
35 - Hoods	33.
Or 35 - Hoods arranged with stands	150
55,000 ft. Iron Piping Conduits	2,090.
55,000 ft. Wood Conduit	1,500
35 Iron poles as pr. sketch enclosed	1000

J. A. Roebling's Sons Co.

60,000 ft. Rubber covered lead encased electric wire No. 6. B. S. G., 3/16" insulation. Weight 1060 lbs. per 1,000 ft., as per sample, excepting rubber to be 1/8 thick. which is ample. Price 7 9/10 cts. pr. foot weighing 786 lbs. per thousand ft. $4,740.

Engines & Boilers.

Siemens & Halske Electric Co.

Boilers & Engines erected in running order as per specifications $9,395.

National Iron Works.

Boilers & Engines, erected as per specifications $9,970.

Ohmen Engine Co.

These people declined to bid upon the specifications, but offered to furnish engines of their own type, not in accordance with specifications. (Rejected) $8,000.-

J. C. Lemmon.

Bid for the boilers in accordance with specifications, delivered at his Works, without pipes or running or setting up. $3,200.

Eureka Boiler Works.

Bid for the Boilers in accordance with specifications, delivered at their works for. $3,100.-
Or will erect them in their place in the Park, strictly in accordance with all the requirements of the specifications for 600.-
Making price for boilers erected as per specifications $3,700.-

Dow Steam Pump Works

Bid to furnish engines in accordance with specifications at works. $3,250.
Delivered at the Park and erected in place with all steam piping, and everything complete, additional 760.-
Air pumps, injector, discharge pipes 770
Erected in Park as per specifications $4,780.-

The Westinghouse Electric Co
Declined to bid.

Denham, Corrigan & Hayden Co.

Bid to furnish lamp posts of the Upton Midget type. Constant Potential System for each $19.90

Allen Cobb & Co.

Bid for lamp posts as per sample 11 ft. 22.50
Less on pole 1.
23.50

Thomas & Wastle Electric Co.
Bid for lamp posts as per plan attached (35) 1,000

Iron Conduit.

Allen Cobb & Co. Sent in a bid of $17.50 per thousand feet for Upton system what they proposed to furnish it was found that they had made a mistake in their bid, and the price was $25. per thousand feet or 3½ cts per running foot.

Wells, Russell & Co.,

Bid to furnish 60,000 ft. wood for. $1,600.-
Dipping 300.
Making total price for 60,000 ft. a 3⅙ cts pr. foot. $1,900.-

C. A. Hooper.

Bid to furnish 60,000 ft. 2 x 4" with 1½" hole for cable delivered at the dipping place at the price per lineal foot of 7 cts
Francis Smith charges $7.50 per thousand feet for dipping making the total cost per running foot wood and dipping. 3 c.

The bids of Ohmer & Co. and Abner Doble Co, not being in accordance with the specifications, were rejected.

Your Committee awarded to -

Dow Steam Pumps Works. Engines, air pumps, piping and fittings erected at the Park for $11,780.-

Eureka Boiler Works;

Boilers, piping, covering, breching, complete, erected at the Park for. $3700.

Making a total of $8,1180.-

Fort Wayne Electric Corporation.-

The series System, consisting of
2 - No. 9 wood arc Dynamos, capacity 65 lamps, 2,000 candle power, at 400 revolutions per minute; equipped with couplings to correspond with engine boilers for the sum of $3,283.
1 - Marble Switchboard - two dynamos, three circuits; one ammeter, wooden base; four lightning arrestors; necessary plugs, wires and connections, erected and connected with dynamos in the Park for the sum of $140.
Making a total of $3,433

John A. Roeblings Sons Co,

mic, as per their bid above described for the sum of

$4,740

C. A. Hooper.

Wood Conduit 12x12 made of 2x6" wood with groove 1 1/4" diameter, price per running foot. 2¢

Dipping of the same $7.50 per thousand feet B. M., making for the running foot 1¢

Total per running foot 3¢

The patterns of lamp posts submitted were not satisfactory & we recommend deferring action in this matter until a better selection can be made.

We have also deferred action in the matter of lamps until further information can be obtained

Respectfully submitted
(signed) Jno. McLaren
Jno. McLaren

Meeting At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 29/97, were present,

Comrs. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" Jno. McLaren.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants 194 Labor warrants were examined and ordered paid. Amount for same being $1,297.50

Supt's Report The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Letter re Statue of Geo. Washington A communication was received from the "Call" relative to presenting to the Park a Statue of Geo. Washington. After a general discussion the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to select a spot in the Childrens' Play grounds for same, as that locality was best suited for it.

Capt. Thomson's Report The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Market St. R.R. Co. to construct Toilets A communication was received from the Market St. R.R. Co., relative to the constructing of Toilets in the Park at the terminus of the Mc. Allister, Geary and Sacramento St. cars. Said Company to build same at their own expense, the Park only to furnish water. Said request was granted, and the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren to select the proper locations.

No vacancy An application was received from S. M. Moltenbuhr asking for the position of Asst. Engineer of the Water Works. The Secretary was instructed to inform him that at present there was no vacancy

A communication was received from the Mechanics' Institute asking for the loan of some fish for the coming Exhibition. Said request was granted, and the same referred to Supt. McLaren.

The yearly Repat of the Commissioners was read and accepted by the Board.

Comr. Scott asked that 8 cases be made for the Museum, payment for same not to be made until funds are available, and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Austin. the same was allowed.

A communication was received from several of the students of the Cogswell College asking that the Fountain donated many years ago to the Park by Dr Cogswell be erected. After a general discussion the Commissioners agreed that as the Statue was not made of bronze a marble but of some white metal not suitable for the Park not to grant the said request, and the Secretary was instructed to inform them of same.

On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott Supt McLaren was granted Leave of absence for 20 days

C. C. Stoof
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug. 27/97. were present;

Comrs Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" J. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The monthly Repat of the Supt. was read and approved and ordered filed.

184 Labor warrants amounting to $11.088.11 and
61 Material warrants (for 2 mos) . . $14.910.21 making
a total of $25.998.32 were examined and ordered paid.

As the Insurance on the Conservatory will expire Sept. 1/97 the Commissioners decided to have the same renewed to the amount of $10.000 instead of $20.000.-

A communication was received from C. McVeigh offering loam to the Park at a little advance on his former Contract on account of the distance to be hauled. And on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr Rosenfeld the same was referred to Supt. McLaren to confer with Mr. McVeigh as to the price he would deliver same at certain designated places.

Supt. McLaren having suggested that Hay was needed for the winter months he was on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr Scott instructed to purchase 150 Tons of wheat Hay where he can get it the best and cheapest

The bid of a. Wolf of $115. per cage for set for the Museum was accepted.

A communication was received from P. J. Shields Private Secretary of Gov. Budd acknowledging the receipt of the yearly Report of the Board.

A communication was received from the Letter Carriers Association asking for certain floral decorations to be made in Conservatory Valley. The same was referred to Supt. McLaren and the Secretary was instructed to notify them that owing to the shortness of time, the Commissioners would do the best they could.

A communication was received from M. R. McFadden of Denver Colorado offering for sale a collection of stuffed animals

The Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that the Board could not purchase same owing to lack of accomodation in the Museum.

Supt McLaren was instructed to discharge about 25 men at the end of the month.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 25th/97, were present:

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" D. M. Scott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $19,136.18 were examined and ordered paid. 189 Labor warrants amounting to $1408.80 and 55 material warrants amounting to $9727.38

The monthly Report of the Supt was read and approved and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld Supt McLaren was instructed to limit the expenditures for the coming 6 months as follows: For the month of Oct/97 about $3,000. and for Nov. Dec/97 and Jan/98 and Feb/98 about $2,000.

A communication was received from Comr. Leonard asking that signs be put up at different places in the Park designating the location of the Casino. As it is contrary to the rules, and similar requests being asked and denied, the Commissioners did not grant same.

A vacancy. An application for appointment as Policeman was received from L. de la Cuesta of Santa Barbara, and the Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that there was no vacancy at present.

A communication was received from J. Salomon relative to the laying of the telephone wires on Stanyan St. under ground. The same was referred to Supt. McLaren.

Bids for printing Annual Report

The following Bids were received for the printing of the Annual Repot.

Bid of Hunter Printing Co

San Francisco Sept. 9/97

Dear Sirs,

We will print 2600 Copies of the Report of the Board of Park Commissioners for the Fiscal year 1896-97 (350 copies to be cloth bound) as per Sample Submitted for the sum of Three Hundred Dollars.

Respy.
Hunter Ptg Co
Wm Hunter Jr.

Bid of Walter N. Brunt.

San Francisco Sept. 7/97

Mr John McLaren
Dear Sir,

We will furnish 2600 Copies Annual Reports 2250 Paper Cover and 350 Cloth Covers with Map & 16 inserts bound therein, same amount of printed matter as 94th Annual Report for $177- a 62 pages $222.-

Very truly
Brunt
p. K. B.

Bid of H S Crocker Co

San Francisco Sept. 2/97

Board of Park Commissioners
Gentlemen;

We will furnish you 2500 copies in paper cover, 350 copies in cloth of your Annual Report, making 2600 copies, to contain 62 pages each when colored inserts to be furnished by you also one map, to be furnished by us for the sum of Three hundred and Fifteen ($315.00)

Trusting to be favored with your esteemed order, we are,
Yours Respt.
H S Crocker Co

Bids for hay

Supt. McLaren who had been instructed to receive Bids for Wheat Hay submitted the following Bids, and on motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld he was instructed to purchase it where he can get the best and cheapest.

Bid of Peters & Coune

S. F. Sept. 5/97

Mr. John McLaren. Supt. of Golden Gate Park.
Dear Sir,

In answer to your letter asking us for a price on 150 Tons of Cut Edge Wheat Hay delivered at your Stables at Golden Gate Park we will say that we will deliver you according to the terms of your letter filed in our Office this day One hundred tons wheat hay at your stables in the Park for seventeen dollars ($17.-) per ton and fifty ton delivered at the track for Seventeen dollars & a half ($17.50) per ton.

Kindly give us a chance to bid on the Straw and Rolled Barley you use.

Very truly Yours
Peters & Coune

Bid of R. P. Lathrop.

Hollister Aug 31/97

J. McLaren Esq.
Supt. Golden Gate Park
San Francisco. Cal.

Dear Sir,

I will sell you 150 tons hay free Storage until June 1st 1898 to be paid for at time of purchase to be delivered at your order, your risk of fire as follows,

150 tons choice wheat hay on S.P. R.R. @ $16.
150 " " wheat & oat hay " " @ $15.

Deduct $4.75 a ton for freight from Hollister to San Francisco

Hay guaranteed to be strictly choice

Yours Truly R. P. Lathrop. Mgr.

In case the hay is to be Shipped in at once it can be paid for when delivered

Bid of Somers & Co.

San Francisco, Sept. 3. 1897.

To the Commissioners of Golden Gate Park.
City.

Gentlemen—

In accordance with your circular issued the 2nd inst. asking for prices on hay, we beg to submit herewith our lowest figure in the matter. We will furnish you with number one wheat and oat hay for $16.- per ton delivered at your Stables.- fifty tons at the Beach and 100 tons at the Stables one hundred and fifty 150 tons in all.

Respectfully submitted.
Somers & Co.

Bid of Scott & McCord.

San Francisco. Sept. 4/97

Mr. J. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park
City.

Dear Sir.

Replying to your enquiry to supply the Golden Gate Park 150 Tons of Wheat Hay- We will furnish delivered at the Stables of the Golden Gate Park One Hundred and Fifty (150) Tons of good edge Wheat Hay during the month of Sept to be at the rate of $15.00 pr. Ton.

Yours truly
Scott & McCord.

[illegible] was moved from the California Cycling Club relative to the use by pedestrians of the Drive road from the Cycle Track to [illegible]. Same was referred to Supt for report.

[illegible] moved seconded by [illegible] that the following Assistants were appointed upon the recommendation of the [illegible] in the appropriation.

5 men from the Police Force
1 man from the Stable
5 men " " Museum

and about 30 from the general force. Commissioners Austin, Rosenfeld and Scott voting in the affirmative it was unanimously carried.

Bids for teaming. The following Bids were received for Loam.

O. McHugh. 10,000 cu. yds. delivered at West End of Park near Watering tank for the sums of .90 pr. cu. yd.

Warren and Mally. 10,000 cu. yds delivered at West End of Park near Watering tank for $1.40 pr. cu. yd.

Contract awarded. The bid of O. McHugh being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him

[illegible] The Board then adjourned.

C. O. Block.
Secty.

Regular Meeting

At a spcial meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Ct. 16/97 were present.

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the chair)
" J Rosenfeld
" Jm. Scott

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrant for contract

A warrant for the amount of $1850.- being one-half of Contract for Boilers for Electric Plant was allowed to the Eureka Boiler Works.

Communication from C. A Hooper & Co.

A communication was received from C. A Hooper & Co. stating that they would hold the material already shipped, provided the Commissioners pay any advance price in the market rates of Lumber.

Said request was allowed.

Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the Supt. was instructed to discharge about thirty men at the end of the month.

Communication from Mayor

A communication was received from Mayor Rose offering to the Park Museum 5 Statues that belonged to Mrs E. Cook

Said gift was accepted, and the Secretary sent the following letter of acceptance.

Park Office Ct. 16. 1897

Mr. Mrs E. Cook.
Dear Madam,

The Board of Park Commissioners has instructed me to convey to you the thanks of the Board for the beautiful Statues that were donated by Mrs E. Cook through you. The Commissioners highly

appreciate these beautiful works of Art, and have had them placed in the most prominent spot in the Museum where they are sure to be greatly admired. Again thanking you.

I Remain,
Yours respectfully
Jos. Austin.
Pres. Bd. of Park Comrs

Valora C. Block.
Secty.

Park Office. Ct. 16. 1897

Mrs. E. Cook.
Dear Madam,

The Park Commissioners cannot find words enough in which to thank you for the beautiful donation of Statues. They being by far the most important in the Park Museum. We have had them placed in the centre of the Art Room where they cannot fail to be admired by the many who visit the Museum. Such gifts are quite rare, and the Commissioners feel sure that the people of the City will appreciate the gift of such beautiful and costly works of Art.

I Remain,
Very Respectfully,
Jos. Austin.
Pres. Bd. of Park Comrs

Valora C. Block
Secty.

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 29/97, were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair.)
" J. M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meting were read and approved.

Bills — Warrants to the amount of $ 23969.32 were examined and ordered paid
137 Labor warrants amounting to $ 8981.10 and
50 Material warrants amounting to 14,988.22.

Supt. Reports — The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Supt. to get bids for pipe — Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids for water pipe to be used in the New Meadow. Amount required about 2,000 ft. 4" galvanized standard screw pipe 2,000 ft. of 1½" galvanized Standard screw pipe. And 500 ft. of 4" Black and to purchase same from lowest bidder.

Selection of Statue — On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the selection of the Goethe Schiller Monument selected by the Committee and Supt. McLaren was confirmed. and the Secretary was instructed to notify them of same.

Communication — A Communication was received from Prof. Soule of the Civil Engineering Dept. University of Cal asking for about 200 lbs. of wood from our Quarry for experimental purposes.
Said request was granted

Meeting — At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Nov. 13/97, were present.

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" J. M. Scott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes — The reading of the minutes of the previous meting was dispensed with.

Bids for Pipe — Supt. McLaren submitted the following Bids for Pipe.

Bid of W. F. Garratt & Co

S. F. Nov. 2/97

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Park Lodge. City.

Gentlemen:-

Replying to your inquiry of the 30th ult., We offer to furnish the pipe required for at the following prices:-

2000 ft. 2" Galvanized pipe at 11½ cents per foot
2,000 " 1½" " " 13 " " "
500 " 4" Black pipe " 32 " " "

Or, if you will increase the quantity to 5000 feet we will furnish at the following prices:

2" Galvanized pipe at 10½ cents per foot
1½" " " " 12 " " "
4" Black pipe " 30 " " "

Hoping to be favored with your order, we remain,

Yours truly,
W. F. Garratt & Co
By A. L. Taylor
Secty.

Bid of Dunham, Carrigan Hayden Co

S. F. Nov. 3/97

J. M. Laren. Supt. G. G. Park.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of Oct. 30th we beg

to quote you on a lot of 5000 feet of Assorted Pipe as follows,—

3" galvanized 16½ per foot.
1½" " 13¢ "
4" Black 30¢ " (in our Warehouse S.F.)

In lots less than 5000 ft. as follows.
3" gal. 17½ — 1½ gal 13 — 4" black 32¢ per ft.
These prices are subject to a cash discount of 2%.
Hoping to be favored with your order, we remain

Yours very truly
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
per S. Plummer.

Bid of Jas. A. Sue. & Co.

S. F. Cal. Nov. 1. 1897

J. McLaren
Sup't. G. G. P.
Dear Sir,

We quote you as
2000 ft. 1½" galvanized standard pipe @ 13¢ per ft.
2000 " 3" " " 17½ " "
500 " 4" black " 32¢ " "
f.o.b. cars
Jas. A. Sue & Co.

Bid of Kellogg, Averill & Stetson.

S. F. Nov. 1. 97

J. McLaren Supt
Golden Gate Park
City

Dear Sir,

Replying to request of ... we are pleased to quote you the following prices on pipe

Galvanized Standard screw pipe 5000 ft. assorted sizes — Less than 5000 ft.
3" 16½ cts. 17½ cts
1½" 12 cts 13 cts
4" Black Standard screw pipe 30 cts 32 cts
Terms cash as stated in your letter will

only amount to about 4500 ft. whereas if you increase your order to 5000 ft. assorted sizes you can take advantage of the lower price for lots of 5000 ft. and over. All prices are subject to change without notice.

Hoping to be favored with your order, we are
Yours truly
Kellogg, Averill & Stetson
per Cayers

Bid of Phelps and Arnold.

S.F. Nov. 1/97

J. McLaren, Supt.
Golden Gate Park
City

Dear Sir,

Replying to your inquiry of Oct. 30th we beg to offer you 2,250 ft. 3" galvanized standard screw pipe @ 16½ per ft.
2,750 " 1½" " " " 13¢ " "
500 " 4" black " " " 30¢ "
in all 5000 ft, to be taken from our store terms 10 days 2% for cash. We thank you for the inquiry and shall be pleased to receive your order

Yours Respectfully
Phelps & Arnold
by L. Marsh

Bid of Miller, Hoes & Scott

S.F. Nov. 1897

Mr. J. McLaren, Park Office
Golden Gate Park, City

Dear Sir,

In answer to your inquiry of Oct. 30 we are pleased to quote you the following prices on pipe, in 5000 feet lots of assorted sizes.

3 in. galvanized 16½ per ft.
1½ " " 13 " "
4 in black 30 " "

Terms 60 days or two percent for cash.
Trusting that these prices will be satisfactory and that we may be favored with your order, we are

Yours very truly
Miller, Hoes & Scott
per Cl...

Disposal of Piles

The action of Supt. McLaren in disposing of the following 9 horses was approved by the Board.

Office of Sullivan & Doyle
Sales for account of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park by Sullivan & Doyle. Saturday Nov. 6. 1897

No. 1	Grey Mare	$20.
2	Grey Horse	15.
3	Bay saddle H	31
4	Grey Horse	35
5	Bay M	25.
6	Bro. Horse	37.50
7	Bro Mare	13
8	Bay Horse	31
9	Bay Horse	35.
		$232.50

D.

To Commission 5%		$11.60
Advertising	15.	$16.60
Net proceeds per check		$205.90

The action of Supt McLaren in purchasing the pipe was approved

A communication was received from H E Huntington offering to donate $1000. for a Bridge to be constructed at the Southwest corner of the Park, and it was on motion of Comr. Fairfield seconded by Comr. Scott accepted provided that the Supt. be able to build the Bridge for that amount

Supt McLaren presented the plans of Bridges the cost of which will not exceed $1000- The bridge to be made of Concrete and the facings of Rock, with ashlar rock. In case he may not get enough natural rock he is authorized to finish some artificial rock so as to imitate the natural.

The Secretary was instructed to send the following answer to Mr. Huntington's propositions

Park Office. Nov. 13/97

Mr. H. E. Huntington
Dear Sir,

The Board of Commissioners of Golden Gate Park received your communication of Nov. 8/97 wherein you express yourself ready to expend $1000.- heretofore spoken of for the Bridge at the Southwest corner of the Park. The Commissioners understand this to be a Bridge under the double track, and to be located inside the present embankment. We accept the same and will proceed with the work, and will draw upon you as the work advances. We request a drawing showing the curves etc. and where you desire to locate the Bridge in order to enable us to proceed with this work and to place the said drawings on file.

Very Respectfully
Jos. Austin
Pres. Bd. of Park Comrs

O. K. Block
Secty.

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Nov. 26/97 were present;

Comr Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld (abs)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Accounts — Bills to the amount of $ 12307.35 were examined and ordered paid

178 Labor warrants amounting to $7336.20
45 Material . . . 4971.15

Supt's Report — The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt's Report — The monthly Report of Capt Thomson was read and ordered filed

Communication — A Bill was received from Wm. Banks for $250.- being for plans and designs drawn for an Agricultural Building to have been erected in the Park. The same was placed filed, and the Supt. instructed to get the opinion of the Attorney of the Board as to the legality of the paying of the same, as the work was unauthorized by the Board.

A communication was received from J. L. Firmin relative to getting information upon the water supply etc. of the Park. Same was referred to Supt. McLaren

The Board then adjourned.
C.O. Block Secty

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec. 29/97 were present;

Comr. J. Austin (in the chair.)
" D.M. Scott.
" John Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report — The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt's Report — The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Accounts — Bills to the amount of $ 14,385.48 were examined and ordered paid

178 Labor warrants amounting to $ 6,908.20
45 Material . . . 7477.28
$ 14,385.48

Expenditure for plans — On motion of Comr Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was in accordance with the advice of the Attorney of the Board agreed to allow Wm. O. Banks $250.- being for services rendered in drawing plans for an Exhibition Building at the suggestion of the late Comr. Stone.

Mr. Collection of Skulls — On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld Mr. D Young was allowed $250 for the collection of skulls now in place in the Museum.

Museum Catalogues — A communication was received from Rigsell & Rollins relative to printing the Museum Catalogues. Said communication was read and ordered filed.

The Band — A communication was received from Geo. D Williams Manager of the Park Band asking for permission to allow the Band to use the name of the Golden Gate Park, wear their uniforms and the use of the

Park music during the coming Jubilee. Said request was granted.

Appointment A petition was received from J. L. Howell asking to be reinstated as Policeman in the Park. The Secretary was instructed to write to him stating that on account of the cut in the appropriation it was necessary to reduce the force, and it would be impossible to give him work.

Loan On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, the Commissioners agreed to loan an Elk to the Society of Elks.

Bill The claim of the Southern Pacific Co. of $7.- for freight and $149. for general average on "Antiquities" from Hamburg to New Orleans was referred to Supt. McLean to look into the matter and report on same.

The Board then adjourned

C C Block
Secty

Special Meeting At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Jan. 8/98. were present:

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J. Rosenfeld.
" D. M. Scott. (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

R.R. Bridge. The Secretary was instructed to notify the Market St. R.R. Co. that the Bridge is now completed and ready for them to do the grading, and also to call their attention to the damage done by fire caused from the sparks of the P.T.C. & R.R. along the line especially on Sundays.

Bill The claim of the S.P.R.R. Co. for $223.13 was allowed being for freight on Antiquities from Hamburg to New Orleans amounting to $74.- and general average on Ship $149.13

The Board then adjourned.

C C Block
Secty

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Jan. 29/98. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" J.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Monthly Rept. The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Monthly Rept. The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants. Warrants to the amount of $16,343.62 were examined and ordered paid

173 Labor warrants amounting to	$	7,151.35
49 Material .		9,192.27
	$	16,343.62

Petition. A petition was received from the property owners in the vicinity of 24th Ave. asking for a Driveway to be constructed into the Park westerly to the Main Drive from 24th Ave. and Fulton St. Secretary was instructed to notify them that as soon as the Road was cleared of sand along Pt. Lobos Rd. to "D" St. the Commissioners would then have the said Driveway constructed.

The Board then adjourned.

O.O. Block
Secty.

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Feb. 26/98. were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin (in the Chair.)
" J.M. Scott
" J. Rosenfeld. (abs.)

The following business was transacted,

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants. Warrants to the amount of $ 12,547.57 were examined and ordered paid

125 Labor warrants amounting to	$	7,023.75
40 Material . " .		5,503.82
	$	12,527.57

Monthly Report. The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Monthly Rept. The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Offers for loam. The following Offers for loam were received.

J.D. O'Day. To hauling loam within the boundaries of Strawberry Hill per load Eighty (80) Cents.
To hauling outside the boundaries of Strawberry Hill per load One ($1) Dollar.

O. McHugh. Loam delivered East of Strawberry Hill Sixty-five cents per cu. yard

Lease of Children's Quarters. A communication was received from Geo. W. Murphy asking for a renewal of his Lease of the Childrens' Quarters which expires on April 1/98. Same was ordered filed.

Resignation. The resignation of Officer Compton was received and accepted.

Employ Expert

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. was instructed to employ Mr. Polger to make a complete and thorough Report of the finances and condition of the Park. Also to take an Inventory of all tools, wagons, implements and everything in the Lodge, Museum, Boat House, Children's Quarters, Stables, etc

The Board then adjourned.

V.V. Block
Secty.

Special meeting.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 21/98 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J. Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Atty. for Park Commrs. in matter of Estate of Jose V. de Larraga

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Rosenfeld the following Resolution was carried unanimously That Geo. A. Knight, Attorney for Golden Gate Park Commissioners is hereby authorized to appear for said Commissioners in the Superior Court Dept. No. 9. in and for the City and County of San Francisco in the matter of the Estate of Jose V. de Larraga and represent said Commissioners and Golden Gate Park in all matters therein.

The Board then adjourned.

V.V. Block
Secty.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held March 26/98 were present,

Comr Jos. Austin (in the Chair)
" D.M. Scott.
" J Rosenfeld.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 16023.80 were examined and ordered paid.

198 Labor warrants amounting to	$	11.192.70
49 Material " "		1831.10
	$	16.023.80

Bids

The following Bids for Pipe were received and the Supt instructed to purchase same where he can get the best and cheapest.

1st Bid of Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co.

S.F. Mar. 8/98

Mr. J McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your inquiry of even date regarding galvanized Pipe and Reducers would say that we find there is no 5" galvanized Pipe in this market and the lengths of black pipe do not run long enough to permit cutting without making a great deal of waste which of course would bring our figures entirely too high, so we have concluded the best way would be to quote you on the entire order from the East, as follows;-

40 pieces 5" galv. pipe 12' threaded one end $9.07 per pce
40 " 4" " 10' " both ends 5.05 " "
40 " 3" " 10 " " " 3.10 " "
40 cast Iron galvanized reducers 5x4"----- 1.20 ea.
40 " " " " 4x3"----- 80c "

Above prices are for delivery at our store San Francisco Hoping this latter proposition will meet with your approval, we remain,

Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.
p. W. S. Coleman.

Sealed Bids Bid Opened

2d Bid of Dunham Carrigan and Hayden Co.

S.F. Mar. 8/98

Mr. J. McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir,-

Referring to your inquiry of even date regarding galvanized pipe and Reducers would say that we find there is no 5" galvanized pipe in this market and the lengths of black pipe do not run long enough to permit cutting without making a great deal of waste which of course would bring our figures entirely too high, so we have concluded the best way would be to quote you on the entire order from the East as follows;-

40 pieces	5"	galv. pipe	12' threaded one end	$9.07 per pce
40 "	4"	"	10' " both ends	5.05 " "
40 "	3"	"	10 " " "	3.10 " "
40 cast Iron galv. Reducers			5x4"-----	1.20 ea
40 " " "			4x3"-----	809 "

Above prices are for delivery at our store S.F.
Hoping this latter proposition will meet with your approval.

We Remain,
Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.
p. W. S. Coleman.

Bid of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson.

S.F. Mar. 2/98

To the Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.
San Francisco

Gentlemen,

In compliance with your request we are pleased to quote you the following prices,-

40 pcs 5" galvanized pipe 12 ft. long thread one end. $1.13.75 each.
40 " 4" " " 10 ft. " both ends. 4.75.
40 " 3" " " 10 " " " " 5.70.
10 5x4" galv reducers @ $2.25 ea.
10 4x3" " " " 1.85 "

All prices are subject to change without notice

Hoping to be favored with your order, we are.

Yours truly
Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson
per. Ayer.

Bid of Miller, Sloss & Scott.

S.F. Mar. 5/98

Golden Gate Park Comrs
San Francisco Cal

Gentlemen,

We are pleased to quote you on the following.-

40 pcs galv. pipe 5" each 12 ft cut from average length of 20 ft. leaving waste of about 6 ft. each at 70 cts

40 pcs galv. pipe 4" each 10 ft. cut from average length of 20 ft equal 40 pcs leaving little if any waste at 48 cts. ft.

40 pcs galv. pipe 3" each 10 ft. cut from average length of 20 ft. equal 40 pcs leaving little if any waste at 30 cts. ft.

Cutting & threading 5" @ 15 cts pr. cut less 25% disct
" " " 4" @ 12 cts " " " " "
" " " 3" @ 10 cts " " " " "

40 galv Reducers 5 to 4 @ $1.- each
40 " " 4 to 3 @ 47½ " Delivered at our warehouse.

Terms 60 days or 2% disct for cash

Trusting to be favored with the above order, we remain

Very Respectfully Yours.
Miller, Sloss & Scott
per. Milton Pray.

1st Bid of Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.

San Francisco February 19th. 1898.

Mr. John McLaren.
Supt Golden Gate Park.
S.F.

Dear Sir,

By request our Mr Plummer the writer takes pleasure in making you the following prices on pipe and thread cutting.

		Less than 5000' lots.	5000' lots
Black	3"	20 c	19 c
"	4"	38 c	36½ c
"	5"	118 c	113 c
Galvanized	3"	30 c	28 c
	4"	117 c	41 c
	5"	75 c	65 c

At the present time there is no 5 inch galvanized pipe in this market only for that reason we filled your order with Black.

On Pipe threading, we quote you

3 in 15 c pr. thread.
4 in. 37½ c " "
5 in 47½ c " "

Trusting the above will be satisfactory, we remain,

Yours very truly
Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co
per. W.S. Coleman

The bids of Miller Sloss & Scott being the lowest, the Supt. was instructed to purchase same from them.

Messrs. Lynch and Stein appeared for the Market St. R.R.Co. relative to the moving of the Building of the P.&O.R.R Depot along the route to be used for as Waiting Rooms. The Depot building to be cut into three pieces, each section to be completed and moved to their respective location at the expense of the R.R.Co and by them presented to the G.G. Park

A communication was received from Prof. Jordan asking for on behalf of Capt. Collins of the U.S. Fish Commission for the loan of the series of California Fishes now in exhibition at the Museum for the coming Exhibit of the International Fisheries Exposition to be held this summer in Norway
Said request was granted

A communication was received from the Street Committee of the Board of Supervisors relative to allowing the Trolley and Electric Poles now standing on Oak and Stanyan Streets to be erected within the limits of Golden Gate Park.
The same was referred to Supt. McLaren to consult with the Attorney of the Board relative to the rights and power of the Commission in regards to same.

The lease of the Children's Quarters expiring on April 1st the same was renewed to Geo. H. Murphy for 5 years at a rental of $1000.- per. annum in accordance with the terms of the written lease as signed by the Commissioners
The painting of the Observatory on Strawberry Hill was referred to Supt. McLaren for to paint and put same in good condition

A communication was received from Mrs. Dormer asking for an opening to be made into the Park at Fell & Oak Sts.
Said request was denied there being a foot-path existing there

Bids for Lamps

The Report of Lamps was referred to Comr. Hall and Supt. McLaren with full power to act in the matter.

The following Bids for Lamps were received.

Bid of Ft. Wayne Electric Corporation

S.F. March 28/98

Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.
S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,

In compliance with your request and in accordance with our proposition of May 16th 1894 we beg leave to propose supplying you with 35- Wood, Standard double carbon 2000 c.p. series arc lamps, either rack or clutch feed, as you may select, for the sum of $1050.- delivered, and for each additional lamp the sum of $18. apiece These lamps are guaranteed against any defect of workmanship & material for one year from date of purchase, and any such defect developing will be remedied at our expense.
Trusting that we may be favored with your valued Contract we are,

Yours very truly
Ft. Wayne Electric Corporation
Pacific Coast Agency
Chas R. Floyd Agent.
per. Cartright

S.F. Apr. 3/98

J. McLaren. Esq. Supt. G.G. Park S.F. Cal.
Dear Sir

Replying to your verbal request, we beg to state that our proposition for lamps is complete including spark arresters and globes, also plain Coupling to attach lamp to pole provided by Commissioners. Trusting that this will

prove satisfactory, and awaiting your further commands, we are,

Yours very truly,
H. Wayne Electric Corporation
Pacific Coast Agency
Chas. R. Lloyd. Agent.
Per. Cartwright.

Bid of Dunham, Carrigan and Hayden Co.

S.F. March 17/98

Mr. Jno. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
S.F.

Dear Sir,

Referring to our conversation by phone yesterday we beg to say that we will furnish you with 60 Upton Arc lamps of the Open Arc Type, with Spark Arrester (which will prolong the life of the Carbon from 4 to 6 hours) complete with globe for $7.75 each.

We have made you prices before on the enclosed lamp, and at present cannot give you any further information regarding the same.

Trusting you will favor us with your orders,

We remain,

Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
Per. J.C. Medward.

S.F. March 24th 98

Mr. Jno. McLaren
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
City

Dear Sir,

Referring to our conversation regarding the Arc lamps for the Park beg to say that we cannot make any change in the prices named in our previous letter, which is $7.75 each for the Open Arc. You will notice that these lamps

are equipped with a Globe Cover & Spark arrester by which drafts of air are excluded from the Arc, thereby prolonging the life of the Carbon four to six hours, and made the lamp give a life equal to that of the double Carbon Arc Lamp. You will also note that the price includes the lamps complete with Globes and Spark Arrester ready to place in circuit. We are confident that the showing this lamp made will compare favorably with others as shown in the recent tests. Regarding the Enclosed Arc we do not think it would be possible for us to furnish those within the time you require them, as the factory have made but few, if any, of these for the 9 ampere current, and they would undoubtedly be delayed in furnishing the number you require in the time you would be obliged to have them. We trust however that you will favor us with the order for the Open Arc lamps

Yours very truly,
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden
Per. C. Medward.

Bid of General Electric Co.

S.F. Office 415 First St.
Mar. 25/98

Honorable Board of Park Commissioners
G. G. Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen,

I beg to quote you on Arc lamps such as you have operated and tested at your power Station as follows;-

110 Thomson Double Carbon Arc lamps, complete with Clear or opal globes, as you may desire $20.75 each
110 #1088 Hoods complete with head board and Cross bars (as shown in cut on page 149 of our Catalogue accompanying this letter $3.- each

Trusting that the test which you have made has been entirely satisfactory to you, and that we may be favored with your valuable

Order

I am.
Yours very truly
F. Fowden.
Supply Dept.

Bid of California Electrical Works

S.F. March 26. 1898

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.
City.

Gentlemen.

We herewith submit you a sketch of an arrangement for placing lamp on top of pole without a hood and wish to state that this arrangement would cost you the sum of $6.- per. lamp We think this is the only proper and substantial of supporting the lamp. We can however support the lamp without the above arrangement, and the cost would be the same to you, namely $6. per lamp But in supporting the lamp on top of pole without any outside frame a fixture it would be impossible to remove globe for cleaning, a of globe should break you would be obliged to take the lamp down to replace same, therefore we would not recommend same. We the lamp directly on top of the pole by fastening the bottom of lamp to the top of pole.

We can also furnish another arrangement for supporting the lamp with three rods in place of one, but we think this would not be very satisfactory. The arrangement which we show in sketch would hold the lamps perfectly rigid so that it would not swing in any way, and the globe would have no shake. We have also allow the globe to be raised or lowered, by which it can be taken off for cleaning or replacing same with new one.

We also furnish steel shields that will entirely do away with shadow from the cap of the lamp by using the outside supporting frame Of course, you understand that the side rods either inside or outside will cause a slight shadow, unless you use the radiator in place of the globe.

Hoping this will be satisfactory, we remain,

Yours Respectfully
California Electrical Wrks
Per. A. J. Meyers.

S.F. Mar. 28/98

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.
City

Gentlemen,

We take pleasure in submitting you herewith our proposition upon Arc lamps as follows,

We will furnish Western Electric Co's double carbon clutch feed arc lamps, delivered at Park Power House, for the sum of $21.00 each.

Clear glass globes for the above lamps at $.75 each.

Shadowless arc light radiators for the above lamps at $1.50 each.

We wish to state that the above lamps are of the weather proof type and can be used out doors without a hood or without any protection from weather whatever.

We have about 100 of these lamps in use for lighting Jointly; about 40 on Los Gatos, 150 with the West Side Ltg Co. of Los Angeles, about 200 with the Los Angeles Electric Lt. Co of Los Angeles, and about 30 at Redding Cal., and we would be pleased to have you communicate with any of these parties as regards the satisfaction the lamps are giving.

We would also refer you to the Boards of this City who have discontinued the use of their brush lamps and have put on Western Electric lamps in their place

Hoping that we may receive your favorable consideration, We remain,

Yours respectfully Cal. Electrical Wrks
Pr. A. J. Meyers

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 2/98 were present,

Comr. Jos. Austin. (in the chair)
" J Rosenfeld
" J M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Request for Concert

A communication was received from R. V. Watt on behalf of the Epwark League asking for an Orchestral Concert to be held on Saturday Apr. 23/98 The same was referred to Supt. McLaren to consult with Mr. E. P. Wining relative to same as the Commissioners favor granting the said Request, with power to act.

The Board then adjourned.

C C Block
Secty.

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 9th/98 were present

Comr. Jos. Austin (absent on account of sickness)
" J Rosenfeld.
" J M Scott

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Temporary Chairman

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld Comr. Scott took the Chair.

Supt's Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Police Report

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 19.97 .90 were examined and ordered paid

209	Salary warrants amounting to	$11,684.10
57	Material warrants " "	8238.80
		$19.97 .90

Insurance on Seed House

The Insurance on Seed House expiring this day Supt. McLaren was instructed to insure same with the same Company.

Seed for Flower Beds

The following bids were received for Seed and Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase same where he can get it best and cheapest.

Bid of New York Bulbing and Seeding Co.
N.Y. Apr. 13/98

Mr. John McLaren Supt. G. G. Park.
Dear Sir,
We beg to name you our best prices

on Water hose, and hope to receive your valued order.

"1846 Para"	1" 3ply	23¢ per ft. net.
	1 1/4" 3"	28¢ " "
	1" 4"	25¢ " "
	1 1/2" 4"	36¢ " "
"Double Diamond"	1" 3ply	17¢ per ft. net
	1 1/4" 3"	21¢ " "
	1" 4"	21¢ " "
	1 1/2" 4"	26¢ " "
"Carlin"	1" 3ply	13¢ " "
	1 1/4" 3"	15¢ " "
	1" 4"	15¢ " "
	1 1/2" 4"	18¢ " "
"Spider"	1" 3"	9¢ " "

Please note that the "1846 Para" is not carried in stock here in San Francisco We have never felt justified in carrying a stock of it, as its superior quality and seeming high price deters many consumers who are not willing to pay the price for the finest goods that can possibly be produced

Would you select any of the "1846 Para" we would ask that you allow us 60 days in which to make delivery but we promise you fresh stock direct from the factory should you conclude to wait

Kindly consider samples which you have at hand and advise us if you award us the Contract.

Thanking you for favors and esteem

We are very truly
Yours for Pelton Water Wheel Co
Chas Fountain Agts
S. F.

Bid of Bowers Rubber Co

S.F. Apr. 6/98

Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen;

Under another cover we are mailing you samples of hose, and quote net prices as follows;

	Sea Otter.	Seal Rock.
1" 4 ply per foot	.19	.16
1 1/4" 4" " "	.23	.20
1 1/2" 4" " "	.29	.24

Sea Otter brand is our best hose, and is the most durable that can be made from Cotton Duck and Rubber. It is the same that we have furnished to you in the past, and we feel very certain that its record will justify you in giving us your future orders

The cotton duck used in our goods is woven to special order at the Cotton Mills in East Oakland, all the rubber work is done in our San Francisco factory; Couplings are all made by San Francisco workmen, and our product is strictly a home industry.

It is a struggle for manufacturers to succeed on this Coast in competition with the large Eastern Mills, but we are able to produce as good a quality, and believe that our price is lower than that of Eastern manufacturers for the same grade of goods.

Hoping to be favored with your order.

We remain

Yours truly
Bowers Rubber Co.
W. H. Bowers
President

A communication was received from Mrs. E. Merritt, offering to sell the Electric Tower now at Suths Heights.

Re Electric Tower on Suths Heights

The Secretary was instructed to answer her that the Commissioners cannot make any use of the Tower for lighting purposes, it simply being an Ornament.

A communication was received from Mr. L. L. Chamnias, Lessee of the Boat House asking for a reduction in his rent on account of the stoppage of the Park and Ocean Rail Road Co. which is the principal route to the place. On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was agreed to allow him free rental for the month of April 1898.

Reduction of rent of Boat House

The following bid for Cases for the Museum was received from A. Wolf.

Apr. 22/98

Board of Park Commissioners.

Agree to make after designs and specifications two (2) Elevated Counters with glass cases like the same in Royal Families from Eastern Maple Shield, not painted in first class workmanship all glass to be the best French plate completed and erected here in Park Museum each for the sum of $115.

(Also two (2) cases in Oak each for the sum 110.

" two (2) " " Mahogany " " " 120.

(And one (1) Elevated Case with Slat Top frame Burglar proof for the sum of 155.

Bids for Cases for Museum

Upon motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott the bid was accepted.

A communication was received from Chas Langdon Sec. of the Board of Education asking for plans for the School Dept. The same was referred to Supt. McLaren to comply with his request as far as possible.

Re Electric Tower on Suths Heights

Loan of paintings

Relative to the loan of 29 Oil Paintings of the "Missions of California" to the Museum by Mrs. Dodd, Supt. McLaren was instructed to see that they be neatly framed.

Loan of paintings

Reduction of rent of Boat House

On motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott, Supt. McLaren was instructed not to employ an extra Engineer for the Electric lighting of the Park but that the Engineer now employed be allowed $25. a month additional in consideration that he fulfills all the duties required by the addition of the Electric lighting of the Park and that his wages be increased from Apr. 1/98

Extra Engineer

Re Erecting Electric Poles

Supt. McLaren to whom had been referred the matter Relative to allowing the Electric and Trolley Poles to be erected with the limits of Golden Gate Park along Stanyan Street reported that he had consulted the Attorney of the Board who had advised against granting the said permission.

Re Electric lighting

Committee on Electric lighting reports as follows. After giving the twelve different style of Arc lamps submitted a through test and after consulting with Engineer Hanscom the Contract for supplying the 40 arc lamps required was awarded to the N. Wayne Electric Co. at the price being $18. a piece.

Re Boulevard Bridge

Committee on Boulevard Bridge consisting of Comr. Scott and Supt McLaren report that the money for building said Bridge provided by the Market St. R.R Co. has been expended in accordance with vouchers filed in this Office.

Re removal of Depot

Committee on removing Depot Building of the P. C. R.R Co consisting of Comr Scott and Supt. McLaren report that the Building has been removed and cut into 5 stations instead of 3 as formerly suggested and that they have been located at the following points along the road

1 at 14th Ave and "H" St. 1 at 33rd Ave. 1 at 41st Ave. 1 near Bridge at Boulevard and 1 opposite Beach Chalet. And that the Market St. R.R.Co are now fitting them up at their own expense for the use of patrons of the Rd. and visitors to the Park. Your committee beg leave to further report that with the completion of converting this Road into an Electric Road they have succeeded in removing the tracks clear of the Boulevard which has been a source of annoyance & obstruction for so many years. Also moving their tracks and buildings and all occupation from Park grounds at the SE. corner of the Park thus cancelling and surrendering all rights obtained from the Bd of Park Comrs. and also Bd. of Supervisors Order 1736 Bd. of Supervisors passed Oct. 18. 1883 and endorsed at meeting of Board of Park Comrs. held Oct. 19. 1883 and in addition furnishing the money to build the Bridge and Archway at the S.W. Cor. of Park. and that the Secretary communicate to the R.R.Co the thanks of the Board for the work done.

Comrs. Scott and Supt. McLaren beg leave to report that they recommend the following work for the coming fiscal year.

1 Extension of Electric light system at west end of Park as originally contemplated when funds will justify them and the addition of a small incandescent Dynamo for the Museum, Park Lodge, Stables and such other buildings connected with the Park as require light. Also recommend that the contemplated chain of Lakes now in course of construction be completed and that an old fashioned Dutch wind Mill with stone Tower be erected for the purpose of pumping water to a Reservoir for the purpose of irrigation. Also recommend a careful examination and inquiry of the present Water supply with the view of increasing the capacity in the future to meet the constantly increasing area of grounds requiring irrigation.

Also the early completion of a substantial Grand Music Stand proportionate to the preparations made in Concert Valley combining with same a fire proof room for containing & storing Park Music this being the unfinished part of the scheme of Music Stand Concert Valley, Bicycle and Foot and Stone Bridge with its access to

the street cars at "9th Ave and "D" St. as originally contemplated and partially finished.

Also the completion of the Road connecting "1st" Ave with the North Ridge Road.

Also the early alteration of the Roof of the Museum Building by removing two-thirds of the glass of the old skylights and replacing it with a substantial roof at the same time substantially closing the openings that now exist admitting water and dust and also by a thorough system of ventilation.

Report of Museum

The Supt. of the Park makes the following Report on the Museum, that the Report of the Curator of the Museum with the Catalogue and plans of the different rooms be printed in pamphlet form. Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive bids for printing same with power to award Contract to lowest bidder.

Purchase Bay mare

Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase Bay mare for the sum of $250.- Such horse having been examined by the Veterinary Surgeon and two members of the Board and pronounced sound.

Secty was instructed that as soon as informed of the new Commission to invite them to meet the old Commission at a meeting to be called subsequently.

Report of Expert Accountant

Mr. W. Folger who was appointed Expert to examine the books and accounts of the Park Commission submitted the following Report and on motion of Comr. Rosenfeld seconded by Comr. Scott it was moved and passed that it be spread upon the minutes.

Report to The Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners on the facts and figures found in books of accounts kept at the Office of Golden Gate Park San Francisco

Gentlemen:

In my last report to you I brought my examination down to Dec. 31. 1896

In this report I commenced with entries made January 1. 1897 and followed the work down to April 1. 1898. a period of 15 months. I have been over the work very carefully and thoroughly All bills for Material are copied into a book called Construction and Maintenance by Material Voucher and bill from bill book into the book where segregation of amounts is made, charging each account with amount expended for it Compt

Then on the time book and checked each man's account from time book into the book where segregation is made of time employed for each department Found a signature against each name on time book as having received his pay.

Have you with this report an account showing the amount expended on Water Works showing what it has cost to irrigate lawns, walks and roads for 15 months and during one of the driest Winters known in San Francisco

Also show what it has cost to run the Stable

I have obtained a statement showing the number of horses kept each month I have

have your cost for each horse.

Also your cost of labor in Construction and Maintenance of Park for 15 months Also cost of

Material used in Construction and Maintenance from January 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898 and give you the grand total of $ 1 1 yrs. 466.45 as the entire cost of running Golden Gate Park from January 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898

Hand you inventories of 22 Stations at Golden Gate Park showing tools and material on hand at each place. I went to each camp and had lists verified.

June 1896, I was appointed by the Grand Jury of San Francisco to examine books of Golden Gate Park no one had before that time made examination I found the books at that time perfectly correct. Since then I have examined and reported on the books a number of times I have yet to find the first error

Miss A. L. Stack the thoroughly efficient Secretary, is very conscientious about her work and nothing in her department is neglected.

Mr. J. McLaren Superintendent has been so fully occupied that it has been impossible for him to give me much information. He has done the best he could.

Now Gentlemen! in conclusion I will say that as you retire from office, you can hand to your successors a clear report and an intelligible one of every department it is a thoroughly systematic; a rather systematized condition, showing efficiency in past management

Respectfully submitted
W. W. Folger
Accountant.

San Francisco
April 22. 1898.

Amount expended at Golden Gate Park for Material for Maintenance and Construction of Water Works.

1897 — Maintenance

Jany	No material used.	$185.40	
Feby	. . .	135.90	
Mar.	. . .	9.	
Apr.	. . .	87.53	
May	. . .	388.06	
June and July	. . .	492.80	
Aug	. . .	274.37	
Sept	. . .	443.13	
Oct.	. . .	287.39	
Nov.	. . .	118.74	
Dec.		113.06	
1898 Jany	. . .	131.08	
Feb.	. . .	185.66	
Mar.	. . .	632.97	$3,642.79

Construction

1897 Mar.	No material used.	$761.91	
Apr.		41.84	
May		141.66	
June and July		133.10	
Nov.		352.90	
Dec.		47.01	
1898 Jany		16.29	
Aug		14.17	1,908.88
			$5551.67

Amount expended in Water Works from Jany. 1. 1897 to Apr. 1. 1898

To Labor on Construction	$1,332.35
" " Maintenance	4,317.75
" Material	5,551.67
Total	$11,401.97

Note $11401.97 — the total cost of Material and Labor used in Construction and Maintenance and we have a cost of $720.13 for a period of 18 months which amount includes labor of sprinkling roads and repairs on Sand Dunes in addition to labor and maintenance of

Golden Gate Park roads by sprinkling, sprinkling and repairing Point Lobos and Buena Vista Park Roads are included.

D. N. Folger
Accountant.

Amount expended at Golden Gate Park for Material and Labor at Stables.

Material

Maintenance

1897 Jan.	No material amt. expended	$395.76	
Feby	. . .	456.47	
Mar.	. . .	470.17	
Apr.	. . .	369.37	
May	. . .	374.21	
June	. . .	214.77	
July	. . .	850.25	
Aug.	. . .	1,205.07	
Sept	. . .	1,903.62	
Oct.	. . .	200.31	
Dec.	. . .	364.80	
1898 Jany	. . .	236.50	
Feby	. . .	75.98	
Mar	. . .	411.35	$7728.43

Labor

Maintenance

1897 Jany	To Labor	$296.	
Feb.		303.	
Mar.		301.75	
Apr.		283.65	
May		311.	
June and July		299.	
Aug.		306.	
Sept		305	
Oct		258.50	
Nov.		201.	
Dec.		197.28	
1898 Jany		227.	
Feb.		240.30	
Mar.		241.	$3079.93

Material $7728.43
Labor 3079.93
$11,807.58

D. N. Folger Accountant $11,807.58

Disbursements at Golden Gate Park for Labor in Constructing & Maintaining the various departments as classified below from Jan. 1. 1897 to Apr. 1. 1898

Labor
Construction

Structures &	$1,243.75
Water Works	1,337.55
Drainage	319.90
Roads & Walks &	7,476.65
Grounds &	11,955.25
Forest Plantations &c	3,062.75
Electric Plant	1,819.55
Sundries	1,096.40
Stock & Implements &	198.
Small Works &	1,114.95
Museum	1445.65
Planting Trees Surveying	3008.50
	$26,603.40

Labor
Maintenance

Structures &	$3,053.78
Water Works	4577.75
Grounds	11.900.
Forest, Plantations &c.	11991.50
Conservatory	4457.65
Stock & Implements	5246.13
Nursery &	18,535.88
Roads & Walks &	8071.65
Stables	11.463.65
Museum	11,078.95
Cleaning Lots	61118.40
Office Exp	1870.30
Rent of Toll roads	595.75
Lookout	3365.45
Drainage	565.30
Salaries	796.11
1897	$124,145.98
	$150.749.38

Amount expended from Jan 1st to April 1st 1898 on Golden Gate Park for Labor in constructing & maintaining departments as shown above was $150.749.38

D. W. Volger Accountant

Amount expended for Material used in Construction & Maintenance at Golden Gate Park from Janu 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898.

Construction

1897			
Janu.	To all departments	$ 69 33. 67	
Feby	"	1998.94	
Mar.	"	3306.17	
Apr	"	2115.08	
May.	"	4145.08	
June & July	"	20,218.59	
Aug.	"	11.715.17	
Sept.	"	6170.57	
Oct.	"	11,541.17	
Nov.	"	3399.54	
Dec.	"	6,112.38	
1898			
Janu	"	7333.98	
Feb.	"	4145.65	
Mar	"	29 26.51	$91.016.15

Maintenance

1897			
Janu.	To all departments	$ 2,104.23	
Feby		1601.33	
March		1366.21	
April		1991.18	
May.		3093.10	
June		2178.29	
July & Aug		3194.39	
Sept.		3607.31	
Oct.		3147.05	
Nov.		1371.61	
Dec.		1364.90	
1898			
Janu.		1858.29	
Feby		1355.17	
March		1901.36	30.700.67
			$121.716.80

Amount expended from Janu. 1. 1897 to April 1. 1898 for Material in constructing & maintaining departments was $121.716.80

Total amount expended for all departments from Janu. 1. 1897 to Apr. 1. 1898

	$150.749.38
	121.716.80
Total	$272.466.18

D. W. Volger Accountant

Cost of Material and Labor in establishing Electric Plant at Golden Gate Park.

Labor Ac.

1897			
July 31	Cost of Labor for month	$139.60	
Aug.		300.90	
Sept. 30		118	
Oct.		90.	
"		171.	
Dec. 31		98.	
1898			
Jan.		40.10	
Feb. 28		142.25	
Mar. 31		1349.55	$2280.40

Material Ac.

1897			
Aug 31	Cost of Lumber, Lime, Paint, Oil & Sundries	$1184.72	
Sept 30	" " Tiles &c	162.50	
"	" " Lime	7.05	
"	" " Lumber & Cement	60.25	
Oct.	" " Cement	71.25	
"	" " 1st payment on Boiler	1850.	
"	" " " " Engine	3350.	
Nov. 30	" " material for Sidewalks	170.	
"	" " " Steps & Fences	73.	
"	" " Cement	71.25	
Dec. 31	" " 1st payment Dynamos	1700.	
1898			
Jan. 31	" " 2nd " Boiler	1850.	
"	" " Covers &c. of wells	4740	
Feb 28	" " 2nd payment Engine & Pump	1530	
"	" " " Dynamos	1733.	
"	" " Hardware	24.23	
"	" " Lumber	75.50	
"	" " Pipe	33.52	
Mar 31	" " Labor	6.	
"	" " Cement	78.75	
"	" " Sand	30.	
"	" " Electric Supplies	105.50	
"	" " Tiles &c	44.70	
"	" " Lumber	1546.46	$20336.98

Recapitulation

Boilers	$3700
Engine	11780.
Dynamos	3433.
Wire	1174.0.
Elec. Supplies	105.50
Lumber, Lime, Cement, Sundries	3,573.45
Labor.	2,280.40
	$22,617.35

S.F. Apr. 28/98

D. M. Dolger

Acct.

The figures in the foregoing Statement are all included in my Statement Showing Construction A/c as made up of Material used and Labor employed on Structures. This A/c is simply to set forth the cost of the Electric Plant by segregation from General Construction A/c.

One half of the wire has been stretched and one half the poles erected

An inventory of tools and material on hand at house of Electric Plant is now on file at Office of Golden Gate Park furnished by me

San Francisco.
April 28. 1898

Respectfully submitted
D. M. Dolger.
Accountant.

List of Tools on hand as scheduled on file at Park Office. April 28. 1898

C.C. Block 4

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge May 10/98 were present,

Comrs Austin Scott, Rosenfeld and Spreckels.

The following business was transacted,

Comr Rosenfeld introduced Mr. A. B. Spreckels as his successor he having been appointed by the Governor to fill the place of Comr. Rosenfeld whose term of Office had expired.
Comr. Austin tendered his resignation as Chairman of the Board, and on an unanimous vote Comr. Spreckels was elected President of the Board

On motion of Comr Scott seconded by Comr. Austin, Miss V. C. Stock, was re-appointed Secretary of the Board for the term. Carried unanimously.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. John McLaren was re appointed Superintendent of the Park for the term. Carried unanimously.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Mr. C. P. Wilcomb was re-appointed Curator of the Museum for the term Carried unanimously.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved

Comr Scott reported that the First Exhibit of the Museum which was loaned to the International Fisheries Exposition to be held this summer in Norway had been shipped as per instructions received

Report of C. P. Wilcomb, Curator of the Museum was received and ordered spread on the minutes

California Midwinter International Exposition
Memorial Museum, Golden Gate Park
San Francisco, Cal. April 30. 1898

To the Honorable
The Board of Park Commissioners for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.
Gentlemen;

During the past three years just ended, which marks the first three years of the life of the Park Museum, I have had the honor on numerous occasions to report to you on the growth and development of the institution; and your actions in the past having shown your desire to do what seemed best for its welfare and the fostering of the interest taken in its most phenomenal growth, as shown by the large and constantly increasing attendance of the public, I have less hesitancy in reporting to you now, at the beginning of our fourth year and express my views as to its further development and welfare

It is with a feeling of keen pleasure that I recall the great progress made during these last few years, and particularly the gratifying advance made within the last twelve months. It must be obvious to all that the creation of a public Museum in Golden Gate Park can no longer be looked upon as an experiment.
The accessions, both by donations and loans, have been extensive, and seem to yield, and perhaps to exceed in importance the additions of the first two years. The coming annual Report of the Curator, for the year ending June 30. 1898, will give a full and comprehensive account of all accessions, and which I need not touch at this time.
The Museum has been especially well patronized, the total attendance having been nearly a half million visitors.
The collections are all in excellent condition and the installation in nearly all departments has been considerably improved. A large number of

new display cases have been built and added to the different departments and many old ones changed about, which has enabled rearrangement of collections and brought the classification to a higher standard.

The steam heating system introduced during last summer has proved very satisfactory, when properly attended to, and has checked the danger of injury that threatened many valuable exhibits, by excess of moisture in different halls

The addition of the new building to be used for another picture gallery, has given room for the exhibition of many valuable paintings, both gifts and loans, and allowed of extensive rearrangement in the old gallery which had become overcrowded.

The Museum force although not so large as is really needed, is well organized, under perfect control and discipline, and attentive to its duties.

As there are many things needed in the way of additional furniture, alterations and improvements for the proper display and maintenance of the exhibition, I would respectfully present for your consideration the following suggestions.

New Building

First.- The first and most urgent need of the institution to which I have to call your attention, is the seemingly absolute necessity of another addition to the buildings. The present buildings can no longer furnish extra space for one department without taking it away from another.

The accessions to nearly all departments have been so extensive during the year that it is now impossible to arrange for space to properly display such material already accumulated. Say nothing about the rapidly increasing ratio of contributions. I hope the Commissioners may find it possible to adopt some plan whereby it will be arranged to soon enlarge the Museum again.

North American Indian Hall

Second. The department of the Museum has developed so rapidly, and no other has become so overcrowded

as the department of North American Indians. In order to relieve the crowded condition of this hall as well as to provide space for the installation of a mass of material that has accumulated during the past year, I would recommend that a gallery be constructed entirely around the walls over and above the wall-cases. As the walls are sufficiently high the scheme is practicable. Similar galleries could likewise be built in the "Oriental, General and Ceramic Halls." The walls in these halls are of the same height as those in the Indian Hall.

Additional exhibition space could also be gained for the Indian collections by substituting glass for wood in the doors of the counters supporting the wall-cases around the wall of this hall. I would urge that this rearrangement be considered, and the plan carried out without delay.

Jewel Hall

Third. Attention should be called to the necessity of safer exhibition halls for both the coin and jewel collections. The main hall of the Royal Bavarian Pavilion, which is utilized as the department of gems and jewels, is recognized as the weakest part of the entire museum, when in reality it ought to be the strongest and the best protected. The coin collection, also is exposed to great danger of robbery. As two attempts have been made in the past to break open the coin cases during exhibition hours, it has been deemed necessary to remove from exhibition all of the most valuable pieces, including some rare gold coins. These are now kept locked in the vault in the Office. It seems imperative that the jewels and coins should be installed in one room where they could be guarded by an Officer at all times while open to visitors, and safely locked up at night. In a former report I recommended that a suitable room be constructed expressly for a "Money and Jewel Room." The walls to be of good thickness and the windows protected by strong steel bars and only

one entrance & exit. the same through a regular steel lined vault to be locked safely at night. Some radical modification of the present arrangement seems very essential, but at present there is no hall in the Museum adapted for the purpose. As soon as another addition can be made to the building, a suitable & thoroughly burglar-proof repository, as referred to above should be built for such a department of "Monies & Jewels"

Fourth. Bronze Hall

By transfering the "gems & jewels" from the Pavilion to other quarters it will then be possible to create in the abandoned jewel hall a department of Bronzes which scheme has been discussed, more or less, in the past. It has never been possible to provide a suitable & appropriate room for the bronzes & they are now still, necessarily, scattered in different parts of the Museum. The famous 'Hoa Vase' it is intended to place as a central figure & group around it the other four small groups, representing the four elements, now occupying relative positions & which are at present exhibited outside of the main entrance to the Museum. In glass cases about the walls would be displayed the collections of smaller bronzes. I think this subject worthy your thoughtful attention.

Fifth Picture Galleries

In both picture galleries a system of movable roller shades for regulating the light, is considered very necessary to prevent possible damage to valuable paintings from excess of light on all sunshiny days

Sixth Numbers for Rooms & Cases

All display cases in the Museum require to be numbered to correspond with the numbers assigned them in the visitors guide, the various catalogues & inventories & including the card catalogue. While numbers are to be permanent as well as conspicuous, I would suggest that they be painted by an expert sign letterer. It is necessary

that this should be done immediately, before the guides are furnished to the public

Seventh Visitors Guide Book

Work on the "Guide Book" was commenced during the summer of 1897 & was about two thirds finished when operations were necessarily suspended at the end of September, on account of the discharge of five regular employes including the clerical force, by reason of lack of funds. But work has again been resumed & it is expected that the manuscript will be ready for the printers early in May if no further interruption occurs. In order that this work be done properly & without errors, it requires a vast amount of labor & care

Eight. Printing Outfit

A very necessary adjunct to the work of the Museum is a small printing outfit for printing our own labels. A press, the necessary type, furniture & cardboard & other stock would not exceed seventy-five dollars ($75.-) in cost.

Ninth. Telephone

On account of the distance between the Park Office & the Museum, telephonic communication would be a great convenience. It would also be a saving of car fares to various parts of the City. Other reasons for having a telephone in the Museum are obvious, & I would respectfully suggest that the matter be considered by the Commissioners

Tenth. Small Truck Cart

We greatly need a suitable vehicle, a small truck of two wheels with box attachment, the wheels with solid rubber tires, for many & various uses about the halls of the Museum. The truck we are now using consists of a piece of plank with castors for trucks, & this is not only entirely unsuitable for the requirements but is really dangerous, as it is uncontrollable when hauled by handle & frequently rolls against the furniture & exhibits. We have daily use for a truck in conveying exhibits from one department to another, & in removing

sweepings from the twenty-four halls, carrying the thirty or more cuspidors to be cleaned and returning same. Such tools as we need are to be had at the large hardware stores.

Eleventh Department Parcel Checking.

In order to make the system of checking such objects as are not allowed to be taken into the Museum more efficient, I have found it necessary to place some movable barrier between the two outer pillars in the Entrance hall. so that all persons entering will have to pass through the central passage, where the check boy is stationed. Other persons, I would like to recommend, should be stationed at the doors leading to the galleries, to prevent any visitor taking any articles into the galleries. The one now in use is a rude, widely gaping affair that is a disgrace to such an institution. My stools could be made of natural oak, and the expense would be slight.

Twelfth Janitors Room.

The room used by the janitors has practically no natural light as the room is used constantly during all hours of the day by the attendants, it has always been necessary to keep one gas jet burning nearly all the day through. I deem it proper that a window be put in this room as it will not only afford better light but will be a great saving of gas bills.

Thirteenth Gentlemens Retiring Room

Every visitor to the Museum is doubtless interested not a less in the subject of a retiring room and toilet. Discussion in regard to this matter has been so frequent as well as so recent that the necessity and need of such conveniences is well before you and I hesitate to again refer to the subject. With the exception of the new Cottage for ladies, near the Museum, the condition of affairs has remained unchanged during the past three years.

Inquiries are still made at the Office and of the attendants, many times daily, for "Gents Toilet" and at times bitter complaints are frequently made by some of our most prominent citizens I feel it is no more than my duty to again call your attention to the subject

Fourteenth Fire Protection.

To the purpose of minimising the danger from fire, as well as to save unnecessary expense, I recommend that the use of gas and coal oil be entirely dispensed with, and that no fire excepting electric lights and lanterns be allowed in the buildings

As it is considered necessary to keep lights burning all night in the "Jewel Hall" and "Statuary Hall" and one for the night watchman. It would be well to substitute large ships lanterns, burning non-explosive oil. I think this plan would be fully as satisfactory in all ways, and would be a saving of the heavy gas bills

It again seems eminently proper for me to emphasize the extreme necessity for more adequate service for protecting the institution from fire. In former repots, I have touched upon this subject, but no improvement in the condition of affairs has been made in any degree, during the last three years

I will again recommend that four more hydrants, with 75 foot lengths of cotton hose attached, be furnished for the interior of rear halls. and also two regulation fire plugs be placed near the front and rear of the buildings outside, and if possible a fire alarm box at the main entrance. It must be remembered that the Museum is a long distance from any fire alarm box at present. And that there is no conveniences in the way of supplying water to the Engines in event of conflagrations

Fifteenth Old Building

No repairs have been made to the exterior of the buildings during the year. Some of the staff and stucco work of the cornices and columns in front of the "Royal Pavilion" has become loosened and is falling off. The group of figures surmounting the roof of the latter building is also in very bad condition, and in need of repairs. I recommend that the staff and all plaster work be restored before the next wet season. The frieze and sphinxes in front of the Pavilion

also need painting.

Sixteenth Roof. Repairs

It has been found that objects in the department of Natural History are fading in color, and otherwise suffering in consequence of the light from the glass roof being too strong. To remedy this evil it has been proposed to replace about two-thirds of the glass around the lower sides and ends with slats of steel roofing laid upon the iron rafters. This suggestion is apparently the best course to pursue.

The leakage of the glass roof in question has caused much annoyance and no small amount of injury to exhibits and furniture. The entire roof should be put in first class condition before the next rainy season.

Seventeenth. Coal Bins

During the past winter much trouble and inconvenience resulted from the necessity of keeping the coal, used for the heating system, by day in the sand outside and some distance away from the boiler. I would suggest that before the damp season again commences an underground coal bin be made at the side nearest the furnace and leading thereto, and a suitable hole or top for the reception of the coal.

Eighteenth. Display Cases.

A large number of new exhibition cases are again greatly needed in several departments. The following is a list showing for what purpose and for what departments they are needed.

I. Jesup Hall. 1 for large Sioux case, now exposed
1 for Dinoceras and porcelain Case Sioux IV
1 for the valuable Mosaic table, now exposed
1 for Mosaic pictures and
1 for inlaid swords and daggers

II. Jesup Room. 1 for reproductions of gold cups etc
1 for collection of jewel caskets

III. Egyptian Hall. 1 for reproductions of ancient
Pottery. 1 for ancient pottery

IV. Mineral Hall. - 6 for the large specimens which are now scattered about on the floor and exposed to dust and injury. and 1 for models of famous gold nuggets.

V. Arms Hall. - 1 case for protecting the suits of armor

VI. Produce Room. - 1 for collection of cereals and nuts.

VII. Oriental Hall. - 2 for miscellaneous japanese objects

VIII. Department of Natural History.
6 for collection of California food fishes.
6 . . . land and marine shells.
6 . . . birds eggs.
1 " large stuffed birds and
1 " Japanese deer, mounted.

IX. Colonial Room. - 1 for Antiquities from New England.

Nineteenth. Library.

While the present financial condition of the Museum exists, it cannot reasonably be expected that any large collection of scientific works can be purchased. However, a few more special volumes that are much needed in carrying on the work of identification and classification it would seem possible to have. Also a few publications such as certain magazines and journals devoted to Museum subjects would be of great use, and not only of value for our present work but to file in the library for future reference.

Twentieth Damage.

The earthquake of Wednesday night March 30 caused considerable damage to the building and to exhibits. Of the latter the loss is estimated at nearly fifty dollars.

A detailed repot of the disturbance to building and contents was made under date April 2. 1898. Of the injured exhibits there are about a dozen articles principally ceramics, that can be restored to good condition. The expense would be about twenty dollars and I would recommend that it. work be done as soon as possible.

Twenty First. Clerk and Recorder.

I would most respectfully express upon the

Park Commissioners the necessity of having a permanent clerk to assist me in writing, reading and general clerical work, especially in the matter of proper and systematic cataloguing, numbering and labelling and recording the collections as they accumulate.

I desire to state that the Museum has a correct and complete record of all articles, both properties and loans, that are in the collections, but yet that record is only a simple and general catalogue or register. Such a system of record doubtless would suffice for a small institution but the rapid and continuous growth of this Museum in numerical exhibits and the necessary segregation into a large number of departments makes a more complex system of registration and cataloguing absolutely necessary.

The more modern and the most approved system in vogue in all the more important institutions of the east, is very essential to a constantly growing institution, but to carry it on requires a great deal of time and labor. And as much of such work is concealed from the general public or rather is not apparent to the masses or even the more critical observer, I fear the importance of the thing is not appreciated.

Considerable work in this line has been started in the last year, but without constant assistance in copying it has been impossible to make any marked advance. This work cannot be done spasmodically as it requires the constant care and attention of one or more persons each day, to prevent confusion. If allowed to fall into arrear the more help it will require and the more difficult it will be to catch up and keep the work straight in its transits.

There are in the different departments, upwards of forty thousand articles, counting every specimen, the accumulations of only three years. This should all be systematically card catalogued with cross references, in order to make the material available

for scientific research, and to keep abreast of the times and up to date in records. To work up all of this mass of material, it must be apparent to the Commissioners that there will be several months writing necessary, and the curator cannot possibly do it all with his many other duties.

With one permanent clerk this work could be carried on without interruption and brought up to date. It then would doubtless be an easy matter, comparatively to handle the new additions as they come in from day to day, and thus keep the records and cataloguing always up to date and in pace with other institutions.

The Commissioners during the year, thoughtfully and most kindly furnished a splendid hard wood cabinet, with the necessary cards to adopt the system and catalogue 40,000 articles, but without clerical assistance I have been able to only catalogue the collections that have been donated.

Realizing the prime necessity of carrying on the work above described I consider a permanent clerk a necessity. Either lady a gentleman would be satisfactory, no doubt, but from a pecuniary point of view I would recommend that a lady be engaged. The expense of a lady would be at least one half what would be necessary to pay a gentleman. If the lady could operate a typewriting machine and do plain and neat handwriting she would fill all requirements and perhaps would apply herself to this particular kind of work more steadily than a man.

Conclusion.

In conclusion I wish to say that in preparing this imperfect survey of the field of the Museum work for the past ten months, many points of interest and importance have been passed by that will be presented in the annual report at the close of the municipal year ending June 30, 1898.

Thanking you all for the great courtesy and

liberal treatment accorded me in my administration of the affairs of this institution

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your dutiful and grateful servant
C. P. Wilcomb.
Curator

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held May 9th/98 - were present.

Comr. A. B. Spreckels (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin
" D. M. Scott.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved, and ordered placed on file.

Warrants Warrants to the amount of $ 13,094.67 were examined and ordered paid

187 Labor Warrants amounting to $ 10,461.65
38 Material " " 1633.02
$ 13,094.67

The following bids for Hose were received.

Goodyear Rubber Co.

S. F. May 13/98

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
City

Gentlemen:

We hand you herewith, as per your request, a sample of our 1½" 5 ply hose, the same as furnished you last year. This hose is made with 6 ply capped ends, and we will guarantee it to give you the best of service. We can make a price on this hose of 28c per foot net. Hoping we may receive your order, we are,

Yours very truly
Goodyear Rubber Co. per Eaton

Graham Rubber Co.

Amazon Brand - 1½" hose 4 ply with capped ends per ft. 24½c
1" " " " " 20c

Revere Rubber Co.

S.F. Apr. 23/98

Mr. John McLaren
Supt Golden Gate Park
City

Dear Sir,

We have sent to you for your examination one length each of our 1" 4ply and 1½" 4ply Granite Water Hose. This is the best quality of water hose which we manufacture and on which we will give you a one years guarantee, stipulating to replace any hose which may prove defective in that period from any fault of workmanship or material.

On the 1" we quote you price of $21.- per hundred feet complete with any couplings which you may desire us to put on. On the 1½" we will quote you $28. per hundred feet complete as you may desire. As stated above, this is the best quality of water hose which we manufacture. We have several cheaper grades on which we will be pleased to submit figures if you so desire.

Trusting we may be favored with your Orders we are

Yours very truly
Revere Rubber Co
J. H. M. Morris Mgr.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the bid of the Revere Rubber Co being the lowest the Superintendent was instructed to purchase same from them.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. of the Park was instructed to notify

the proper officers of the troops stationed near the Park that there will be no more drilling in the Park, as numerous complaints have been lodged against allowing same on account of accidents.

Horse & Turtles

A communication was received from Dr. Behr offering for sale a pair of Turtles for $300.- The same was referred to Supt. McLaren, and for him to report on same at next Meeting.

To dispose of Elk.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to dispose of 3 Elk for $150.- Also 3 Buffalores for $250.- each

Stuffed dog donated

A communication was received from Mr. H. Vernon tendering to the Museum a stuffed dog. Same was accepted, and the Secty instructed to notify him of same

Troops in the Park

A communication was received from A.A. Cahill relative to allowing the troops to camp in the Park. There being no address to the letter, the Secretary was unable to answer him

Trolley Poles

Mr. N. Lynch, representing the Market St. Railway Co. appeared before the Board relative to allowing the Trolley Poles to be erected within the limits of Golden Gate Park along Stanyan St. After viewing same, the Commissioners decided not to grant the said request.

Electric Lighting

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin the Supt. was instructed to continue the Electric Light System to the Beach and also to improve the various approaches to the different Depots.

Hay Grain Coal & Loam

On motion of Comr. Scott seconded by Comr. Austin Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids for Hay and Grain. Coal and Loam.

The Board then adjourned.

W.W. Block
Secty

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comis. held June 7/98 were present;

Comr. A. B. Spreckels. (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Resignation Accepted

The resignation of Irving M. Scott as Park Commissioner, under date of May 21/98 be accepted.

Lease to Boat House

The lease of the "Boat House" was renewed to Mr. L.J. Chamis, the present lessee, for the term of one year from June 1/98 at a rental of $300.- per annum payable monthly

A Communication was received from Mrs. McFarland relative to procuring a collection of Fish for the Park. The Secretary was instructed to notify her that the Commissioners would not accept the offer.

In regard to the Storage Battery for lighting Museum the Commissioners decided to take no action in the matter.

On motion of Comr. Austin the entire management & control of Spud Rock was left to Comr Spreckels

The application of E. Vogelsinger for permission to have a bell in Spud Road was denied.

On motion of Comr. Austin it was agreed to build a Shed at the end of the Spud Road to accomodate about fifteen buggies

Amendment to Bicycle Ordinance

The following Amendment to the Bicycle Ordinance passed Dec. 7/94, was considered and adopted and the same was ordered to be published in the "Daily Report" for 10 days Sundays excepted

Ordinance No. 17 passed Dec 7. 1894

Sec. 1. Bicycles, tricycles, velocipedes and vehicles of similar character may be ridden or driven over any and all the driveways in Golden Gate Park and on and over the Boulevard or Great Highway, except the driveway around Stow Lake and the driveway leading up Strawberry Hill and the carriage concourse adjacent to the concert Station and the Speed. Road, and the Main Drive when paralleled by the Bicycle Road.

The exclusion from the Carriage Concourse aforesaid is limited to the afternoons of days when there is music at the established concert Station

Sec. 2. All persons are prohibited from riding or driving any bicycle, tricycle or velocipede, over any of the lawns or footpaths in Golden Gate Park, except said vehicles may be led over the Short walk leading from the Page Street Entrance to the South Drive, and also over the walk leading from the corner of Fulton and Stanyan streets to the North Ridge Road.

Sec. 3 Not more than two bicycles, tricycles or velocipedes going in the same direction at the same rate of speed shall be ridden abreast.

Sec. 4 All vehicles named in this Ordinance must be driven in a straightaway course as nearly as possible, and must not turn or be driven crosswise, cutting to and fro. Wheelmen must conform to the customary rules of the Road. In meeting a vehicle going in the opposite direction they must pass on the right hand side

In passing a vehicle going in the same direction they must pass on the left hand side.

Sec.5. Wheelmen may ride their machines on the walk running along the South side of the Speed Track. Also on the walk commencing at or near Thirty-fifth Avenue, if extended on the north drive and terminating at about Forty-Eight Ave., if extended.

Sec.6 On days on which music is played in Concert Valley the Speed of bicycles on Main Drive between Flagstaffs and Sixth Avenue, shall be limited to six miles per hour.

Sec.7 All persons are prohibited from riding pushing or driving any bicycle, bicycle or similar vehicle along the main drive where the bicycle path parallels said Drive.

Sec.8 All persons are prohibited from travelling on the Road known as the bicycle path except they be riding or leading a bicycle tricycle or similar vehicle.

Sec.9 All persons are prohibited from riding or driving any bicycle or similar vehicle at a greater rate of speed than 10 miles per hour or 1 mile in six minutes.

Any person who shall violate any of the provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be punished by a fine of not less than five dollars nor more than five hundred dollars, or by imprisonment in the County Jail for not less than five days nor more than six months.

The Board then adjourned.

V.O.Block Secty.

Special Meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held June 16/98 were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels (in the Chair)
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted.

Concerts

A communication was received from D. C. Coggin relative to having a Concert on July 11/98 Said request was granted. Also to perform a Military piece on July 4/98 Said request was denied.

Ambulance

A communication was received from Dr. M. M. Wymore asking permission of the Board if the Ambulance people in the Park could keep an Eagle, all expense to be paid by them. Said request was granted.

The following Bids for Coal were received

Bid of Chas. R. Allen.

San Francisco, Cal. June 15. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen,

In answer to yours of the 15th regarding prices on 200 Tons Average Steam Coal for Pumping Station, 25 Tons Pennsylvania Egg Conservatory and 25 Tons Clean House Coal for Lodge. I beg to quote the following

Average Nanaimo	$7.70	delivered at Pump.
Clean "	8.45	" " Lodge.
Clean Scrn. Egg	10.95	" " Conservatory.

above prices quoted on 2240 lbs. to the ton and the coal is the same as we have been supplying during the last few years.

Yours Truly
Chas. R. Allen

Bid of J.C. Wilson & Co

San Francisco June 14/98

To the Honorable
The Board of Park Commissioners
City

Gentlemen,

In reply to your communication of the 14th inst. we beg to state that we will deliver Two Hundred (200) Tons Co-operative Wallsend Coal to Pumping Station at $7.75. Twenty-five (25) Tons Pennsylvania Egg & Conservatory at $16.50 Twenty five (25) Tons Rosenfeld's Wellington to Sodge at $8.75, tons of 2240 lbs. delivered as required.

Yours truly
J.C. Wilson & Co

Bid of R Dunsmuir's Sons Co

San Francisco June 15/98

Hon Board of Commissioners
of Golden Gate Park City

Gentlemen,

Referring to your favor of the 14th inst, we can quote you Coal as under.

200 tons Steam Comox Coal @ $7.75
25 " Tons Co-op " " 11.
25 " Wellington for House " 11.
per ton of 2240 pounds delivered at the Park.

Very Respectfully
R Dunsmuir's Sons Co
Jr. Edward Cox

The bid of Chas Collins being the lowest the Supt was instructed to purchase same from him

Bids for Feed Hay and Grain

Lauriester Mills

San Francisco. June 7. 1898

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen,

Yours of the 11th inst,

relative to price of Feed is at hand.
My prices to-day are as follows at the Mill.
Rolled Barley $25.50 per ton
" Oats 30.- " "
No. 1 Feed Oats 1.45 " 100 lbs.
In your communication you fail to mention the quantity & the time for delivery of the Feed. Should you desire prices on feed for one year or for any given period of time my bid would be made accordingly
The prices mentioned above are for present delivery. Should you require any change, I would be pleased to quote you prices.
Awaiting your further pleasure
I remain.
Truly Yours
C. F. Lauriester

Bid of Somers & Co

San Francisco June 14. 1898

To the Honorable Board of Golden Gate Park Comis.

Gentlemen,

In response to your communication of the 14th inst, we beg to submit our figures for the various kinds of hay delivered free of charge at the Park Stables, in car-load lots.

Choice wheat hay	$21.75	per ton
Choice alf. & oat	21.75	" "
Choice oat	22.50	" "
Choice Alfalfa	16.50	" "

Respectfully submitted
Somers & Co

Bid of Jolo Mills

San Francisco. June 14. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Gentlemen Hayes St., City

Dear Sirs,

In answer to your favor of the 14th we submit to you the following prices, at our Mill 120 Mission St.-
Rolled Oats. $29.50 per ton

Rolled Barley 1.25 per ton
1st class feed oats 1.10 p. 100
Trusting that these prices will enable you to award us at least part of your necessary supply, we remain

Yours Respectfully
Heinz & Plagemann

Del Monte Milling Co

San Francisco June 14. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City

Gentlemen,

In accordance with your call for Bids under date of June 11th to be submitted on or before Wednesday, June 15th we beg to quote you as follows;

Rolled Feed Oats $1.40 p. ton at the Mill, 3rd & Berry Shannon.
" Barley 25. " " " " "
" Feed Oats 28. " " " " "

Trusting to receive your orders, which will have our best attention, We are,

Yours Respectfully
Del Monte Milling Co
T. L. Parsons. Pres

Lenny-Talmo Milling Co

San Francisco June 6/98

Board of Park Commissioners.
City.

Gentlemen,

We can furnish you at our Mill for immediate delivery as follows

Feed Test Oats 1.25 p. 100 lbs
Rolled Oats (Feed) 1.30 } Net Cash
Rolled Barley 1.30 }

Yours &c
Lenny, Talmo M Co

Bid of E. Aigeltinger

San Francisco June 13. 1898

To the Hon.
The Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen,

In reply to your letter as regards of price of Hay my Bid is. I will deliver in Car load Lots as you desire it as follows,

Choice Wheat Hay	@	$21.-
" " Wheat & Oat.		20.75
" "		19.75
" Timothy		21.50
" Alfalfa		20.

Hoping to hear from you
I Remain,
Yours Respectfully
E. Aigeltinger

Bid of H. Dutard.

San Francisco June 11 1898

Park Commissioners
Fell and Stanyan Sts. City.

Gentlemen;

In reply to your letter of June 4th I will say that I will sell you first quality of oats on the Sea wall at $1.37½. I do not handle rolled oats or rolled barley. This quotation on oats is for an ordinary quantity. that is to say not over 30 tons. subject to immediate acceptance.

Yours truly
H. Dutard.

Bid of Scott and Magner

San Francisco June 11. 1898

Board of Park Comis.
Golden Gate Park.

Dear Sirs;

Replying to your invitation for Bids on Hay and Grain, we are pleased to submit your

as follows viz-

Grain.

We will deliver your teams in the City at once.
No.1 Rolled Oats at $1.45 p. Bbl.
No.1 " Barley " 24.50 " Ton
No.1 Oats at 1.35 pr. Bbl.

Hay

We will deliver to your Stables at once,
Such quality of choice old crop Wheat and Wheat and Oat Hay, as you use, and subject to your selection at $13- per Ton. No.1 New Wheat & Wheat & Oat Hay at $10- per Ton. No.1 Alfalfa Hay at $15- pr. Ton No.1 Oat Hay at $21.50 per Ton.
We further submit;- We will contract to furnish you with all your Wheat Hay for one year from July 1st. 1898 at $12.75 per ton. (This is the figure at which we have just contracted with the City.

Faithfully
Scott and Magner.

The bid of J. E. Applebinga for Hay being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him and the bid of Scott and Magner for Grain being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

Bids for Loam.

Bid of E. Kenny
276 Main St
S.F. June 15/98

A bid for hauling loam in Golden Gate Park proper a load 10,000 yards more or less West of Strawberry Hill for the pr. cu. yd.
E. Kenny

Bid of J.R. Blanchard
Board of Park Comrs. Mrs Park S.F.
S.F. June 15/98

Gentlemen: In compliance with your request of

June 4. 1898 I am pleased to submit bid for 10,000 cu. yds. more or less of first quality Black loam delivered at certain places in Golden Gate Park, West of Strawberry Hill as may be designated by you. Sum, 78 cents per cubic yard, as pr. sample.

Respy. submitted.
J.R. Blanchard.

1st Bid of P. Broderick No. 9 Heyman Avenue.
San Francisco June 14. 1898

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners.

Will deliver 10,000 cubic yards of loam to comply with your communication of June 1st 1898 herewith attached for the following price per cubic yd. (930)

2nd Bid of P. Broderick

San Francisco June 14. 1898

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners;

Gentlemen; I will furnish 50,000 cubic yards of first class loam and lay 5 miles of Track 2 miles on Boulevard and one mile in Park for (65¢) per cu. yd. It is also understood that Park Commissioners will furnish Track material and do grading for Track in Park I am to furnish labor for track laying only. It is further agreed that I will distribute loam through hills where ever needed a distance of 300 ft. on either or both sides of Tracks Said Commissioners to make arrangements with Rail Road Company in carrying out the above proposition
P. Broderick Contractor

Bid of O. McHugh.

S.F. June 14. 1898

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen; I will furnish the very best quality of Black loam and deliver it west of Strawberry Hill for the sum of seventy five cents per cubic yd. and will guarantee entire Satisfaction
Respectfully. O. McHugh. 4 Fair Oaks St.

Bid of Buckman Contracting Co

S.F. June 15. 1898

To the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners

Gentlemen;

We will furnish and deliver ten thousand yards, more or less of good loam at such points as are designated by your Superintendent Mr. McLaren at the rate of 76cts per cu. yd.

Respectfully
Buckman Contracting Co.
A.E. Buckman.
Pres

Bid of California Construction Co

S.F. June 14. 1898

To the Honble Park Commissioners
of Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen;

The undersigned propose and agree to furnish and deliver in Golden Gate Park Four Thousand (4,000) yards of loam (more or less) at the rate of Seventy-nine cents (79) per cubic yard

California Construction Co
per Francis

Bid of W.L. Stevens

S.F. June 15th 1898

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
Gentlemen

The undersigned proposes and agrees to deliver loam in Golden Gate Park as directed by the Superintendent Mr. Jno. McLaren at One Dollar & Fifteen Cents ($1.15) per cubic yard.

Respectfully
Wm L Stevens
#11 Post St.

Bid of John Tuttle.

S.F. June 15. 1898

Mr. John McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park

Dear Sir,

In accordance with your proposal, I propose to deliver loam in the Park for One & 85/100 Dollars ($1.85) per load of two cubic yard to the load.

Respectfully submitted.
John Tuttle

Bid of E.F. Dennison.

S.F. June 14. 1898

Messrs Park Commissioners

I the undersigned agree to deliver Good black loam in Golden Gate Park for Seventy (70) cts pr. cu. yard to the Satisfaction of Mr. McLaren

Yours Respectfully
E.F. Dennison

The bids of E Dennison & E. Kenny being the lowest the Supt. was instructed to see if the loam be of good quality and if there be no trouble from the parties supplying them first same, previous to entering into Contract with said parties.

Bids for Printing Museum Catalogues

Henton Printing Co.

S.F. June 15. 1898

To the Board of Park Commissioners.

We will print 1000 Copies of Catalogue (including cuts & diagrams) for the Sum of Two Hundred and Fifteen Dollars Cloth Binding 50 cents per Copy Extra.

Henton Printing Co
W. M. Henton Jr.

Bid of Walter N. Brunt.

S.B. June 14. 1898

V.C. Block Esq.
Secy. Board of Park Commissioners.

Sir.

We will make the 18 cuts as pr. drawings on sheets and in book and furnish 1000 Copies of Catalogue size and quality of Annual Report but of sufficient pages to take in matter as per Copy. $282.50
Work can be started immediately and as we are accustomed to Zincograph work we can furnish a first class job.

Yours Respectfully
Walter N Brunt
pr. A.S.B.

Bid of M.J. Crocker & Co.

S.B. June 13. 1898

Board of Park Commissioners
Gentlemen;

Our bid for printing 1000 copies of the Catalogue of the Museum and Plan of the Halls per copy submitted to our inspection, quality and size of paper to be used in Annual Park Report $325.-

Very Respectfully
M.J. Crocker Co
Pressmans.

J Healy

My dear Mr Sears

My partner has advised me not to put in any bid on your Catalogue. We are not prepared to do justice so will wait until we are ready to do work which will be more convenient.

Yours Gratefully
J Healy

The Bid of the Boston Printing Co. being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

The Board then adjourned

V.C. Block Secty

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held June 15/98 were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" J. Austin.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meetings were read and approved.

Supt Reports

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and ordered filed.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $19,538.69 were examined and ordered paid

777	Labor warrants amounting to	$12,348.55
67	Material " " "	7190.14
		$19,538.69

Supt Reports

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

A communication was received from E Dennison stating that he would be unable to procure and furnish Loam to the Park.

Comr Austin moved and it was duly seconded by Comr. Spreckels that when any party could deliver Loam of good quality at Contract price that being 1/2c pr. cu. yard, the same should be accepted.

The Board then adjourned. V.C. Block Secty

Meeting At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held July 27/98. at Park Lodge, were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved,

Warrants The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Warrants Warrants to the amount of $ 13,1147.70 were examined and ordered paid

28 Labor warrants amounting to $ 13,163.85
3 Material " " " 283.85
$13,1147.70

A communication was received from A.C. Robison offering $100. for 3 Elk; and $600.- for 3 Buffalo. The same was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act.

A communication was received from A. L. Webber, of Santa Monica, offering an Alligator for sale Secty. instructed to notify him that the Comrs. did not care to purchase same.-

The Secty was instructed to tender a letter of thanks to the Tubbs Cordage Co for a donation of rope and also to the Kentucky Carriage Co. for a donation of harness locks to be used in the Stags on the Speed Road

The Board then adjourned

O.O. Block
Secty.

Meeting At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Aug 26/98 were present,

Comr. A. B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved,

Warrants Warrants to the amount of $ 12,237.28 were examined and ordered paid.

24 Labor warrants amounting to $ 12,225.63
1 Material " " 11.65
$12,237.28

Supt. Repts The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt. Repts The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed

A communication was received from Kane & Daly offering to sell a Horse to the Park. The Secty was instructed to notify them that no more Horses were required at present

Supt. McLaren was authorized to have photographs taken of the Centrifugal Sand pump and other pumps, also of the construction now in progress at the Pumping Station. Also of the Sheet piling and other apparatus used in the extension of the Water works System.

On motion of Comr. Austin seconded by Comr Spreckels the Supt. was instructed to have designs submitted for Gate Posts to be erected at Park Entrance on 6th Ave.- Also for designs for a New Music Stand.

A communication was received from the Pacific Coast Telephone Construction Co. which was referred to Supt. McLaren

Supt. McLaren was instructed to purchase Prof. Sargent's work entitled "Sylva of America"

Supt. McLaren was instructed to commence work on the Gentlemen's Toilet to be constructed in Concert Valley

The Board then adjourned.

V V Block
Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Sept. 23/98, were present;

Comr. A B. Spreckels (in the chair.
" Jos. Austin.

The following business was transacted;

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $ 17.086.00 were examined and ordered paid.

210 Labor warrants amounting to $17,063.76
1 Material warrant " 22.30
$17,086.01

The monthly Repot of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Architect Edw. R. Swain submitted plans for a new Band Stand and for Gate Posts. Said plans were laid over until next meeting when other plans will be submitted

The Board then adjourned.

V V Block.
Secty.

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 17/98 were present;

Comr. A.B. Spreckels in the Chair
" F.W. Zeile.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Orders

After a general discussion relative to present needs and future improvements of the Park, the Board then adjourned.

The Board then adjourned

O'Block
Secty.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Saturday Nov. 26/98 were present;

Comr. A.B. Spreckels
" F.W. Zeile.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $66,176.43 were examined and ordered paid. being for Months of Oct. and Nov. /98

481	Labor warrants.	$26,668.80
156	Material "	39,507.63
		$66,176.43

Communication

A communication was received from A.N. Lockhart for permission to erect a small water wheel at Huntington Falls. Said Request was denied.

The following Bids for Pipe were received, and Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co., being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

Bid of Dunham Carrigan & Hayden Co.

S.F. Nov. 7 1898.

J.W. McLaren Esq
Supt. Golden Gate Park. S.F.

Dear Sir;-

In response to your request for prices on Pipe, we quote you as follows;-

1000 ft. or less	1½ in. galvanized	11½¢ p. ft.
1000 " "	2 "	15½ " "
1000 " "	3 "	29½ " "

These prices are for immediately delivery at the Park
For shipment from Mill we quote you.-

1 to 5000 ft. of	1½ in. galvanized pipe	8 5/10¢ p. ft
1 to 5000 "	2 "	10 9/10 " "
1 to 5000 "	3 "	23 " "

delivered at the Park. Terms net sixty days. 2% discount for Cash 30 days.

Yours Very truly
Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co
per Thos. M. Brooks

Bid of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson.

S.F. Nov. 7. 98

Mr. J. McLaren Supt.
G.G.Park. S.F. Cal.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of the 5th. inst. we are pleased to quote you the following prices on Galvanized Iron pipe

	1000 ft. each.	5000 ft. each
1"	11 1/2 ¢	10.35
1/2"	15 1/2 ¢	14 ¢
3"	29 1/2 ¢	27 ¢

Cartage $1.25 per ton.

Weight per foot:- 1". 2". 3".
3.68 5.61 7.54 lbs.

All prices are subject to change without notice
Hoping to be favored with your Order, we remain
Yours Respectfully
Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson.
per Geo P. Ayers

Bid of Miller, Sloss & Scott.

S.F. Nov. 10/98

Mr. J. McLaren
G.G. Park S.F.

Dear Sir,

We are pleased to quote you the following prices

5000 ft.	3" galvanized Pipe	$27
	2" " "	14
	1 1/2 " "	10.35
1000 ft. of same	3" " "	29.50
	2" " "	15.25
	1 1/2 " "	11.25

These prices are at our warehouse less 5% for

or cartage at the rate of 50 cts pr. ton
Hoping that you will favor us with the above order, we remain
Yours Very Truly
Miller, Sloss & Scott.
per Pray

Bid of Jas. A. Snook & Co.

S.F. Nov. 10/98

J.McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park
Dear Sir,

We quote you the following

1000 ft.	1 1/2"	galv. pipe at	11.20
1000 "	2"	" " "	15.20
1000 "	3"	" " "	29.40
5000 "	1 1/2"	" " "	10.50
5000 "	2"	" " "	13.90
5000 "	3"	" " "	27.75

Very Resp.t.
Jas. A Snook & Co
R.

Bid of C. Frolich

S. F. Nov. 9/98

Jm McLaren.
Supt. G.G.Park. S.F.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your valued inquiry of the 5th inst, I would be pleased to sell you from 2,000 to 5,000 ft each size of galvanized pipe as follows,

1 1/2" at 10.35 ¢ pr. ft.
2" " 14 ¢ " "
3" " 27 ¢ " "

If you only require 1000 ft. of each size the price would be as follows;-

1 1/2" at 11 1/2 ¢ pr. ft.
2" " 15 1/2 ¢ " "
3" " 29 1/2 " " "

These prices are for delivery at G.G.Park and are subject to 2% for prompt cash

Yours truly Christian Frolich

Bid of Crane Co

S.F. Nov. 17. 1898.

G.G. Park Commissioners
Park Lodge. Gld. Park. City

Gentlemen,

On looking over your inquiry of Nov. 9th. for galvanized pipe, we find that your inquiry is for 5000 ft. of each of the following sizes. 3", 2" and 1¼". To this quantity we beg to quote as follows;-

3"	27½ per ft.
2"	14½ " "
1¼"	10.35 " "

These prices are for pipe from stock in San Francisco. Should you desire this pipe to come from the East, we should be pleased to submit you prices

Awaiting your reply, in this regard, we are,

yours very truly
Crane Co
M Crane Manager.

Bid of Phelps and Arnold.

S.F. Nov. 7. 1898

Mr. J. McLaren Supt. G.G. Park.
Dear Sir,

Answering your enquiry of the 5th. we beg to quote a Car load of galvanized pipe shipped direct from the Mill and delivered in about 30 days as follows. It would require about 1800 ft. to each car load.

800 ft. 3" gals	27½
1000 " 2" "	15.5½
1000 " 1¼" "	9.75

Delivered at Depot in S. Francisco

We could not make a delivery at the Park without charge but would secure a very low rate of Cartage based upon the point of delivery required. If at the Entrance or near the Entrance the cartage would be less. Terms 60 days or 2% Disct. if cash.

Yours truly
Phelps & Arnold.

Bid of W.F. Garratt & Co.

S.F. Nov. 9 1898.

Golden Gate Park Comrs
City.

Gentlemen,

Replying to yours of the 5th instant, we offer to furnish you the following pipe at prices annexed.

5000 ft.	3" galvanized pipe	27 3/8 per ft.
5000 "	2" " "	14 9/16 " "
5000 "	1¼" " "	10 1/4 " "

all delivered.

Hoping these quotations may be satisfactory and that we may be favored with your Order, we remain,

Respectfully yours
W. F. Garratt & Co.
A. L. Taylor. Secy.

The following Bids for Sewer pipe were received

Gladding, McBean & Co

S.F. Nov. 7/98

Mr. J. McLaren Supt. G.G. Park. City.
Dear Sir,

We will deliver to you in Carloads of twelve tons a more, on the cars in this City, our first & second quality sewer pipe of 6", 8" and 10" diameter and allow you the following discounts off the enclosed list of prices, to wit;

First Quality pipe	50%
Second " "	25%

Any Order with which you may favor us will receive our prompt and best attention

Very truly Yours
Gladding, McBean & Co

Oakland Art Pottery and Terra Cotta Wks

Oakland. Nov. 18/98

Park Commissioners. G. G. Park. City.

Gentlemen

In answer to inquiry in regard to sewer pipe. I can furnish the size you ask for viz. 6" 8" 10" — 2nd quality at a discount 75% from Card Rate. Cartage 65cts per ton to Park

Yours Respectfully
Jas. Miller &

Bid of N. Clark & Son.

S.F. Nov. 15/98

J. McLaren. S.F.

Dear Sir,

In reply to yours of November 14th asking quotations on car lots of 6" 8" and 10" first and second quality Sewer pipe, we quote you as follows, to wit;

6" 1st quality sewer pipe delivered	$.15½	p. ft. net
8" " " " " "	.20½	" " "
10" " " " " "	.31	" " "
6" 2nd " " " "	.08	" " "
8" " " " " "	.11	" " "
10" " " " " "	.16	" " "

As to second quality sewer pipe would say that we could not in all probability deliver you a full car load of 10" but can deliver a car load of 6" & 8". We might possibly fill in ¾ of a car of 10" pipe and fill the balance of the car with 6" and 8".

Our terms are sixty days & 3% for cash within thirty days. The above prices are a discount of 30% on first quality sewer pipe and of 75% on second quality pipe, with Cartage added at the rate of $.65 per ton. We give you these discounts in case you favor us with your order. for branches with pipe.

Yours truly
N. Clark & Sons

A. Steiger

S.F. Nov. 19. 1898

Mr. McLaren
Supt. G.G. Park.

Dear Sir,

I will furnish on cars here No. 1 sewer pipe for card price less 60% and for No. 2 pipe 75 off list.

Cartage to Park $1. pr. ton.

Trusting I may receive your Order.

I Remain,
Very. Respectfully Yours
L. A. Steiger

R. P. M. Greley

S.F. Nov. 18/98

Board of Park Comrs.
G.G. Park City

Gentlemen,—

I understand that You wish to buy a lot of 6 8-10" Sewer pipe 2nd quality. I have quite a large amount of it in Oakland that I can deliver to you at the Park at a discount of 75% from Card Rates.

Yours Respectfully
R. P. M. Greley
111 & 1 Franklin Sts Oakland Cal

The Bid of N. Clark & Son being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them.

Sept. report.

The monthly Reports of Supt. McLaren for Otober and November 1898, were read and approved, and ordered filed.

Capt. Thomsen report.

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomsen was read and ordered filed.

Supt. to receive bids for hauling.

Supt. McLaren was instructed to receive Bids for the hauling of sediment from Mountain Lake to Park East of Strawberry Hill

Special meeting.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Dec. 1/98 were present,

Comr. A.B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" T.M. Reile

The following business was transacted,

Bids for hauling sediment from Mt. Lake to Park

The following Bids for the hauling of Sediment from Mountain Lake to the Park were received.

Bid of E. Kenny

S.F. Nov. 29. 1898

A Bid for hauling loom from around the Lake at the Procedion to Golden Gate Park. I propose to haul the Stuff around the Lake and deliver it at this side of Strawberry Hill at $1.00 one dollar and 100 cts. pr. load.

E. Kenny

Warren and Malley

Nov. 29. 1898

Mr. McLaren.

We will load and haul material from Mountain Park to Golden Gate Park for the sum of fifty (50) cents per. yd.

Respt. Warren & Malley

J. O'Brien

Nov. 28/98

G.G. Park

I agree to haul soil from Mountain Lake to G.G. Park for fifty (50) cts. pr. cu. yd.

J. O'Brien

O. McHugh.

S.F. Nov. 23/98

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners;

Gentlemen,- I will do the hauling, loading and distributing the loam from Mountain Lake at the Presidio Reservation and deliver it any place East

of Strawberry Hill for the sum of $.45 forty five cents per cu. yd.

O. McHugh

J Tuttle.

S. F. Nov. 29/98

Mr. J McLaren.
Supt. Golden Gate Park.
Sir-
I propose to deliver loam in the Park as directed from Mountain Lake for eighty cents pr. cubic yard.
Respectfully submitted.
John Tuttle

McHugh & Sheerin

S. F. Nov. 29/98

To the Honorable Golden Gate Park Commission.
Gentlemen.
The undersign propose and agree to haul the Sediment from Mountain Lake to Golden Gate Park, east of Strawberry Hill at the rate of forty-four (.44) cents per cubic yard

Respectfully
McHugh & Sheerin
36 Montgomery St.

The Bid of McHugh & Sheerin being the lowest the Contract was awarded to them provided they agree not less than 100 loads per day.

The Board then adjourned.

W W Block.
Secty.

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs held Dec. 31/98, were present,

Comr. A. B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Warrants Warrants to the amount of $21.022.19 were examined and ordered paid.

458 Labor warrants amounting to	$ 13,345.70
61 Material "	7676.49.
Total	$ 21.022.19

Supts Report The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt Thomsn Report The monthly Report of Capt. Thomsn was read and approved and ordered filed

Donation Mr. Geo. Crocker. A communication from Supt Rolfe was received from Mr. Geo. Crocker. The Secty. was instructed to thank him for his kind donation to the Museum

Donation of Land from Mr. N. S. Davis donated 52 varates of land from the Park, and the Secty was instructed to thank him for same

Donation of Paintings A communication was received from H. E. Huntington Stating that Mr. C. P. Huntington was going to donate some valuable paintings to the Museum. The Secty. was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of same.

Request for Quail The communication received from Mr. A. C. Tolson for quail was denied, as they are getting rather scarce in the Park.
The Board then adjourned.

W W Block Secty

Special Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Jan. 18. 1899. were present.

Comr. A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" F. H. Zeile
" Wm. Melson

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication

The communication received from Mr. A. M. Vogelsang Pres. of the Board of Fish Commissioners was considered, and the Secretary instructed to notify him that nothing could be done at present on account of lack of available funds, but that the proposition of an Aquarium would be considered the next fiscal year.

The Board then adjourned.

V. O'Block
Secty

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Comrs. held Jan. 27. 1899. were present;

Comr. A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" F. H. Zeile
" Wm. Melson (abs)

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 17,907.97 were examined and ordered paid.

334 Labor warrants amounting to $ 12,718.47
39 Material " " 5,189.50
$ 17,907.97

Supt Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Capt Report

The monthly Report of Capt Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Communication

The communication received from the Merchants Association was considered and Comr. Zeile was appointed a Committee of one to confer with them relative to same.

A communication was received from M. James et al, relative to having a plank walk built at a certain part of Stow Lake for the purpose of facilitating the testing of Model yachts The Comrs. agreed that it would not be a good plan to grant the request as that would have a tendency to spoil the general artistic and natural effect of the borders of the Lake.

On motion of Comr. Zeile seconded by Comr. Spreckels Supt McLaren was instructed to discharge not less than 34 men at the end of the month

The Board then adjourned.

V. O'Block Secty

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Tues. 21st Dec 99 were present,

Comr. A. B Spreckels (in the Chair.)
" F. W. Zeile
" Wm. M. Melson

The following business was transacted,

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants to the amount of $ 17.746 35 were examined and ordered paid

pay Labor warrants amounting to	$	11.608.80
pay Material " "	$	6 137.55
		17.746.35

The monthly repat of Supt McLaren was read and approved, and on motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr. Melson the suggestions offered be accepted and acted upon.

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed

A Committee of gentlemen representing the N. Sobs Improvement Club appeared before the Board, relative to making a Carriage Entrance into the Park from 1st Avenue. After a general discussion in which the Board favored an Opening from 13th Ave, the matter was left under advisement.

Comr Zeile & Supt McLaren appointed a Committee of one to confer with the Merchants Association relative to carriage roads for the Park was granted further time in which to report.

A communication was received from Curator Rixford relative to a discrepancy in the number of words in Mr Bardwell's collection donated to the

Museum, and the Repot filed by the Board of Park Commissioners. The Commissioners understood the Shortage as accounted by Mr. Wilcomb, it having been Mr. Bardwell's intention to donate 700 specimens but he died before said amount was donated. The Museum having received but 584 specimens up to date.

The Secty. was instructed to write to Mr. Bardwell's sister in Boston, and see if she would kindly donate the balance of the Collection as that had been Mr. Bardwell's intention.

Relative to the Museum improvements the matter was left to Supt McLaren with power to act. Said improvements being the repairing of cases cleaning specimens and labelling.

Permission was granted to the members of the Basket Ball Team of the J. M. C. A to use the Recreation Grounds on Wednesday Afternoons for practice

The Board then adjourned

Wm Block
Secty

Special Meeting At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 13/99 were present,

Comr A.B. Spreckels (in the Chair
" J.H. Tevis
" Wm H. Nelson

The following business was transacted,

Minutes The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication A communication was received from Geo. H. Collins Chairman Police Committee, Board of Supervisors and M. Lees, Chief of Police relative to supplying incandescent lights in the new Police Station on Stanyan St. After a general discussion the Secretary was instructed to notify them that the Commissioners are not in a position to supply them with any incandescent lights, as they are not properly equipped, but would cheerfully put an arc light in front of Station if it was found to be necessary

A communication was received from A. W. Foster, on behalf of the Burlingame Polo Club for permission to use the Recreation Grounds on Mar. 16/99 The Commissioners decided to grant them permission to use the lower grounds, they having originally been laid out for Polo purposes. Also that the Commissioners would like them to use the Meadow now so that they could find out the Khat. comings and up on the said grounds to suit the game.

On motion of Comr. Tevis seconded by Comr. Nelson Supt McLaren was authorized to experiment with two baseballgrounds with a view of seeing whether to adopt the system or not.

On motion of Comr Nelson seconded by Comr Tevis the following resolutions were passed and the

Secretary instructed to have a copy engrossed and sent to Mr. Claus Spreckels for his liberal and generous donation Also that the same be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Claus Spreckels in line with his previous acts of liberality and public spirit has offered to present to the citizens of San Francisco, through the Park Commissioners, the sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars for the purpose of erecting a Music Stand in Golden Gate Park.

Be it therefore Resolved.- That the Park Commissioners accept the donation and in so doing express to Mr. Claus Spreckels for and on behalf of the citizens of San Francisco, unqualified appreciation and thanks for this the largest individual donation the Park has ever received, a donation which will enable the Commission to immediately erect, on a scale heretofore impossible, a structure which will be a permanent monument to the generous Giver, an inspiration to the lovers of artistic architecture, an adornment to the Park, and a rare attraction to the thousands whose hours of recreation are spent therein.

On motion of Comr. Nelson seconded by Comr. Tevis the entire construction of the Music Stand be left in the hands of Comr. A.B. Spreckels

On motion of Comr. Nelson seconded by Comr. Tevis the Commissioners acknowledge the gift of the Flag presented by the sailors of the warship "McCullough" and tender their sincere thanks for the beautiful donation

On motion of Comr Tevis seconded by Comr. Nelson it was moved and passed that whereas it is seldom necessary to call for the services of an Attorney and for economy, the Office of Attorney for the Board be abolished.

Request for Children's Quarters Rail Road

A communication was received from N.J. Schofield for permission to construct and maintain a miniature Rail Road in the Childrens' Quarters. No action was taken in the matter.

The Board then adjourned.

V V Block.
Secty.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Mar. 29/99 at Park Lodge were present;

Comr. A. B. Sprockels.
" T. H. Teile
" Wm H. Nelson. (abs.)

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 16.081.38 were examined and ordered paid

244	Labor warrants amounting to	$ 12.044.50
57	Material " "	4036.88
	Total	$ 16.081.38

Supt's Report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed, and on motion of Comr Teile seconded by Comr. Sprockels the suggestions in the Repot be carried out

Labor Report

The monthly Repot of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Donation of Books

A letter was received from Mrs D Angell, sister of the late John L Bardwell, relative to his donation to the Museum. The Secretary was instructed to acknowledge the receipt of same

Remedy for Goats

A communication was received from Wm McLean relative to procuring some remedy to destroy Goats. The same was referred to Supt McLaren.

Bicycle riding

On motion of Comr Teile seconded by Comr. Sprockels it was moved and passed that coasting & scorching by Bicyclists be stopped, and any one found doing so will be arrested. Supt McLaren was instructed to put on six additional men with clubs to try and stop the same
On motion of Comr. Teile seconded by Comr.

Improvements suggested

Speckels the following improvements suggested by Supt. McLaren were approved, and the same ordered done.

Walk around Lake.
Drive " "
Extension of Meadow.
Loam for "
Cases for Museum
Walk to Chain of Lakes Station from New Lake.
Wall to Fallen from Fill along west line of Stanyan St.
Gray rock for wall along west line of Stanyan St.

Re driveway at 1st Ave

A committee from the Richmond Improvement Club appeared before the Board relative to having a Driveway made into the Park at 1st Avenue. Supt. McLaren was instructed to go over the ground with Pres. Fletcher and to report at the next meeting

On motion of Comr. Zeile seconded by Comr. Speckels it was moved and passed that Supt. McLaren have four new Cases made for the Museum

The Board then adjourned

C C Block
Secty

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Apr. 10/99 were present.

Comr. A.B. Speckels (in the Chair)
" F.W. Zeile
" Wm. H. Nelson

The following business was transacted.

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

Bids for loam

The following Bids for loam were received

Bid of F. L. Sherwin

S.F. Apr. 15/99

The Hon. Golden Gate Park Commission
Gentlemen,

The undersigned proposes to deliver 10,000 cubic yards loam in Golden Gate Park as designated by Jno. McLaren Esq. at the rate of Sixty-five Cents (.65) pr. cubic yard.

Respectfully
Frank L. Sherwin 2405 Gary St

Bid of Union Paving & Contracting Co.

S.F. Apr. 15/99

Board of Park Commissioners,
of Golden Gate Park. Park Office. City.
Gentlemen:

We are pleased to reply to yours of 5th inst. and state that we will deliver to you in the neighborhood of watering Box the loam required as pr. your letter at 65/cts pr. cu. yd.

Respectfully
Union Paving & Contracting Co
A B Clute
Prest

Bid of O. McHugh.

S.F. Apr. 14. 1899

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners

Gentlemen-

I will deliver to Golden Gate Park west of the Spud Track (10,000) Ten thousand yards of the very best quality of black loam for the sum of $.096½ pr. cubick yard

Owen McHugh
710 Baker St.

Bid of P. McHugh

S.F. Apr. 15. 1899

The Hon Golden Gate Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen;

The undersigned proposes and agrees to furnish and deliver in Golden Gate Park ten thousand (10,000) cubic yards loam, as per your circular for ninety seven and one half cents ($.97½) per cubic yard.

Peter McHugh
3908 Clay St.

Bid of E. Kenny

S.F. Apr 14. 1899

To Golden Gate Commissioners;

Gentlemen;

I propose to haul loam as stated for 95 cts per. yard.

Edmund Kenny
2733 Pine St.

Bid of I. Diederich & Co.

S.F. Apr. 14. 1899

To the Honorable Board of Park Commissioners;

Gentlemen;

I will furnish 10,000 cubic yds. of loam and comply with your letter sent me dated Mar. 30th 1899 for .95c per. cubic yard.

I. Diederich & Co Contractors
No. 9 Heyman Ave. City

N.B. Have refer to my proposition of June 15th 1898 where I agree to furnish 50,000 yds for (65c) pr. cubic yd.

Contract for loam awarded

The Bid of F.L. Sherman being the lowest the Contract was awarded to him on the condition that he submits a good sample, and shows permission where he gets the loam, also whether he has the required amount.

Loam for Museum

Relative to the new cases for the Museum, the matter was referred to Comr. Veale to report at the next meeting.

Disposal of buffalo

Relative to the disposing of some Buffalo, the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to dispose of one pair for $100.

Action deferred on Gray Bros bid

Action was deferred relative to the bid of Gray Bros for Concrete Wall along Stanyan St.

The Board then adjourned.

C.C. Block
Secty.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held April 27/99 were present;

Comr. A.B. Spreckels (in the Chair)
" F.W. Zeile.
" Wm. N. Melson

The following business was transacted,

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Supt's report

The monthly Report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed, and on motion of Comr. Zeile seconded by Comr. Melson the suggestions in the Repot be carried out.

Capt's Report

The monthly Report of Capt. Thomsen was read and approved and ordered filed

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ 17.927.30 were examined and ordered paid

Labor warrants amounting to	14943.75	
Material " "	2983.55	
	$17927.30	

The following Bids for Hose were received

Bid of Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson

S.F. Apr. 26/99

Mr. Wm. Hebbard Esq
Board of Park Commissioners City
Dear Sir,

Replying to yours of the 23rd inst., we are pleased to quote you 2000 ft. more or less, of 4 ply Guaranteed Rubber Garden Hose.

1in @ 22¢ pr. ft. 1¼in. @ 27½¢ pr. ft.

We mail you under separate cover sample of the Hose on which we bid

Hoping to be favored with your order, we remain.

Yours Respectfully
Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson.
per Brown

Bid of Bowers Rubber Co

S.F. Apr. 27. 1899

Board of Park Commissioners.
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen,

We propose and hereby agree to furnish 4ply Rubber Hose, as follows,

1in. 4ply.	Live Oak	20¢ pr. ft.
1¼" 4"	" "	24¢ " "
1 " 4 "	Seal Rock	16¢ " "
1¼" 4"	" "	20¢ " "

The above mentioned hose is a California product made in our San Francisco factory. Live Oak brand is the best that can be made from cotton duck and rubber. It has been used in your Park for several years, and we trust your Superintendent Mr. McLaren will feel justified in recommending its good quality. Seal Rock is a light grade of hose sold largely for railroads, steam boats, and for general work where a good hose is required. Hoping you will continue to give a preference to this home product, we await your commands

Yours truly,
Bowers Rubber Co
W.B. Bowers
Pres

Bid of Goodyear Rubber Co.

S.F. Apr. 27/99

Hon. Board of Park Commissioners
Golden Gate Park. City.

Gentlemen,- In accordance with your request of the 22nd inst, asking us to put in a bid on 2000 ft. more of 1¼" 4 ply and 1" 4 ply Rubber Hose, we are pleased to quote you a net figure on the 1¼" 4 ply of 24¢ per foot and on the 1" 4 ply of 19¢ pr. foot. This hose has 5 ply ends, and is fully guaranteed in every particular. Hoping that this is satisfactory, and that we will receive your order, we remain. Yours very truly, Goodyear Rubber Co. per W.B. Stetson

Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co.

S.F. Apr. 26/99

To the Hon. Board of Park Comrs
of Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen;

We herewith beg to submit our bid for Rubber Hose for the season of 1899 as follows;

2000 ft. more or less of { 1" 4 ply Ridgewood Brand Hose @ 30c p/ft
1½" " " " " .24½ "
2000 ft. more or less of { 1" " Wallabout " .15c "
1½" " " " .18½ "

The above brands of Hose are warranted to be free of pin holes, and any imperfections in manufacture.

Respectfully submitted by
Very truly yours
The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co
Wm H Stanton

Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co

S.F. Apr. 26/99

To the Hon. Board of Park Commissioners
of Golden Gate Park. S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen;

We herewith beg to submit our bid for Rubber Hose for the season of 1899 as follows;

2000 ft. more or less { 1" 4 ply Maltese Cross Brand Hose @ 37c p/ft
1½" " " " " .33½ "
(Carbolized)

The above brand of hose is fully warranted perfect in manufacture, and capable of doing satisfactory work.

Respectfully submitted by
Very truly yours
The Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg Co
Wm H Stanton

Bid of New York Belting & Packing Co

S.F. Apr. 25. 1899.

Golden Gate Park Commissioners
S.F. Cal.

Gentlemen;

We will furnish you with 2000 feet more or less, of our following brands of Hose at prices here below mentioned viz:

	List.	Discount	Net per ft
1" 4 ply "Double Diamond"	.50	50-10%	.22½
1" 4 " "Carbon"	.50	60-10-10%	.18
1-1¼" " "Double Diamond"	.67	50-10%	.27
1-1¼" " "Carbon"	.67	60-10-10%	.20

Our "Double Diamond" Hose is made of the heaviest duck and a fine quality of Para rubber and we can guarantee it for a period of two years. Our "Carbon" Hose is a good serviceable article and while not made of as heavy duck or quite as pure a quality of rubber, will give good service.

These goods are both standard brands of ours and have been on the market for many years and we can recommend either of them to be good hose. We will deliver the hose free of charge at Golden Gate Park, and trust we will receive your order.

Yours very truly,
New York Belting & Packing Co. Ltd
per W H Baggett

Bid of Revere Rubber Co.

S.F. Apr. 25. 1899

OO Block. Secty. Board of Park Comrs. Golden Gate Park City

Dear Sir;- We beg to submit to you below our best prices on 2000 ft. more or less of rubber hose as follows;-

Granite 1-½" 4 ply	27½ c	per ft.
" 1" 4 "	22½ c	" "
Shasmuel 1-½" 4 "	23c	" "
" 1" 4 "	19c	" "

The Granite is an extremely fine quality and will stand heavy pressure and hard and severe usage. It will give excellent satisfaction

and the best of results.
The Shawmut is also of fine quality and is fully equal to what some other manufactures would call very best grade of hose. It is an excellent hose for the money and has good wearing qualities.
Our product is fully guaranteed and should any of our hose give out through fault or defect in manufacture, we will replace same at our expense on return of defective length to us. We will be pleased to submit 50 ft. lengths of hose for your inspection should you so desire
If favored with your orders, same shall have our best and careful attention
Yours very truly
Revere Rubber Co
per. A J Dunbar
Agt.

Bowers Rubber Co. and Goodyear Rutter Co. being lowest bidders the contract was awarded to them; half to go to each

Special meeting.

At a Special Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held April 28th '99 were Present;
Com. A. B. Wrecks (in the chair)
" T. W. Peik.
" W. K. Nelson.

The following business was transacted;

Secretary's resignation not accepted. Commissioner Miss M. S. Fairman appointed

The resignation of Secretary C. V. Block was presented and on motion duly carried was not accepted.
Commissioner Nelson moved that when the office of Secretary became vacant Miss M. S. Fairman be appointed to fill the vacancy; seconded by A. B. Wrecks and carried.

The Board then adjourned.

Local Meeting

At a Special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 2 '99, were present;

Com. A. B. Sprockels (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Nelson.

The following business was transacted:

Sec'y & Treasurer appointed

On motion duly seconded and carried the office of Secretary was declared vacant.
Miss M. D. Fairman was then duly appointed Secretary of the Commission.

The Board then adjourned.

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on May 16, '99 were present:

Com. A. B. Sprockels, (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Nelson.

The following business was transacted;

Minutes

The minutes of the last regular monthly meeting were read, corrected and approved.

Supervisors Trans.

On motion of Com. Nelson seconded by Com. Zeile the President was authorized to negotiate with Supervisors to act for the Purchase of three heavy teams for Park use.

Delivery of Sand

A communication was received from the Union Paving and Contracting Co., requesting permission to deliver sand from the Ames House Tract, instead of from the neighborhood of 16th St.
It was decided that the Company be permitted to fill the original contract and deliver loam according to sample.

Loam

Commissioner Nelson was appointed a Committee of one to obtain a permit from the Board of Supervisors to allow the Park teams to take loam from the Almshouse tract on line of Fulton Boulevard.

Dr. Parsh Land

The letter from Dr. C. J. Parsh relative to the change of Japanese now in charge of the Japanese village was read filed, and the Board given further time to act.

Walk proposed

A motion was made and carried that the footpath parallel to the Speed Road on the South side be closed to bicycles and opened to pedestrians only.

Thanks

A letter of thanks was received and read from St. Leo's Club thanking the Commissioners for opening a gateway opposite First Avenue. Letter was ordered filed.

The Board then adjourned.

M. D. Fairman.
Sec'y.

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held May 24/00 were present.

Com. A.B. Sprockets (in the chair)
" F.W. Gale.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report — The monthly report of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed and a motion made that the suggestions be carried out.

Treas. Report — The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Accounts — Warrants to the amount of $22663.09 were examined and ordered paid

Labor warrants amounting to $17287.85
Material . . 5375.24

The application of Wm. J. Kennedy for the appointment as mounted policeman in the Park was ordered filed for future reference.

The Secretary was instructed to write a letter of thanks to Mr. H. A. Hamilton for donation of antique furniture from Exeter free of charge.

On motion the meeting

Adjourned.

Sec'y

Meeting — At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on June 26/00 were present.

Com. A.B. Sprockets (in the chair)
" F.W. Gale.
" W.N. Nelson.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes — The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Supt's Report — The monthly report of Supt McLaren was read and approved and ordered filed.

Treas. Report — The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and approved and ordered filed.

Horses — On motion of Com. Nelson, seconded by Com. Gale it was resolved that horses should be bought from Miller and Lee, on the condition that they would be returned if not entirely satisfactory, and that harness be purchased for them at the same time.

Accounts — The bill of Gray Bros. for erecting a stone wall on Glenyon St. was examined and ordered paid.

Eight Hour Law — The matter referring to the Eight Hour Law as to whether it is legal for a Park laborer to work more than eight hours on a day was referred to Com. Nelson.

Donations — A motion was made and carried that foreign curios or gifts be accepted for the Museum by the Curator unless otherwise directed by the Commissioners.

Extension — An extension of time from 1st of July to 1st of August was granted to Clute and Harvey.

Motor Cycles — The question of having a few motor cycles in the Park was referred to Com. Gale with power to act.

Yearly Report — It was decided to have the yearly report compiled in book form similar to the one of 1897, with additional views of the new features in the Park.

Warrants to the amount of 30,755.81 were examined and ordered filed.

Labor warrants amounting to 18,869.15
Material . . . 11,886.66

The Board then adjourned.

W.H. Newman.
Secty.

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 20, '94 were present.

Com. C.S. Sprckels (in the chair)
" F.W. Zeile.
" W.N. Watson.

The following business was transacted:

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Commissioner Zeile reported that the vehicles furnished by the Pacific Carriage Co. for transportation in the Park, were running regularly, and promised to be a popular innovation.

The matter relating to the Eight Hour Law was left in the hands of the Attorney of the Board.

Judge Garoutte's charges of incompetency &c against Mr. Chimmins of the Boat House were referred to the next meeting of the Board when the matter will be thoroughly investigated.

The project of a bicycle race in the Park was rejected.

On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Watson the bids for hay were rejected the bids being considered too high.

The communication from Britton and Rey regarding blue prints for the yearly report was referred to Mr. McLaren. It was decided to have no map of the Park in this years report.

It was decided to advertise for bids for hay.

On motion was made and seconded that the Superintendent be empowered to expend $250 for Dutch bulbs.

In regard to J. Hueller run over in the Park by one of the carriages, it was decided that the Park would furnish him with a bicycle, and the Secretary would pay the Physicians bill, and loss of time incurred by the injured man.

The Board then adjourned.

Meeting At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held July 28th '99 were present,

Com: A. B. Spreckels, (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile
" W. H. Melson.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and ordered filed.

Supt's Rep't The Superintendent's monthly report was read and approved and the suggestions ordered to be carried out.

Police Report Captain Thomsen's monthly report was read and approved.

Request for Seals In reply to a communication from the Secretary of the Los Angeles Park asking for pheasants and small birds of any description, the Secretary was instructed to notify him that the Commissioners had no birds to spare, much to their regret.

Bids Referred to the bid from Britton and Rey relative to the piano for the Park Panhandle.

S. F. July 11th 99.

Meeting At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held August 2nd. 99, were present:

Com: A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Melson.

Minutes The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved and ordered filed.

Stone wall on Fulton St. The communication from Gray Bros. agreeing to construct a stone wall on Fulton St., for the sum of 2.75 per lineal ft. was ordered placed on file for future reference.

Request for loan of fish & game heads declined In regard to a communication from the Chicago Exposition Commission of 1900, asking for the loan of casts of fish and game heads for the Exposition, it was decided that the Commissioners could not oblige them, as the casts of fish mentioned were not in good condition, and it would necessitate a large expenditure in order to renovate them properly. As the game heads were perishable and would not stand the trip it was decided they could not be loaned.

Permission granted Garfield League to hold memorial services at the Garfield Monument on September 17th.

The Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for hay.

On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Melson the following bids for loam and hay were rejected being considered too high:

Bid of Edmond Kenny.

S. F. Aug. 11th '99

To the Golden Gate Park Commissioners.

Gentlemen.

I propose to deliver 25,000 yards of loam more or less for one dollar two and a half cts. ($1.02½ per yd.

Edmond Kenny.

2733 Pine St.

Bid of Owen Wm Hugh.

S. F. Aug. 10th 99.

The Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,
Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen.

The undersigned proposes and agrees to deliver in Golden Gate Park twenty five thousand (25,000) cubic yards loam at the following price ninety five cents (95 cts) per cubic yard.

Respectfully,
Owen Wm Hugh.
710 Baker St.

Bid of Egan Bros.

S. F. Aug. 5 99.

To Honorable Board of Park Commissioners,

Gentlemen.

We desire to submit the following bids for the furnishing and delivering hay to the Park Stables.

Fifty tons first class wheat hay at Eleven dollars $^{25}/_{100}$ ($11.^{25}/_{100}$) per ton.

Fifty tons first class brown oat at Ten dollars $^{25}/_{100}$ ($10.^{25}/_{100}$) per T.

Yours truly,
Egan Bros.
1088 & 860 Harrison St.
S. F.

Bid of H. P. Smith & Son.

S. F. Aug. 5 99.

W. H. Hamman,
Secretary of G. G. Park Commissioners.

We the undersigned agree to furnish and to deliver to the Stables of the Golden Gate Park Fifty tons more or less of first class wheat hay at $10^{22}/_{100}$ -- Ten dollars and twenty two cents per ton - and fifty tons of first class brown oat hay at $^{32}/_{100}$ nine dollars and thirty two cents per ton.

Submitted by
H. P. Smith & Son.

1st bid of E. Aigeltinger.

S. F. Aug 3 '99.

To the Honorable, the Board of Park Commissioners.
Gentlemen.

I the undersigned will furnish you and deliver as wanted to the Park Stables

50 Tons of choice No 1 wheat Hay @ $11^{00}/_{100}$ per ton
50 " " " " Red Oat " @ $10^{00}/_{100}$ "
or No 2. wheat Hay @ $10^{00}/_{100}$ per ton.

Resp. yours.
E. Aigeltinger.

2nd bid of E. Aigeltinger.

S. F. Aug. 4th. 99.

To the Honorable the Board of Park Commissioners,
Gentlemen.

In submitting my bid for hay to you I figured on allowing it from time to time as desired by you. If however you would take it at this time, I can reduce it hay, choice hay to $10^{00}/_{100}$ per ton, and reduce Oat hay to $9^{00}/_{100}$ p.t.

Resp yours.
E. Aigeltinger.

Bid of Scott and Wagner.

S. F. Aug 5. 99

To the Honorable, the Board of Park Commissioners.
Gentlemen.

In accordance with your advertisement inviting bids for hay, we beg to submit as follows:

We will deliver to your stables in this city,

{ 50 tons of first class wheat hay at $11^{50}/_{100}$ per ton.
{ 50 " " " Brown Oat hay at $10^{50}/_{100}$ "

Hay respectfully yours.
Scott and Wagner.

The Board then adjourned

W. H. Hamman
Secty.

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held August 29th 1894 were present

Com. A. B. Sprockels (in the chair)
" J. W. Zeile
" W. H. Melvon.

The following business was transacted:

Supts. Report

The Superintendents monthly report was read, approved and ordered filed

Police report

Captain Thomsen's Police Report was read, approved, and ordered filed.

Claims presented

Warrants to the amount of $7,681.76 were examined and ordered paid.

For salaries warrants amounting to $ 3,637.90
" Miscellaneous . . . 4043.86
$ 7,681.76

Petition

On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Melvon the Petition of the Sunset District Improvement Club asking that an entrance to Golden Gate Park be established at 9th St and 19th Ave., was ordered filed for future reference.

Motion

A motion was made and carried that the Supt. be authorized to extend the sewer on Fulton St. as far as 1st Ave.

Letter

The letter of Samuel Lemon from Elijah D. Keith was received and the recommendation that the Commissioners direct a suitable letter.

Contract

The Secretary of the Board reported that the Native Canvas from the Whitehouse Woolen Mills was received with thanks.

Petition

Petitions were presented to distribute programs [illegible] and ordered filed with the understanding that the request be complied with.

Motion

A motion was seconded by Com. Zeile, the following

Resolution was passed:

To employ Japanese Tea Garden

Whereas Geo. T. March Esq. has taken special interest in the Japanese Tea Garden, and speaks the Japanese language and has had experience with the natives of that country and has technical ability in such matters, it is therefore

Resolved that

Geo. T. March be and he is hereby appointed as advisory manager, under and subject to the direction of this Board and of its Superintendent, John McLaren, of the Japanese Tea Garden.

Relative to the bids for hay advertised for by the Park Commissioners, that of C. Aquellinger was accepted, he being the lowest bidder.

Following are the bids:

San Francisco, Aug. 26, 1894.

Office of Somers & Co.
364 Sixth St

The Honorable Board of Park Commissioners.
Golden Gate Park

Gentlemen:

We beg to submit herewith our lowest price on Fifty (50) tons of choice quality Salinas red or black oat hay and Fifty (50) tons of choice quality wheat hay Ten Dollars and Twenty five cents ($10.25) per ton delivered to your stables, delivery to be made at our convenience; loads to be weighed to your satisfaction, and the best quality in every respect.

Respectfully submitted,
Somers & Co.

J. L. Somers, Jr.

Office of C. Aquellinger
1767 a Ellis St.

To the Hon. the Board of Park Commissioners,
Gentlemen:-

I will sell and deliver to you from time to time as you want it delivered to the Park Stables

50 Ton Fine clean wheat Hay @ $11.50 Per ton
50 " " Rec. Rat " $10.00

or if you want mild oat Hay cheo instead Red @ 9 50/100 per ton.

Respectfully,
E. Aigellinger.

S. F. Aug. 25 99.

Office of E. Aigellinger.
1767 - 4 Ellis St.
To the Hon. The Board of Park Com.

Gentlemen:-

I will sell and deliver to the Park Stables
50 Tons First Class wheat Hay @ 9 70/100 Per ton
50 . . Red oat " . 9 50/100 .
or 50 . No 1 mild oat instead of Red oat @ 9.75 Per Ton
if you take the hay at once.

Respectfully,
E. Aigellinger

The Board then adjourned.

M. R. Sauman
Secty

Regular meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held September 7/99 were present:

Com. A. B. Spreckels, (in the chair)
" F. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Melson.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Accounts. Warrants to the amount of $1,588.83 were examined and ordered paid.

234 Labor warrants amounting to $1,935.50
61 Material warrants " " 653.33
$1,588.83

Supt's Report. The Supt's monthly Report was read and approved and on motion duly carried, the suggestions and recommendations in same be accepted and acted upon.

Thomson's Report. The monthly Report of Captain Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Offer of Specimens. The offer of J. P. Carroll, of Randsburg, Cal., to send a case of mineral specimens to the Park Museum was declined with thanks, owing to the crowded condition of the Mineral Department.

Insurance. As the Insurance Policies on the Park Stables, horses, hay & feed expires on October 1st of this year, on motion of Com. Melson, seconded by Com. Zeile, it was decided to renewe them in the same Companies (Fireman's Fund, and Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Co's.) for the term of three years.

Trees. In regard to the communication of Eliza K. Keith requesting permission to hold Class Day exercises in the Park, when trees would be planted it was agreed that the request could not be acceded to as the plan of the Commissioners on recommendation of their Superintendent, had always leaned toward the thinning out of trees rather than the planting of additional ones.

Fence. On motion of Com. Zeile seconded by Com. Melson, the offer of the American Steel and Wire Co. to erect a wire fence around the Polo Meadow free of charge was accepted with thanks.

Statues accepted

The marble statues 'The Emancepation' by J. Ball, 1873 and a marble bust of General Sherman presented by Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Crocker to the Park Museum was accepted and the Secretary instructed to convey to the donors the gratitude of the Commissioners.

Fish Exhibit

On motion unanimously carried permission was granted the Paris Exposition Commission to take such specimens as they wish of the Fish Exhibit at the Park Museum with the understanding that they give a surety bond, and insurance policies for return and safety of same.

Polo Club

The Burlingame Polo Club was granted permission to use the Recreation Grounds on Wednesday, October 4th.

Police using old saddles

Superintendent McLaren was instructed to have the Park Police use their old saddles on inclement days.

Bicycle ordinance

It was decided to have two extra men on bicycles every Sunday to enforce the bicycle Ordinance.

Yearly report

In regard to the Yearly Report it was agreed to have the interior views uncolored, and the outside views colored.

The meeting then adjourned.

M. R. Furman
Secty.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Oct. 27/99 were present:

Com. A. B. Spreckels (in the chair)
" W. H. Nelson.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $19,147.12 were examined and ordered paid

243 Labor warrants amounting to $13,456.70
59 Material " " " 5,690.42
$19,147.12

Supt's Report

The monthly report of Supt. McLaren was read and approved and on motion duly carried the suggestions and recommendations be accepted and acted upon.

Police Report

The monthly report of Capt. Thomson was read and ordered filed.

Merchants Association

In regard to a communication from the Merchants Association suggesting the advisability of erecting signs to designate the stopping places of the Park wagons, it was decided to grand them permission to do so, with the understanding that the signs on the vehicles be removed.

Restaurant

The application of Nicholas Galliano requesting permission to erect a stand for the purpose of conducting an Oyster Cafe, opposite the 'Seal Rock' House, was rejected.

Co. M

The Secretary was instructed to convey to 'Co. M', 1st Regiment Cal. Vol. Infantry, the thanks of the Commissioners for the donation of a young goat brought from Negros Island, P.I.

Bicycle Clubs

In regard to the Resolution passed by the Cal. Associated Cycling Clubs, deprecating and deploring the reckless riding indulged in by wheelmen in G. G. Park it was decided to have the same published in all the daily papers, and a letter of thanks sent to the Club.

Entrance

The matter relating to an entrance to the Park being made at N. St. and 19th Avenue Boulevard, was laid over until next meeting

N. bids for Yearly Report

Relative to the bids for printing the Yearly Report, that of Walter N. Brunt was accepted, he being the lowest bidder. Following are the bids:

San Francisco, Oct. 13, 1899.

Park Commissioners, Golden Gate Park.

We will furnish 1600 Annual Reports, 1000 to be bound with paper covers, and 600 with cloth, including inserts of colored plates, for the sum of $1160.00

And addition of 1M - paper covers - $17.50 - if ordered before execution of Press Work of first 1600 copies.

Hoping to be favored with the order,

Respectfully,

Brunt.

Per A. T. Broad.

S. F. Oct. 14/99.

W. B. Fairman, Esq.

Sec. of G. G. Park Com'rs.

Dear Sir,

Replying to yours Sept. 30 - beg to say that we will print your Annual Report, as per specifications shown us as follows: 1000 to be bound in paper cover, 600 to be bound in cloth. The paper to be used shall be equal to sample, and every item of the work to be executed in first class condition, and within a reasonable length of time after receiving copy. Price $315.

1000 additional plates bound in paper covers will cost $65.

Trusting to have an early order, we are

Respectfully,

Commercial & Norton.

S. F. Oct 11/99.

Board of Park Commissioners

Gentlemen,

We are pleased to submit the following estimate:

1000 plates Report $315.

{ 1000 to be bound in paper covers. / 600 " " Cloth }

1000 additional plates bound in paper covers $40.00

Very respectfully,

Upton Bros.

S. F. Oct 14/99.

To the Commissioners

Golden Gate Park.

Gentlemen.

I will print and deliver 1600 copies Annual Report. Six hundred of same to be bound in cloth and stamped on side in gold. Twenty six colored plates will be inserted in each book. Paper and work to be similar to that of sample copy furnished, — for the sum of two hundred & seventy five dollars ($275.00)

Respectfully yours.

E. C. Hughes.

S. F. Oct. 14/99.

Gt. G. Park Commissioners,

W. B. Fairman, Esq. Secty

Dear Sir.

We take pleasure in quoting as follows on yearly Report:-

1000 Annual Reports, paper covers
600 " " cloth covers, } $340.00

64 pages.

1000 extra paper covers, $35.00

Yours truly.

H. S. Crocker & Co.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the board of Park Commissioners held Nov. 1st 1894 were present:

Com. C. B. Stuart in the chair
" L. W. Gale
" A. K. Fulton

The following business was transacted:

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Warrants

Warrant to the amount of $ were examined and ordered paid

Rights of Way

The committee appointed [illegible] were read and accepted, and the [illegible] were discharged and recommended [illegible]

Tree report

[illegible]

Request for [illegible]

[illegible]

Resolution

[illegible]

[illegible]

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the board of Park Commissioners held Dec. 10th 1894, 2 P.M. were present:

Com. C. B. Stuart in the chair
" L. W. Gale
" A. K. Fulton

The following business was transacted:

Eight hour law

Upon motion of Com. Gale seconded by Com. Fulton it was ordered:

That the superintendent be instructed to have all labor done on the ground at 8 o'clock A.M. on the following conditions to wit: That all the laborers be notified to be on the ground at 8 o'clock A.M. and not to work more than eight hours each day, and that they be paid eight dollars per day.

That this rule is to go into effect immediately.

The vote on the foregoing motion was as follows:

Com. C. B. Stuart voted [illegible]
" L. W. Gale [illegible]
" A. K. Fulton [illegible]

Warrants

Warrants to the amount of $ were ordered paid.

Com-
meeting

At a regular meting of the Board of Park Commissioners held Dec 26th 1899. there present

Commissioners A. B. Spreckels. (in the chair)
" J. W. Zeile.
" W. H. Metson.

The following business was transacted:

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meting were read and approved.

warrants

warrants to the amount of $17.212.55 were examined and ordered paid = viz.

249 Labor warrants amounting to $13174.20
48 Material " " 4038.35
$17.212.55

Supt Report

The monthly report of Supt Mc Laren was read and approved and on motion duly carried, the suggestions and recommendations be accepted and acted upon.

Petition

On motion of Com Zeile. seconded by Com Metson the application of James Johnston for employment in the park was placed on file.

In regard to the communication from Irving M. Scott relative to Helen W. Forbes' Mission Studies in the Park museum it was decided there was no available funds to purchase said studies

On motion of Com Metson seconded by Com Zeile it was decided to grant the request of the University of California for the loan of some surplus glass cases owned by the Park.

On motion duly carried the loan of a marble bust of George Washington, sculptured by D. Biasiole, for the Park museum was refused.

It was moved by Com Metson and seconded by Com Zeile that bicycles with dogs attached be forbidden the use of the Park.

On motion of Com Metson seconded by Com Zeile it was decided to enforce the rule of prohibiting automobiles in the Park, by arresting the offenders and taking possession of the Automobile.

It was decided that hereafter no loans, be accepted for the Park Museum, without a signed receipt from the owner of said loans accepting full responsibility in case of damage to the property, by fire or any other cause."

There being no further business the meting then adjourned

M Bf

1st Meeting

The first regular meeting of the Park Commission. appointed under the provisions of the New Charter. took place at the Park Lodge January 8th 1899: 1900

There were present Commissioners F. W. Zeile
Commissioner A. B. Spreckels.
Commissioner M. J. Mc Donald.
Commissioner R. H. Lloyd.
Commissioner Jno. A Stanton.

Temporary Chairman

On motion made by Com Zeile and seconded by Com Lloyd Com M. J. McDonald was appointed temporary chairman and Com Stanton temporary secretary pro tem

Classification

First in the regular order of business came the classification of the members of the Commission: determining their terms of office.

Resolution re Classif

On motion made by Com Lloyd and seconded by Com Zeile it was Resolved that the classification of the term of office of the members be entered in the minutes and a copy certified by. and signed by all the members, be filed with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, the motion being put was carried.

The certified copy reads as follows

copy of resolution re Classification

Office of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco:
Park Office January 8th 1900

The first meeting of the Park Commissioners appointed under the charter of the City and County of San Francisco was this day held at the hour of half past three O'clock P.M all of the Commissioners were present. On motion Commissioner McDonald was duly elected chairman pro tem. and Commissioner Stanton secretary pro tem

It being provided in the charter of the City and County of San Francisco that the members of this commission should so classify themselves by lot that their term of office should expire at different times. In obedience therewith said Commissioners proceeded to and did classify themselves by lot: by which lot classifications it was determined that Commissioner F. W. Zeile should hold office for one year. Commissioner A. B. Spreckels should hold office for four years: Commissioner John A. Stanton should hold office for two years; Commissioner M. J. McDonald should hold office for four years. Commissioner R. H. Lloyd should hold office for three years

Whereupon, on motion, it was ordered that the Secretary of this Board enter such classification in the record of the proceedings of this Board of this day, and make a copy thereof, to be certified by the Secretary of this Commission and signed by all of the members of said Board, and the Secretary shall thereupon file such certified copy with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of this City and County.

I, Philip J Fay, clerk of the Park Commission of the City and County of San Francisco, hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of the minutes of the proceedings of the first meeting of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in the relation to the determination and classification by lot of said Commissioners as to the term of their respective offices.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand at the office of said Commissioners in the City and County of San Francisco, this tenth day of January A. D. 1900.

Philip J Fay.

We the Park Commissioners certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of the minutes of the first meeting, held by the Park Commissioners so far as their proceeding relating to the classification of said commissioners. January 10th 1899

signed: A B. Spreckels.
Thad W Zeile.
M I McDonald.
John A. Stanton.
R H Lloyd.

Next order came the election of President of the Board of Park Commissioners for the ensuing year, on motion made by Com Zeile seconded by Mr Lloyd Com Spreckels was unanimously elected to the position of President of the Board of Park Commissioners.

Com Spreckels took the chair and the Board proceeded to the election of a permanent Secretary; Nominations being in order Mr Philip Fay by was placed in nomination by Com Zeile seconded by Com McDonald for position of Secretary of the Board with salary fixed at $125 per month and furthermore that the secretary be required to file a bond of $5000 said bond to be approved of by the Mayor of San Fran and filed with the Auditor.

dont appr until bonds do.

Nominations being closed and the motion of Com Zeile being put to the Board. Mr Philip J. Fay was elected to the position of Secretary of the Board.

On motion of Mr Lloyd seconded by Com Zeile: Miss M B. Fairman was placed in nomination for the position of book keeper, at a salary of $100 per month with bonds fixed at $500. The motion being put was carried and Miss Fairman was elected to fill the position of book keeper.

It was resolved by the Board that the Secretary and Supt. of the Park proceed at once to the public squares in city of San Francisco now under the jurisdiction of the Board of of Park Commissioners, and after dismissing all employes of said squares with the exception of the head gardener, that they proceed to take an inventory of the property belonging to the different squares and report the result of their investigation to the next meeting of the Board.

The commission adjourned to meet Wednesday Jan 10/900 at 11 oclock. Park Lodge.

Jno A. Stanton
Secy pro tem

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 10th 1899 at Park Lodge.
Were present

Com- Spreckels Pres
. R.H. Lloyd
. Jno. A. Stanton
. Zeile
. McDonald.

The following business was transacted

Minutes. Minutes of previous meeting taken by Com Stanton acting as temporary secretary were read and approved, and ordered spread on regular minute book.

Certificate of Classification. Com Lloyd introduced certificate of classification of Park Commissioners, which was ordered spread upon minutes of previous meeting, and filed with the Clerk of the Board of supervisors.

The secretary proceded to read communications and report of investigations made by Supt. McLaren of the several Parks and squares as per instructions received at previous meeting.
Com McDonald moved that the report be accepted and the number of men suggested by the Supt. be employed to maintain the Parks and Squares now under cultivation On amendment of Com Zeile and accepted by Com McDonald the following was adopted, and the Supt. empowered to employ

At Alms Square	1	gardner	and 3	laborers.
" Alta	1	"	" 2	"
" Lafayette	1	"	" 1	"
" Hamilton	1	"	" 2	"
" South Park			" 1	"
" Union	1	"	" 1	"
" Washington			" 1	"
" City Hall Grounds	1	"	" 2	"
" Jefferson Square	1	"	" 2	"
" Garfield	1	"		
" Columbia	1	"	" 1	"
" Portsmouth	1	"	" 1	"

Wages $2.00 It was understood and agreed that this commission strictly adhere to provision made by the charter as to the wages of laborers, which is (2.00) Two dollars per day and (8) eight hour constitute a days.

Blackboard Com Stanton was empowered to purchase a blackboard and paraphernalia for same, to be used in this office.

Donations The secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt and extend thanks for the donations received during the past week at the museum.

Police The secretary was also instructed to communicate with the Chief of Police, and in conformity with the charter Sec 7 of Art 14- request him to detail the same Police Officers as have been heretofore, on duty in the Park

On motion of Com Spreckels it was agreed to hold the regular meetings of the commission on the first and last Saturdays of the month.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to meet at the call of the Pres.

Philip J. Fay
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held January 27th 1906.

Were present Comr. Speckels (in chair)
Comr. Zeile.
Comr Stanton.
Comr McDonald.
Comr Lloyd.

The following business was transacted.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

About — Supt McLaren's monthly report read and approved on motion of Comr Zeile the recommendations and suggestions be accepted and the Supt be empowered to carry out same with the exception of Union Square, which matter was left to further consideration of the commissioners.

Supt — The Supt was instructed to call upon Mr Howard of the Spring Valley Water Wks, and make arrangements to have water supplyed to the squares & parks and report such arrangements to the commissioners, for action.

Goethe — A communication from the Goethe-Schiller Monument Commit. requesting the commissioners to approve of the site selected for the said monument was read and the proposed site approved.

Secy — The Secy was instructed to get complete list of all the trees shrubs owned by the park in the Japanese Quarters. also a list of trees & shrubs claim by the management of said quarters

Secy was instructed to send bill to the Police Commissioners for the boarding and keeping of the horses used by the mounted police in the park at the rate of $20 per month

McLaren's Report — It was resolved that hereafter no cut flowers or plants should be given to any organization. institution or person (except for charitable purposes) without first having gained permission from the Board of Commissioners

Warrants to the amount of $17,616.44 were approved and ordered paid.

Labor . $ 13614.80
Material - $ 4001.64

The Board then adjourned.

Philip J. Fay.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the park lodge Feby 3. 1900

Were present Com Spreckels in chair.
" Zeile
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Kloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communications read and secty instructed to acknowledge same; also to state in answer to Olmstead Bros request for photos & maps for exhibition purpose that the time allowed is too short for the commissioners to make a proper exhibit therefore respectfully decline.

On motion of Com Kloyd duly carried Com Zeile was appointed a committee of one to confer with Mr G. T. Marsh in regard to the ownership of the plants, shrubs and articles in the Japanese Garden and also to improve on the present system of management and report the result to the commissioners for action

The secty was instructed to communicate with the proper authorities to have the ash bin situated on the northeasterly side of the City Hall grounds removed.

On motion of Com Zeile duly carried to have the Supt allot grounds and spaces for the planting and cultivation of flowers in groups, so as to be seen collectively during their season and make the massing display one of the special features in the park.

On motion of Com Zeile the supt was instructed to report at the next meeting to plant trees, so that a cathedral effect might be obtained, also to suggest the kind of trees.

Philip J Fay
Secty

Special meeting

At a special meeting held Feby 19/00 in the Kloyd office
Were present Commissioners Spreckels in chair
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Zeile

Secty read communications and was instructed to draft reply for reading at the next meeting

meeting adjourned

Philip Fay

At a regular meeting of the Park commissioners held Feb 24/00 at the Park Lodge

Were present Commissioner Spreckels. in chair
" Zeile
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report — Supt McLaren report for July read and approved and secty instructed to give same to the press for publication

Police — Comm Lloyd was appointed a committee of one to interview Chief of Police Sullivan and ask him to state his requirements

Donations — Com Lloyd move to accept and acknowledge the donations received at the museum

School Grounds — Comms McDonald & Zeile were appointed a committee to confer with the Board of Education in regard to gardeners for the maintenance of grounds around the schools

Demands — Demands amounting to $1643.77 ordered paid.
Labor 629.13
Material 1014.64

On motion made by Comm Zeile the following committee was appointed to consider all donations received for the museum, and act as a advisory committee for the same Committee to be reported Mrs Sperry Irving M. Scott Albert Dodge. Com Commissioner Stanton.

On motion duly moved design No 1 was accepted for Union Square.

Carried Adjourned

Philip J Fay
secty

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held March 8-1900 at the Park Lodge

Were present Comm McDonald (in the chair)
" Zeile
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Supt on proposed flower Calendar — Report of supt on proposed flower calendar was read: and the suggestions offered to be carried into effect: and the report ordered filed:

Request — Request made by C. D. Palfield for a exclusive franchise to operate motor communibusses in the park: Denied.

Petition Vacation — Petition of C.P. Wilcomb for a leave of absence, in order to make three trips in Lake, Sonoma and Mendocino counties granted.

Ord Ordinance — On motion of Commissioner Stanton the following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting.
With the exception hereinafter stated, all persons are prohibited from riding, or driving any automobile or similar vehicle within the boundaries of Golden Gate Park or on the avenue leading thereto, or on the Great Highway excepting that automobiles may be used on the southerly side of the said Park, commencing at Waller & Hangum sts thence along the said drive to the beach: the speed not to exceed eight miles per hour.
Comm Zeile voting no on the above for the reason that the contemplated action is too broad in its nature, and that the park commissioners would do well to follow the experience obtained in Central Park, New York, where automobiles are only allowed under permit of one of the commissioners and also furthermore limited to the electric storage battery system.

On motion of Commissioner Zeile, duly seconded the following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting. ——

No person having the care of any dog shall suffer or permit such dog to enter or remain in Golden Gate or avenue leading thereto, or any of the parks or squares or along the Great Highway, unless such dog be lead by a line of suitable strength, and of not more than six feet in length, and one person shall be allowed to lead more than one dog, either by hand or behind a wagon, nor shall any dog be lead or attached to a bicycle.

Boxer Guns Communication from Secty Long of the Navy Dept: washg. authorizing the loan of two brown troplay guns to G.G.P. was read and guns accepted.

Purchasing horses Commissioner Spuckels was authorized with full power to acted to purchase such horses as required by Supt McLaren.

Sign at Cliff House On motion of com Zeile the Amer Steel & Wire Co be requested to remove or modify the sign appearing on the Wire fence donated by them to the park. Carried.

-X-

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J Fry
secty

-X- Chief of Police Sullivan called at the meeting and requested the commissioners to grant the police department permission to erect a police station on the park property at the junction of Fredrick and Stanyan Sts. plans. were shown to be submitted to the commissioners. petition granted.

Fry

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Bohemian Club. March 8-1900

Were present Comr McDonald in the chair.
Comr Spuckels
Comr Zeile
Comr Kloyd
Comr Stanton

Union Sq Bids The first order of business was the opening of bids for loam to be used in Union Square: The following were received.

From	San Fran Contg Co -	74¢ pr. cubic yard
	Peter McHugh	60¢ . . .
	Geo. W. Elder	58¢ . . .
	Owen McHugh	57¢ . . .

Also bids from Jno Tuttle and Frank Gibbs & Co. who not having complyed with the resolution by failing to send certified check for 10% of their bid: the bids were thrown out.
On motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr Kloyd that Owen McHugh being the lowest bidder be awarded the contract to deliver 1500 cu yards of loam to Union Square, and the same to be measured in the wagon by a competent man.
Secty instructed to return check and notify the bidders of the award.

Secty also instructed to request the chief of Police to furnish four horses for the mounted police.

Commissioner Spuckels moved that automobiles be prohibited from entering or using any portion of the park, as he believes they would be the source of numerous accidents caused by the frightening and running away of horses.
Comm. Z. offered the following amendment which was accepted by Comr Kloyd to the amendment offered by him. With exceptions hereinafter stated, all persons be prohibited from riding or driving any automobile or similar vehicle within the boundries of Golden Gate Park or on the Great Highway or on the avenue leading thereto, excepting automobiles propelled by electric power & thereby complying with the laws which regulate automobiles in Central Park, New York. Such owners to secure a permit by application to the Park Commissioners

Mch 8/00 The vote on the amendment offered was as follows
Ayes Nays Ayes: Comr. Zeile. Comr Kly. Comr Stanton.
Nays: Comr. Spreckels & McDonald.
Commissioner Spreckels desires to go on record as voting against the admission of automobiles in G. G. Park.

Secty instructed to notify the press that there being no ordinance passed by the commissioners permitting automobiles in the Park, it will be necessary to obtain a permit from the commissioners before they will be allowed to use the drives.

No further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J. Kay

At a special meeting held in the Mills Bldg March 30/00

Were present: Commissioner Spreckels. (chair)
Commissioners Stanton.
Commissioners Zeile.
Commissioners Kloyd.
Commissioners McDonald.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Plants and Trees On motion of Comr McDonald seconded by Comr Kly the Secty was instructed to acknowledge receipt and extend the thanks of the commission to Mr Julius Kalen for the plants received from the national botanic gardens at Washington. D.C.

Supt. McLaren report for march was read: and Supt Supt was empowered to carry into effect the suggestions offered the report ordered filed.

Deer Park Commissioner Zeile appointed committee of one to confer with with the Market St. R. R. Co. in regard to the offer made by Mr Fritz Scheel to give a series of concerts in the park.

Deer Secty was instructed to notify Bd of Education that the Park Comrs would assume management and control of all gardens surrounding school building on and after April 1st 00

Police Station On motion of Comr Kloyd, seconded by Comr McDonald the Supt was instructed to remove to remove the building formerly used for a police station: also to erect for the curator of the Museum a small building suitable for warehouse purposes

Museum Comr Stanton was appointed a committee of one and authorized to purchase the necessary materials for curtains to be put up in the museum.

Estimate for 1900-01 It was regularly moved and seconded that Comr Spreckels in submitting the estimated cost for the maintenance and

March 31/00 construction for the ensuring year be placed at $200,000.

Supt instructed to submit at the next meeting the cost of opening a drive from the south Drive to 19th ave.

Demands Demands for the month of March amounting to $1,033.42 were ordered paid. Emp: Labor: 16.233.60
Material: 4799.59,

Meeting adjourned to meet in Com Zeile office at 12 M. Saturday March 31/00

Philip J. Fay.

March 31/00

At a regular meeting of the P.C. held in Com Zeile office Mills Bldg. March 31/00

Were present Com. McDonald. (in chair)
Com. Zeile
Com. Kloyd.

Ordinances On motion of Com Kloyd all ordinances under consideration be laid over until next regular meeting: as there not being a sufficient number of Commissioners present to act upon them. carried.

The following ordinance was introduced for action at the next regular meeting.

Ordinance on bicycles.

All persons riding upon a bicycle. tricycle velocipede or similar vehicle in Golden Gate Park are prohibited from scorching by permitting their machines to coast down the grades or riding without their hands on the handlebars.

Meeting adjourned

Philip J. Fay

April 7/00. A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Apl 7-1900 at Park Lodge. were present. Comm Mc Donald in chair.
. Kloyd
. Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to confer with chief of Police and Board of Public Works in regard to having plans submitted for a new police station in the parks.

Comm Kloyd moved that Supt McLaren be empowered to purchase the articles asked for by Geo Murphy lessee, Childrens Quarters. same in compliance with terms of lease. carried.

Water Comm Kloyd moved that Supt McLaren be instructed to call and make arangements and terms, with the Spring Valley Water Co. for supplying water to parks and Squares. carried.

In answer to the offer submitted by F. P. Giorgi of Pacific to sell a white female deer for 30.00, or with two common deer 50.00. Secretary instructed to offer him 40.00 for three deer, if they are delivered in good sound healthy condition and the doe pure white as represented.

In answer to the request of the Sunset Supt Club to have two electric lights placed at the ninth ave entrance to the park. Supt was instructed to have one electric light erected at the above mentioned entrance.

In conformity with the request from the Supt of Schenley Park Pittsburg, Pa Supt McLaren was instructed to forward a copy of the plans and dimensions of the Children Quarters also photos of Huntington Gate

Supt instructed to employ teams to haul the manure offered by A. Volpe at 1715 Pacific St

Comm Kloyd moved that all ordinances under consideration be laid over until next regular meeting, time not being in session

Bids On motion of Comm Kloyd, duly carried the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids on Coal, Hay, Lumber, Feed, Oil, Paints, Pipe, also to send copies of notices to all dealers in articles required. samples & certified check to accompany each bid.

Police Comm Stanton was empowered to purchase two bicycles for the use of Park special bicycle police.

19th Ave Entrance Supt McLaren submitted designs and estimated cost of the opening of an entrance from 19th ave to the south drive, as requested by the 19th Ave boulevard club. The secretary was instructed to notify the club that in compliance with their request, which stated that they were prepared to pay for the furnishing of the labor and material necessary to construct the opening, that the commissioners would accept the proposition and also furnish the team and labor necessary for completion and all work to be done under the supervision of the Supt of Golden Gate Park.

Cases Statuary Comm Stanton was empowered to have repaired and put in good condition, all the statuary in the museum and Concert Valley that is injured &c.

It is the sense of this meeting to extend a vote of thanks to Comm Kloyd for the donation received at the museum from time

Phillip Kloy
Secretary

April 25th At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Apl 24th 00
at the Park Lodge, present

Comm Sheehels Chair.
" Lloyd.
" Stanton

Bids Order of business being the opening of bids received in answer to the proposals advertised for in the Evening Post
The awards were as follows to the lowest bidders.

Hose Ex Boston Rubber Co to supply 3000 ft more or less 1½" 4 ply hose as per sample and contract @ 20¢ per foot.

To the Boston Woven hose & Rubber Co
2000 ft more or less 1" 4 ply hose @ 11½¢ per foot
and as sample furnished and terms of contract

To Miller Hose & Scott
1000 ft 1" Galvanized pipe @ 11.15 per 100 ft
2000 ft 1½" " " " 17.25 " 100 "
same as sample furnished and terms of contract

Pipe To Crane Co
500 ft 2" Galvanized pipe @ 12¾ ¢ per foot
same as sample furnished and terms of contract

Cement To J J Moore Sons & Cantrell
100 bbls Portland cement in 10 bbl lots $2.95
20 " " $2.90 per bbl.
to be delivered according to terms of contract

Paint To Middleton
100 bbls Santa Cruz brand @ 7¢ per lb.
to be delivered according to terms of contract

Oil To Heather Oil Co
100 bbls Special Linseed Oil @ 77¢ per gal.
100 " Raw " @ 75¢ "

Coal To [illegible]
[illegible] Coal @ $1.50 per ton
" " " " $1.60 " "
" " " " $1.70 " 40¢
" " " " $1.80 " Free
[illegible] delivered and terms of contract

[illegible]
[illegible] to be delivered at the rate of
[illegible] Redwood & Spruce wood
" Mixed
[illegible] according to terms of contract

All supplies to be delivered in Golden Gate Park as required within six months of date of contract, and all samples to be kept for reference. All articles to be delivered in quantities as required more or less.

Coal On motion of Comm Lloyd duly carried the bids on coal were laid over till Saturday April 28/00, so that a test of the different brands of coal could be made.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned till Saturday Apl 28/00 @ 2 PM

April 28th At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held April 28th at Park Lodge were present

Comm McDonald. Chair
" Veile
" Hanlon
" Lloyd.

Minutes of the two previous meeting read and approved.

Supt McLaren monthly report for the month of April read, and on motion of Comm Veile, the suggestion offered in the report was ordered to be carried into effect

In regard to the petition received from the Sunset Park Supt Chute requesting the improvement of Lobos Alley not to commence at once, also of using a thousand dollars to assist and aid the improvement. Secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt of petition and state they will be further advised on receipt of Supt report. Supt McLaren was instructed to inspect the ground and submit a report

[illegible] amount to be secured from [illegible] Wilson & Co under the maximum allowed for a year in the list of persons under salary, in order that he might visit the museums of Europe. On motion of Comm Veile it was ordered that no action be taken at present, but should he not [illegible] be allowed an additional month with pay

On motion of Comm Hanlon Mr Graham was appointed Gardener & Landscape Architect in charge of Conservatory & Nursery at Park Lodge.

On motion of Comm Veile Mr Graham was appointed Foreman of Conservatory & Nursery at Park Lodge.

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On motion of Comm Veile

Apl 25 1900 Fund

On motion of Comm Zeile all funds standing in the name of the Park Commissioners now in the Bank of Lala, be drawn and invested by the Pres ident of the commissioners so that a revenue will be derived from the same.

Cultivation

On motion of Comm Zeile Supt was instructed to investigat and report on a location that would be favorable for the planting of populars, so that an earlier effect might be obtained.

Supt authorized to forward letter to Dr Gassaway, and also carry into effect all suggestion regarding and connecting the seam in Mountain Lake.

Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to investigate the requirements asked for by the museum curator.

Following demands were ordered paid

Salary	13773.10
Material	612.25
	$14385.35

Phillips & Hay

May 5/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held May 5-1900 at the Park Lodge were present Comm Spreckels in chair
. Kloyd
. Zeile
. McDonald
. Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved

Lighting Communication from City and County Attorney Lane, stating that in accordance with the Charter the Board of Public Works has the control and management of the lighting of all Parks & Squares: On motion of Comm Kloyd: Supt McLaren was instructed to forward to the Board of Public Works, the and cost and expense attached to the maintaining of the lighting plant in the Park also a statement showing the number of lights and other data and that a bill be made out and presented to the Board of Public Works for the cost expense of lighting Golden Gate Park since January 8th 1900.

Autos Comm Zeile as a committee of one on automobiles, read communications received by him, regarding the admission of automobiles in Central Park N.Y. and asked that further time be given him in order to get the full rules which regulate automobiles in New York Parks. Granted

Auto Permits Requests were made by Mr Thos H. B. Varney and Mr Byron Jackson for permits to run their automobiles in the Park. Secty was instructed to notify them that the commissioners had under consideration an ordinance which would govern the admission of automobiles in the Park.

Street Sweeping Comm Zeile reported on street sweeping and asked for further time, when he would make a full report, also asked for further time on Police matters - Granted.

Ravine On motion of Comm Kloyd, seconded by Comm Stanton the Supt was instructed to submit the estimated cost for improving the general appearance & condition of the ravine by trimming, sodding of grass & etc.

May 5/00 cont'd — Supt. was also instructed to submit the cost of the furnishing of water used for the sprinkling of the Sprinkling Wks roads.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J. Fay
Secty.

May 26/00 — At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held May 26:00 at the Park Lodge. were present Com. Spuckels. chair.
. McDonald
. Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Supt report for the month of May read, and suggestions & Hospital Lot — recommendations, ordered to be carried into effect. in regard to the improving of hospital lot, the secty was instructed to notify the Improvement Club that the Park Commissioners would assist them in improving the lot, provided they receive the $300.00 subscribed too by the property owners of that vicinity.

Auto — On motion duly carried the Automobile ordinance & communications relating to same, were laid over until next meeting.
Gruber — also the petition relating to F. Gruber was laid over.
Bldg Trades Council — Communication from Building Trades Council ordered filed
Garfield — Request from Garfield Post No 311 asking for permission to decorate the Garfield monument on May 30. Granted.

Columbia Sq Childrens Play — Communication from the Board of Education in reference to converting Columbia Square into a Childrens Play Ground. was ordered laid over, until the Supervisors shall appropriate the $5000.00 dollars asked for by the Board of Education, in order to equip and maintain the same.

Removal Ali Squire — On motion of Com Stanton duly carried the position of Watchman held by H. Ali Squire in the museum was ordered abolished, to take effect on and after June 1st 1900

Com Stanton was authorized to enter into a contract Statuary Cleaning — with R.D. Aitken to repair the statuary and plastic thereon for the sum of $150.00 which is in accordance with his bid.

Demands for the sum of $2011.63 were ordered paid
Labor for the month of May. 1162.55
Material . . . 582.5.08

Meeting adjourned.

Philip J. Fay secty

June 2/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held June 2-00 at the Park Office were present

Comm Speckels in chair.
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Sprinkling Rds Supt McLaren report on the cost of furnishing water for the sprinkling of roads ordered filed pending further investigation.

Tunnel In regard to the proposed tunnel and path leading to the new music stand as suggested. The Supt was authorized to construct same in accordance with plans submitted.

Ordinance On motion of Comm Stanton and seconded by Comm Zeile the ordinances and communication relating to Automobiles was laid over till next meeting.

F Grubes Petition regarding the appointing of F. Grubes was laid over for further consideration.

Geological Museum During the absence of C. P. Wilcomb curator of the museum the Supt was instructed to give the necessary attention to the business of the museum.

On motion of Comm Stanton the Supt was instructed to remove the horse trail on the speed track to a less conspicuous place

Sec'y

June 13. 1900 At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in the Assembly Hall Mills Bldg June 13-1900 were present

Comm. Speckels. chair
" Stanton
" Zeile.

On motion of Comm Zeile minutes of previous meeting was suspended with.

Bids for Grubes The object of the meeting being the opening of bids received in answer to advertised proposals for the furnishing and delivering of 3000 more or less benches to the Park. The following bids were received.

		Constructed	material
From	Geo. H. Fuller & Co.	3.71 each	3.31
	Benicia Agricultural	2.66⅔ "	
	C. F. Weber & Co.	3.08 "	2.95
	Andrew Wilkie	3.211 "	4.00 per M 1.15 pr casting
	Vulcan Iron Works	3.23 "	2.73
	R. Herring	3.115	2.65
	A. C. Poulk	3.65	2.115
	D. H. Manning Mills	4.00	3.25
	R. C. Andrus.	3.47½	Total $704.25 cc
	Cala Artistic Wire Co.	3.24	9720 cc
	A. P. Terry.	2.89	2.115

After due consideration the contract was awarded to the Benicia Agricultural Works. their bid being the lowest

Sec'y.

June 30/00 At a regular meting of the Park Commissioners held June 30 00 at the Park Lodge were present

Commissioner Spreckels in chair
" Stanton
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meting read and approved.

Supt McLaren report for the month of June read and suggestions & recommendations ordered carried into effect.

The following measures and communications were ordered laid over untill next meeting.

Auto — Ordinances and communication on Automobiles.

Letter from the California Club requesting one half of Columbia Square for a Childrens Play Ground.

An offer to sell two grizzly cub bears

Rockwork — A bid from A E Buckman to do all rockwork on Hospital Lot for 18¢ per cubic foot

A committee from the Hospital Lot Imp Club called requesting the work on the square to be commenced as soon as possible. also deposited $1000 check. being the subscription raised from the property owners, to aid and assist in improving the new park

Demands amounting to $21547.61 were ordered paid

Labor 15145.55
Material 6402.06

On motion of Comm Zeile the meting adjourned to be continued at 2 P M Monday July 2

July 2/00 At the continued meeting of the Park Commissioners held Monday July 2/00 in the Assembly room of the Mills Building

were present Comm Spreckels Chair
" Kloyd
" Stanton
" Zeile

The following business was transacted from the Saturday meting.

Lighting Panhandle — The communication from the Board of Public Works referring to the lighting of Golden Gate Park was referred to Commissioner Kloyd. as a committee of one with full power to act.

Automobiles — Ordinances and communications relating to the admission of automobiles in G G Park were referred to Comm Zeile. he to investigate and suggest at the next meting what action the Commissioners should take in the matter.

Columbia Sq Childrens Pg — Regarding the request from the Cala Club to give one half of Columbia Square for a childrens Playground was referred to Comm Kloyd to send a communication to the club denying the request.

Manure Stables — On motion of Comm Zeile duly second the proposition made by M J Ryan the city scavenger to haul manure from the Police Stables to G G Park was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate and report at next meeting

Buffalo Calf — E P Allen of Berman Idaho offering the sale of two grizzly cubs, was recommended to the Chutes & Glen Park Zoo

Music Stand — The arrangement of a program suitable for the opening of the new music stand was referred to Comm Zeile he to report at the next meting

Electric Lights — The supt was instructed to have the signs of the Casino removed from the front

July 2/00 The request from the lessee of the Japanese Garden to give a Japanese fireworks display at the opening of the new Music Stand was referred to Supt McLaren to report at the next meeting.

Respectfully
Phil J. Fay

July 7/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held July 7 00 at the Park Lodge were present

Commissioner Lloyd- Chair
" Stanton
" Zeile

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt McLaren report on the hauling of from the Fire & Police stables was read. and his recommadition to give $1.50 pr load of six cubic yard. delivered, was adopted. and Secty was instructed to communicate with Bo of Public Works, informing them of the adoption. which is to continue at the pleasure of the P Comm. Also a report on the display of Japanese Fireworks to be given on the opening day of the new music stand was read and Supt McLaren was authorized to make full arrangements.

Petition from the property owners in the vicinity of Alta Plaza requesting the improving of the unimproved of the square was ordered filed. Secty instructed to acknowledge.

Communication from B. F. Haubrich offering the sale of deer declined.

Letter from Geo Schweim of Huron Cala offering the sale of the Condor. which was received several days past was referred to Commissioner Stanton to answer with full power to act.

Letter from Mr Denny Malone regarding the lawn on his lots was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act

Communication from the committee of W. P. & W requesting several designs in tapestry gardening upon the slopes and lawns, representing the Arch and Bear Flags the seal of the state and other designs was referred to Supt McLaren who was instructed to comply as far as possible with the request

Comm Zeile as a committee on music and automobiles was granted further time

Comm Lloyd as a committee on drafting a answer to the letter from the Cala Club requesting one half of Columbus Sq for a children Playground submitted a letter which the secty was directed to read.

July 7/00 Comm Lloyd as a committee on the disputed liability of the lighting of Golden G. Park by the Bo of Public Works submitted the opinion of the City and County attorney - which read:

San Fran. May 5-'00

Gentlemen:

Lighting of Golden Gate Park

I am in receipt of your communication of April 6, submitting for an opinion the question whether under the charter the Bo of Public Wks or the Bo of Park Comm'rs should provide light and water for all public squares, lights for the Parks and water for the sprinkling of the public avenues and boulevards therein.

Section 9 of Chapter I Article VI provides that "the Board of Public Works shall have charge, superintendence and control under such ordinances as may from time to time be adopted by the Supervisors, for the cleaning and sprinkling of all public streets, avenues, alleys, places, courts, roads, highways and boulevards and the lighting of the same, and the lighting of the parks, squares and other public places and public buildings."

Under this section it would seem to have been the clear intention of the the charter framers to place the lighting of the public parks and squares under the control of the Bo of Public Works, but not so the cleaning and sprinkling of the avenues therein. The section recognizes a clear cut distinction between those parts of the city which the Bo of Public Works shall clean, and sprinkle, and those which it shall also light. The Public Works Dept has control of the lighting of all avenues &c that it cleans and sprinkles, and of the parks, squares and other public places and public building. Moreover the words avenue and boulevard as used in the above quoted section are not descriptive of the driveways and paths of parks and squares but of certain classes of open public streets named on the maps as avenues and boulevards.

The parks and squares are to be cleaned and sprinkled by the Board of Park Commissioners and lighted by the Bo of Public Works

Respectfully yours

Franklin K Lane.

The Board of Park Commissioners.

also a further request of the Park Comm asking the City & County Attorney for his opinion as to who should pay for the lighting of the public parks and squares which reads as follows:

Offices of The Park Commission
of the City and County of San Francisco

Honorable
Franklin K. Lane.
City and County Attorney.

Dear Sir:-

Lighting of Parks & Squares

On behalf of the Park Comm'rs I was directed to communicate with you in relation to the lighting of public parks and squares. Prior to May 5-00 the question was submitted to you, as to who should provide light and water for public squares and parks. On May 5-00 in reply to that communication, you sent a written opinion that the Park Comm'rs were required by the charter to provide the water for public squares and parks, and the Bo of Public Works lights for the squares and parks. Upon your opinion being submitted to the Bo of Public Works, it suggested you did not decide as to who should pay for the light so furnished, whether it was the Bo of Public Wks or the Park Commissioners, and, for the purpose of getting your opinion on that proposition the matter is now again respectfully re-submitted to you.

In consideration of that question, the Bo of Public Wks requested me to call your attention Section 11 of Article XIV page 365 of the Annotated Edition of the San Fran charter (Treadwell's); and subdivision 3 of Section 9 Article VI Chapter I of the charter, to be found on page 160 of the same annotated edition; and on behalf of the Park Comm'rs your attention is called to the proposition that in article VI, under the head of the Dept of Public Works, the Board of Public Wks is authorized and empowered to let contracts for all matters under its control, and the manner of payment is provided and the Park Commissioners respectfully submit that under the terms of the charter, the Board of Public Wks must not only furnish the light, but pay for it out of the funds under its control.

You are respectfully urgently requested to render an opinion as soon as possible on this matter, because the Park Comm'rs relying upon your former opinion, have presented bills to the Bo of Public Wks for the lighting of parks and squares, which bills on account of the misunderstanding above mentioned are yet unpaid. Will you be kind enough to send a copy of your opinion to the Bo of Public Wks and also the Park Comm'rs and oblige.

Yours Respectfully
P. H. Lloyd
For the Park Comm'rs

San Francisco July 6-1900

July 7/00 cont. Secty was instructed to check the Wilcomb collection in the museum.

Permit for articles taken out

On motion of Comr Zeile duly seconded that nothing be taken from the Park or museum without a permit issued by the Secty and he to receive his authorization from some member of the commission, and in all cases get a receipt for the article delivered.

Comr Lloyd was requested to draft a letter to Major Borton stating therein the fact that the $5000.00 requested by the Hospital Lot & Impt Club to be set aside by the Bd of Supervisors for the improving of the square has not been complied with: therefore it cannot be expected of the Park Comm to improve the square.

On motion of Comr Stanton the salaries of Miss Steedman and Miss Williams was advanced to $32.00 per month

Respectfully.
Philip J. Fay
secretary.

July 28/00 At a regular meeting of the P. Comm held July 27/00 at Park Lodge were present

Comm. McDonald chair
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt McLaren report for the month of July read and on motion of Comm Zeile, the suggestions and recommendations as offered were ordered adopted and carried into effect.

Report

N. P. Celebration

Mr Emilio Lastreto presenting the committee of management of the N. P. celebration called and requested the commissioners to grant them permission to hold a concert and fireworks display in front of City Hall square Date eve Sept 8th 00. On motion of Comm Stanton the request was granted: also to hold in G. G. Park Sept 9-00. a decorated automobile and bicycle parade this request was laid over one week.
On motion of Comr Stanton it was agreed that the opening of the new music stand would be held Sept 9-1900.
The N. P. committee were also granted the use of Columbia and Washington Squares to hold sacred concerts Sunday eve Sept 9-00 and on Thursday morning Sept 11 00 permission was given to hold a competitive drill of School children on the crescent at the music stand.

Music Stand Tablet

Comr Stanton was appointed a committee of one to submit at the next meeting a design of a tablet for the music stand stating the donor and date of dedication

Turnstiles

On motion of Comr Stanton Supt McLaren was ordered to remove the turnstiles in front of the museum

Water lilies

The Secty was instructed to acknowledge and vote thanks to Mrs. F. W. Smith of Oakland for the fine assortment of Water lilies rec'd also to Mr Mutch of Honolulu for the grand assortment of orchids and two Hawaiian geese

Trees

Mr Hoffer on loan of F. W. Dogherty & and Mr Hugler Shearn were referred to Supt McLaren to report at next meeting in the case of Mr Hugler Shearn off the Supt was given full power to act.

July 28/00 cont'd

Demands amounting to $18.272.39 were approved and ordered paid Labor. 11467.98 Material. 3807.41

Museum catalogue

Communication from Hinton Printing Co stating that their bill for printing the museum catalogue would be $400 was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act.

Phil J Jay
secty

Aug 4/00

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 4 at the Park Lodge were present.

Comm Speckels in the chair
" Stanton
" Lloyd.
" McDonald.
" Zeile.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Loam

Supt report on loam offer read and on motion of comm Zeile the Supt was authorized to order the loam at 68¢ per cubic yard.

Ordinance

On motion of Comm McDonald the Secty was instructed to order four dozen chipmunks. voting on the motion recorded. ayes Commissioners McDonald. Lloyd. & Stanton. noes Com Zeile

Eagle & Bear

Offer tendering eagles and bears were declined with thanks

Museum

On motion of Comm Zeile seconded by Comm Lloyd Pres. Speckels appointed Comm Stanton and Zeile as a committee of two to consider the advisability of location. erection & method of conducting a suitable place wherein refreshments may be served the committee to report submitting a design at the earliest possible date.

U.S.W.V. Celebration

On motion of Comm Lloyd the secty was instructed to communicate to the committee of arrangements of the U.S. celebration. informing them that as the commissioners were considering new ordinance and rules to regulate the admission of Automobiles in the park it would be inexpedient to permit their admission before the adoption of such ordinance

Resolution Music Stand

On motion duly seconded Comm Stanton was given full power in the matter of electing a suitable inscription for the new Music Stand

Hospital Lot Fence

The Supt was authorized to spend the sum of one thousand dollars in improving the condition of hospital lots & the west-

Aug 11/00 cont'd was instructed to keep a seperate account of same

On motion of Comm Lloyd the supt was instructed to have a suitable tablet placed upon the wire gate which was donated by the Amer Steel & Wire Co.

The supt was also instructed to procure larger quarters for the Lands

Aug 25/00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 25/00 at the Park Lodge.

were present Comm McDonald Chair.
" Zeile
" Lloyd
" Stanton

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The supt report was read and approved and ordered filed and the suggestion to be carried out.

Warrants to the amount of $21.220.00 were ordered paid Labor $15527.00 Material 5693.00

Committees The committees on ordinances governing automobiles & music reported progress and will make final reports subsequently.

Lighting of Parks & Sq Comm Lloyd reported after consultation with City & County Attorney Lamb and the Board of Public Works, the progress of his investigation of the lighting of the Parks & Squares. It was his judgement that the Board of Public Wks should pay for the lighting of the squares, and that the Park Comm should take charge of the lighting of the Park temporarily. Commissioner Lloyd was authorized to so notify the Board of Public Works.

Dept of Pub Wks Letter from the Dept of Public Works touching on the delivery of street sweepings to the park, was referred to Comm Zeile to further consider and report later.

Name Hospital Lot The petition from the new Park Imp Club that the square know as Hospital Lot should be named DuBois Park, was ordered placed on file.

Wild animals again On motion of Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm Zeile Mrs C. P. Wilcomb curator of the museum was granted another months leave of absence.

Request for boats On motion of Comm Lloyd seconded by Comm Zeile the communication from Mr Louis Cummings requesting the privilege of asking a deposit for the rental of boats on Stow Lake, was

Aug 25/00 cont'd

referred to supt McLaren with power to act, he to use his discretion as to the amount of the paid deposit

A copy of the resolution passed by the Board of Supervisors offering to the Bernal Heights Fund was read.

Petition of H. J. Wilgard to erect a Cigar & Tabacco stand in the Park was refused.

The request from the Rev J. J. Pinton, to preach the gospel in the Park & Squares was denied.

On motion of Comm Zeile seconded by Comm Lloyd the communication offering the original rudder of the W. P. S Hartford, to the Park, was referred to the museum committee with power to act.

Phil J Fay
secty

Sept 1/00 A regular meeting meeting of the Park Commissioners held Sept 1st at the Park Lodge.
were present
Comm Zeile.
There not being a quorum present the meeting adjourned to the call of the chair.

Sept 29/00

at a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Sept 29-00 at the Park Lodge:

were present

Commissioners Spreckels
" Kloyd
" McDonald
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Supt McLaren report read and suggestions & recommendations offered ordered carried into effect: and the secretary instructed to advertise for bids to deliver 10000 cubic yards loam before Nov 30-00

The bid from Peter McHugh for loam at 95¢ pr cubic yd being considered to high was rejected.

The request from the camera club of the Girls High School asking for permission to photograph all matters in the museum pertaining to history. The secty was instructed to communicate granting the request, but confining the club to certain hours in the morning: excepting Sat and Sundays and holidays

Petition from the property owners in the vicinity of Alta Plaza, requesting further improvement of the Square was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate the condition and report at the next meeting.

Demands amounting to $20,637.60 were examined and ordered paid. Labor 14032.60
Material 6605.

President was authorized to accept the offer of the skeletons of a wild cat & eagle: and refer the same to the museum committee.

Donation of Dr L. P Bradley of a live monkey: declined:

Sept 29/00 Communication from Mrs M. M. Child requesting the appointment of Dr. L. G. Yates to Director of the museum referred to the Museum Committee:

Supt McLaren was instructed to assume control of the grounds surrounding the hospitals: and report the condition of the same at the next meeting

On motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr Kloyd the supt was instructed to report on the conditions of the squares and parks and submit suggestions and recommendations for further improvement on the same.

On motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr Kloyd that a fence be erected and the ground improved with lawns etc in the new paddock west of Strawberry Hill preparatory to the removing of the animals

On motion of Comr Zeile seconded by Comr Stanton the suggestions and recommendations offered by the Supt in his report regarding the improvement of DeLaveaga Dell were carried into effect:

On motion of Comr Kloyd seconded by Comr Stanton the street sweeping matter was referred to the President and Comr Zeile as a committee to report at the next meeting

On motion of Comr Kloyd seconded Comr McDonald the tablet offered by Supt McLaren be ordered and placed upon the gate donated by the Amer. Steel & Wire Co.

On motion of Comr Stanton seconded by Comr McDonald a committee consisting of Comrs Kloyd & Zeile were appointed to draft an ordinance to govern the admission of Automobiles in the park: and submit the same at the next meeting:

The secty was instructed to acknowledge receipt of the copy of resolutions as was passed by the N. P Committee.

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Sept 29/00 Cont'd

Telephone

On motion of Comr Lloyd seconded by Comr Stanton Comr McDonald was appointed a committee of one, to submit at the next meeting, and report on the cost of putting a telephone system in the Park

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J Clay.

Oct 6/00

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Oct 6-1900 at the Park Lodge.

were present Comr Sprecher
" Stanton
" Zeile
" Lloyd
" McDonald.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Tel Phone

On motion of the President secd by Comr Stanton - Comm McDonald was authorized to enter into a contract to furnish the park with a telephone system.

Regular Meetings

On motion of Comr Lloyd secd by Comr McDonald the regular meeting days was changed from the first and last Saturdays of the month to the first and third Thursday evenings, to be held at the Park Lodge, and called at 8 P.M sharp.

Camera Club

On motion of Comr Stanton secd by Comr Lloyd: the motion granting the Camera Club of the Girls High School permission to fotograph articles in the museum = was rescinded -

Mountain Lake Loam

On motion Comr Zeile secd by Comr Lloyd: the secty was instructed to send a letter of thanks to Hon Julius Kahn, for the interest taken by him in obtaining permission to haul loam from mountain Lake =

Lincoln Statue

On motion Comr Lloyd secd by Comr Stanton, permission was granted to Mr W.W. Stone to fotograph the Lincoln statue in the museum =

Oats

Secty was instructed to advertise for bids on Hay & feed

Street Sweeping

Committee on Street Sweeping was granted further time

Wire Fence

On motion of Comr Zeile secd by Comr Lloyd the secty was instructed to advertise for bids for the material, to construct a woven wire fence for the deer paddock: also one wire gate. samples to be furnished

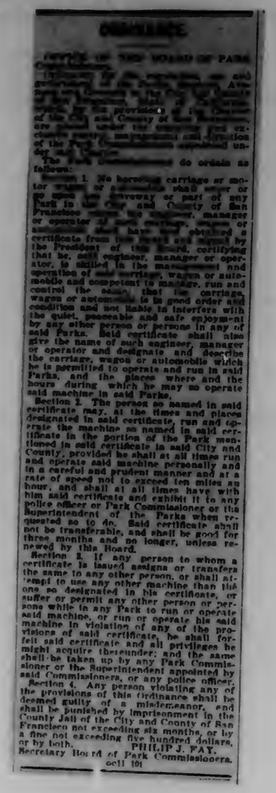
Safe

Further time was granted the committee on safe rek

Oct. 6/00 Cont'd

On motion Comr Lloyd secd by Comr Zeile the ordinance submitted by them as a committee on automobile ordinance as a substitute for the original ordinance: be adopted. Carried.

Copy of Ordinance.



ORDINANCE.

CREATED BY THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

[illegible] do ordain as follows:

Section 1. No horse or other motive power, or any part of any such motive power, or any part of any such [illegible] in the City and County of San Francisco, shall be driven, managed or operated in any Park, unless such [illegible] shall have first obtained a certificate from the Board and signed by the President of the Board, certifying that he, said engineer, manager or operator, is skilled in the management and operation of said carriage, wagon or automobile and competent to manage, run and control the same; that the carriage, wagon or automobile is in good order and condition and not liable to interfere with the quiet, peaceable and safe enjoyment by any other person or persons in any of said Parks. Said certificate shall also give the name of such engineer, manager or operator and designate and describe the carriage, wagon or automobile which he is permitted to operate and run in said Parks, and the places where and the hours during which he may so operate said machine in said Parks.

Section 2. The person so named in said certificate may, at the times and places designated in said certificate, run and operate the machine as named in said certificate in the portion of the Park mentioned in said certificate in said City and County, provided he shall at all times run and operate said machine personally and in a careful and prudent manner and at a rate of speed not to exceed ten miles an hour, and shall at all times have with him said certificate and exhibit it to any police officer or Park Commissioner or the Superintendent of the Parks when requested so to do. Said certificate shall not be transferable, and shall be good for three months and no longer, unless renewed by this Board.

Section 3. If any person to whom a certificate is issued assigns or transfers the same to any other person, or shall attempt to use any other machine than the one so designated in his certificate, or suffer or permit any other person or persons while in any Park to run or operate said machine, or run or operate his said machine in violation of any of the provisions of said certificate, he shall forfeit said certificate and all privileges he might acquire thereunder; and the same shall be taken up by any Park Commissioner or the Superintendent appointed by said Commissioners, or any police officer.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by imprisonment in the County Jail of the City and County of San Francisco not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or by both.

PHILIP J. FAY,
Secretary Board of Park Commissioners.
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On motion of Comr Lloyd secd by Comr Zeile the bids recd in answer to the advertised proposals for loam: be rejected as too high.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J. Fay
Secty

Oct. 18/00

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Oct. 18.00 at the Park Lodge

Present
Comr Spreckels
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Bids on

In answer to the advertised proposals for bids on furnishing and delivering of Hay Barly Oats & Bran the following bids were received

	75 Tons more or less wheat Hay	75 Tons more or less Oat Hay	900 Cks more or less Rolled Barley	1450 Cks Oats	75 Cks Bran	accompanied by certified check amounting to
E. Aigeltinger	14.00 per T	13.75 per T	17.75 per T	1.35 per Cental	16.00 per Ton	345.00
Hay	H. C. Ellis & Co	14.25	13.25	17.25	1.40	17.50
Oats	Peters & Comer	15.00	13.50	17.97	1.37½	.92½ per Cental
Bran	Scott & Magner	14.50	12.90	18.10	1.37½	16.50
	J. L. Vennell & Co	14.00	13.00	18.00	1.40	.90 per Cental
	Donnes & Co.	13.80	13.25	18.50	1.40	17.00

On motion Comr Lloyd secd by Comr Stanton that the contracts be awarded to the lowest bidders of the qualities as shown by samples furnished: The following contracts were awarded

Awards

For 75 Tons [or as much as may be required within 6 mos] of Gilt Edge Wheat Hay to E Aigeltinger @ $14.00 per ton
On account of the vast superiority in samples submitted the contract for 75 Tons [or as much etc] of Gilt Edge Red oat Hay was awarded to E Aigeltinger @ $13.75 per ton
For 900 Cks [or as much etc] of Rolled Barley was awarded to H. C. Ellis & Co @ $17.25 per ton
For 1450 Cks [or as much etc] of Oats was awarded to Scott & Magner @ $1.37½ per Cental
For 75 Cks [or as much etc] of Bran was awarded to E Aigeltinger @ $16.00 per ton

The following bids were received for the furnishing & delivering of 5000 ft more or less of Woven Wire fencing & staples 8 ft high also a Wire gate 12x8 ft.

Cala Wire Cloth Co	9½ cents per ft for fencing	$25.00 for gate
Amer Steel & Wire Co	$1.65 per rod	75.00
West Coast Wire & Iron Wks	Fencing & gate	$398.00
DeKalb Fence Co	6¢ per ft	11.00
Jno A Roebling Sons	Fencing & gate	$370.00
Page Woven Wire Co	" "	$566.00

After examining the samples furnished: on motion Comr Stanton secd Comr Lloyd the contract was awarded to the

Oct 18/00 cont'd

Amer Steel & Wire Co at $1.65 per rod for fencing and $25.00 for wire gate.

Loam

A bid was received from the S. F. Contg Co. offering to furnish and deliver loam at the rate of 92½ per cu yd. Rejected.

Loam

Mr F. Shuiw and P. McHugh presented themselves and submitted a proposition regarding the furnishing of loam which on motion of Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd they were requested to submit the same in writing for consideration.

Report on Squares

Supt McLaren report on the conditions, locations, & care of the small parks and squares: also recommending, suggesting and submitting plans for the further improvement of many: and on motion of Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd the Supt was authorized to spend $750.00 in the improvement of Portsmouth Square

Electric Lights

On motion of Com Stanton sec'd Com Lloyd: the Supt was instructed to have the Electric light polls in Union Sq replaced by ornamental ones.

Water Front Park

On motion of Com McDonald sec'd by Com Stanton the Supt was authorize to construct a concrete wall on the Washington St side of Lafayette Square not to exceed $1125.00

Pelican

Pelican received from the 19th Ave boulevard Club requesting that a electric light be erected at the 19th Ave entrance to the park was denied on account of there being no circuit in that vicinity

On motion of Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald, the Supt was instructed to plant 8000 trees in Holly Park.

On motion of Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald: the Supt was instructed to replace the turnstiles in the entrance to the museum

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald: That Mr De Young be requested to submit a plan for a bronze room to be constructed as a corner to the museum. Voting: Ayes Commissioners Lloyd & McDonald Noes Com Stanton

Oct 18/00 cont'd

Road from Music Stand

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald: the Supt was instructed to construct a road leading from the music stand to the main drive, running along side the Japanese Garden, and on Sundays to have Signs placed on the road leading from the main drive to the music stand, prohibiting carriages and other vehicles from using the same.

Philip V Fay
Secty

Nov 1st 00 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge Thursday evening Nov 1st 1900

Present Comm. Spreckels. Chair.
" McDonald.
" Zeile
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & apprd.

Supt McLaren read and ordered accepted. suggestions and recommendations ordered carried into effect: and on motion of Comm Zeile secd by Comm Stanton. the Supt was instructed to commence work on the terraces in Alta Plaza Square, in accordance with plans submitted.

Terraces Alta Plaza

Petition of P. Barry a park employee. agusting an advance in salary: On motion of Comm Stanton secd Comm McDonald the matter was referred to Supt McLaren with full power to act.

Petition P. Barry

Bid of Peter McHugh to supply loam to the Park @ 87½¢ per cu yd: was opened on motion of Comm Stanton secd Comm Zeile: the Secty was instructed to advertise for 5000 or more cubic yards to be delivered at the new lakes.

Loam Bid

The secty was also instructed to advertise for bids on 100 BBls Lime 2000 ft 2" Gas-pipe 1000 ft 1½" Gas-pipe 2000 ft 1½" Gas-pipe 100 BBl Cement Lumber Pine redwood rough and planed 50 Tons Penns Egg Coal 60 Tons of Steam Coal 20 Tons horse coal.

On motion Comm Zeile secd Comm McDonald Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to adjust the claim of damages due Miss Hahn for injury sustained by her in picture

On motion Comm Zeile secd Com Stanton: the supt was instructed to investigate and report at the next meeting the conditions for the heating of the Art rooms in the museum.

On motion Comm McDonald secd Comm Stanton. the communication and matter pertaining to Automobiles was laid over till Thursday

Philip J Fay
Secty.

Nov 15/00 At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm Zeile's office Nov 15/00

Present Comm Lloyd Chair:
" Zeile
" Stanton

On motion Comm Stanton secd Com Zeile the reading of the minutes of previous meeting were suspended with

Lime Bids

On motion Comm Zeile secd Com Stanton the bids on lime and cement were laid over till next meeting.

Redwood Lumber

The following bids were received on lumber from
The Pacific Lumber Co. Select Redwood Pine 22cs to 24cs pM for select Pine standards
21cs to 22cs pM for surfacing 1 to 4 sides 1" to 2" adelt
The Humboldt Lumber Co. Select Pine Redwood 16cs pM at the yard for surfacing 1 to 4 sides 1" to 3" pM adelt
Swift & Co. Redwood Pine Redwood 16cs pM select 19½ pM for surfacing 1 to 4 sides 1 to 3" adelt
Dickens Lumber Co Rough Pine Redwood 16cs pM for selects 26cs pM surfacing 1 to 4 sides 1 to 3" pM adelt

On motion Comm Zeile secd Com Stanton the contract was awarded to the Dickins Lumber Co they being the lowest bidders

The following bids were received on coal.
M. J. Stafford Co 60 Tons of Average Roslyn Coal @ 6.60 per ton delivered
J. J. Wilson Co 60 Tons White Ash 6.95 Roslyn 6.90 Southfield Wellington 7.60
Wallsend 8.25 Cumberland 8.10 " screenings 5.25
Penns Egg 11.95 Clover Cumberland Wellington & Roslyn 9.00 per ton delivered
Theo Morton 60 Tons Comox 8.25 Roslyn 6.10 {Cumberland Wellington} 6.10 Penn Egg 11.35 Cumberland Wellington 9.75

On motion Comm Zeile secd Com Stanton the following awards were made to the lowest bidders.
To M. J. Stafford Co 60 Tons of Roslyn Coal @ 6.10 per ton delivered
" Theo Morton 50 " " Penn Egg " 11.35
" J. J. Wilson Co 20 " Wallsend " 9.00

On motion of Comm Zeile secd Comm Stanton the following contract was awarded to Miller Moss & Scott on pipe they being the only bidders.
2000 ft 2" Gal Pipe @ 20.15 per 100 ft 2000 ft 1½" Gal Pipe 15.10 per 100 ft 1000 ft 1½" Gal-pipe 12.60 per 100 ft

Nov 15/00 Cont'd

On motion Com'r Stanton sec'd Com'r Zeile the bids on loam were rejected, as being too high: and the Secty was instructed to again advertize for 5000 cu yds of loam.

Supt was instructed to have signs of warning offering $25.00 reward for the arrest & conviction of any person for cutting or defacing the trees, fences, benches or any other property within the Parks or squares: same to be placed at all places where this practice prevails.

The meeting adjourned to the call of the chair.

Philip J Hug
Secty.

Dec 6/00

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Dec 6th 1900 at the Park Lodge.

were present

Comm. Speckels. Chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Zeile
" Kloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Demands amounting to $19.825.23/100 were approved and ordered paid: Salary 15.947.92 Inditud. 3.877.31

Supt McLaren report was read and accepted & ordered filed.

On motion Com'r Zeile sec'd Com'r McDonald: Com'r Kloyd was appointed a committee of one to confer with the committee on charter amendments.

On motion Com'r Zeile sec'd Com'r Stanton: H. J. Holmes Lime Co was awarded the contract for 100 BBls Portland cement @ 2.7½ per bbl and 100 BBls Santa Cruz lime @ 1.37½ per BBl: delivered Hug being the lowest bidders:

Communication from the Old Peoples Home ordered filed.

On motion Com'r Kloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: Com'r Stanton was appointed a committee of one to ascertain the cost of six ornamental cast iron gas post to be placed in Union

On motion Com'r Zeile sec'd Com'r McDonald: matter pertaining to a private telephone system in the Park be laid over till next meeting.

On motion Com'r Kloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The petition of F. G. Yates ordered filed; and the Com'r Stanton be authorized to purchase a printing outfit, for the replacing of the labels on specimens in the museum.

Dec 6th
Coun'l
Inventory

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The Secty was instructed to prepare an inventory of personal property in compliance with order passed by the Board of Supervisors.

Walks + drives around Public Bldgs

On motion Com'r Zeile and sec'd by Com'r McDonald: Commissioners Lloyd and Zeile were appointed a committee of two to confer with the City and County Attorney Lane and the Board of Public Works, on the question of maintaining the walks and drives surrounding the City Hall.

Bear Cub

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The offer of W. D Anderson of a bear cub be declined with thanks referring him to the Chutes or Glen Park.

Petition of A. W. Collins ordered filed.

Swan Shooting License

In answer to the offer of R. W. Rock to sell trumpting swans. the Secty was instructed to thank him for his offer: but on account of it being dangerous at this time of the year to ship fowl: the question will lay over until Spring

Coins

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: Action on the received old coin was laid over till next meeting.

Chute

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: That an effort be made to secure the Chute sweeping: at a price not to exceed 15 cents per cu yard.

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The following was adopted: after a carefull investigation of the Automobile question it is deemed advisable to adopt rules similar to those which govern the admission of Automobiles in Central Park: N.Y. However permission will be granted only to owners of improved electrical machines: to use the South drive from the Waller St entrance to the rock bridge at the S.W. Cor of G. G. Park: all permits to be signed by the President of this board: and not transferable: and the same to exist at the pleasure of the board: and no machine be allowed to enter the park without a proper permit

Dec 6th
Auditor Comm

On motion Com'r McDonald sec'd Com'r Zeile: Com'r Stanton was authorized to adjust the claim of damages of Miss Halm, but not to exceed the sum of $100.

Curator Collection

On motion Com'r Lloyd sec'd Com'r Zeile: The curator of the museum was instructed to call on Mrs Col Dubois and accept the collection of Manila Curios as tendered by her

Philip Zeile
Secty

Dec 20 1900 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Dec 20.00 at the Park Lodge.

Present Comm. Spreckels - chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Lloyd
" Zelle

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Miss Hahn damages. Communication from Miss Hahn accepting the offer of the Park Comm of $100 in full for damages sustained by the oil painting in the museum The secty was instructed to draw a demand for the amount.

Telephone On motion Com Zelle sec Com Stanton the telephone question was laid over one meeting

Deer on Elk Communication from Wm J Wing asking for a price on Elk deer mountain sheep the secty was instructed to quote $70 per head F.O.B. for Elk to be shipped at the risk of purchaser

Buffalo Contract On motion Com Zelle sec Com Stanton: The Supt was authorized to dispose of not more than six head of Buffalo at the rate of $75.00 per head

Petition of A J Berry ordered filed.

Sundberg Bros Bid Bid answer to Sundberg Bros request for a price to be offered on a wonder The commissioners are not disposed to make an offer but will be pleased to accept the bird as a donation

Request of the Practices Convention & the Methodist Ladies Society for grass walking ordered filed

On motion Com Lloyd sec Com Zelle: To enter into contract with P McHugh and the Union Paving Contg Co. each to deliver 2500 more or less cubic yards of gravel at the rate of 80¢ per cu yd

Letter from A C Robinson submitting a trade for 6 doz quail using the quail @ 35¢ each. The Supt was authorized to trade

Dec 20. 00 Cont'd 2 dozen quail for 1 doz Bob Whites: also to purchase ½ doz Ring Necks

Lighting Union Square On motion Com Zelle sec'd Com McDonald: Com Stanton was given further time on the lighting of Union Square

Speed Track Trees On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com Zelle: The supt was instructed to plant groupes of trees at the East entrance of the Speed Track

Concert Jany 1st 1901 On motion Com Zelle sec'd by Com Stanton: That if the weather permitting, a concert to be given on January 1st 1901

Philip J Zelle

Jan 3. 1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening January 3. 1901 at the Palace Hotel.
Were present Comm Speckels. Chair.
" Stanton.
" Kloyd.
" Zeile.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report Supt McLaren report for the month of December 00 read. and suggestion and recommendations ordered carried into effect

Demands Demands amounting $19.949.77 were approved and ordered paid Labor $5.503.45 Material $1446.32

Artillery Batteries On motion Comm Kloyd seconded Comm Zeile: The matter of the Artillery Batteries using the park drives was referred to Comm Speckels

Telephone The telephone question was laid over untill the decision is given in the telephone case now pending.

Commissioner Stanton was given further time on the lighting question

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Comm Zeile. The Supt was instructed to proceed at once to set out the trees at each entrance of the Stanyan st in accordance with plans submitted by Com Stanton

On motion Com Kloyd sec'd by Com Stanton: The secty was instructed to communicate to the Board of Public Works that the Park Commissioners would pay 15 cents per cu yd for dirt sweepings delivered at the Park

On motion Com Zeile sec'd Com Stanton the Supt was authorized to issue free dog grant to Fish Comm Alex Vogelsang.

On motion Com Kloyd The Supt was instructed to have the necessary improvements on Conservatory building at once.

Sec'y.

Jan 17/1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening Jan 17-1901 at the Park Lodge.
were present.
Comm's Speckels. Chair
" Kloyd
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Martin

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton:
Comm Speckels was elected President of the board for the ensuing term! Carried:

A request from the Olympic Club to hold a team foot race through G. G. Park on Feb 22-
On motion of Comm Kloyd, sec'd Comm Stanton the entire matter was referred to Comm Martin with power to act.

Petition from L. W Lovey for the exclusive privilege of printing and circulating the Park Music Programme for a rental of $ per yr
On motion Comm Kloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
Comm McDonald was appointed a committee of one to investigate the matter and report at the next meeting.

The offer of Peter Bacigalupi to sell an elk to the park @ $ was declined, there being an overstock at present on the Paddocks

Communication from the Bd of Public Works regarding the delivery of the street sweepings to the park.
The matter was referred to Supt McLaren to confer with the proper authorities.

The donation of Mrs Theis of a Macaw was accepted and the thanks of the commissioners extended

On motion of Comm McDonald sec'd Com Stanton Rate submitted by the Pac States Telph & Tely Co to erect a private telephone system in the park for the actual cost of labor & material and a monthly rental of $ for each phone: Was accepted and the Secty instructed to notify the Telephone Co. to proceed at once with the building of line

Jan 17/ 1901 Cont'd Check Museum

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton:
The secty was instructed to check all the articles in the museums: to be assisted by the curator:

Miss L. Stedman

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Martin
The services of Miss L. Stedman were dispensed with: & Prof Gruber reinstated as taxidermist at a salary of $50.00 per mo both to take effect from the 1st of Feby-1901

Resolution

On motion of Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton:
The following resolutions were adopted & ordered spread upon the minutes of the meeting: and an engrossed copy be sent to Mr F. W. Zeile

Office of the Park Commissioners
of the City & County of San Francisco
January 17th 1901.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held this day all members being present the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:
Whereas since our last meeting the term of Commissioner
Frederick W. Zeile
having expired, we deem it proper to make a record of our unanimous opinion of the wise skillful courteous manner in which he performed the functions of his office: and the valuable services he rendered to the public:
Therefore be it
Resolved
That it is the sense of this body that
Frederick W. Zeile
is entitled to, and there is hereby extended to him, the thanks of the Board for his ever faithful efficient and instructive services rendered at all times in assisting us in performing in an acceptable manner the duties imposed upon the Board: and we assure him, he has our best wishes for his health, happiness and prosperity.
Resolved:
That an engrossed copy of these resolutions be sent to him

By the Board.

President.

Jan 17/ Cont'd

Comr Stanton was granted further time on the question of lighting Union Square.

Loam Dolores Park

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald:
The supt was instructed to report at the next meeting, how many loads of loam would be necessary for Dolores Park also the cost: with some suggestions regarding the improvement of same.

Submitted
Philip J. Fay.
Secty

Feby 7/1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held February 7-1901 at the Park Lodge.

Present.

Commissioners Spreckels Chair.
" Lloyd
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Martin

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Supt McLaren for the month of January was read and ordered placed on file.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald.
Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to select and make full arrangements for the loaning of fish exhibits to the Southern Pacific Co. for the Chicago exposition also the President authorized to present a bill of $200.00 to the Paris Commissioners for damages sustained to the fish exhibits loaned to them: caused by the poor packing in returning the same.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin.
That a record be kept of all Park employees showing name date of appointment name of endorser also the date and cause of dischargement.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald.
The secty was instructed to advertize for bids for 1500 and cross cubic yards to be delivered to Dubock Park also same amount to Bernal Park to be delivered within sixty days from date of contract

On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Lloyd.
The secty was instructed to communicate with the Standard Oil Co inviting their input to call and give an estimate as to what it would cost to install a plant for the using of fuel oil also what the oil will cost by

Feby 7/1901 cont'd

Comm McDonald reports as a committee on the letting of the privilege of printing and circulating the Park music programmes:

Park Music Programmes

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm Martin Comm McDonald was authorized to enter into contract with Messrs Mysell & Rollins to publish & circulate the programmes at a monthly rent of $40.00: same to exist at the pleasure of the Commissioners but not longer than January 1st 1902. and at all times to be under the supervision of the Park Commissioners and Superintendent of Parks.

Labor Demand

The labor demand of W. M. Moore for labor performed on the grounds of the City & County Hospital: He was instructed to present the same to the Board of Health.

Comm Martin as a committee of one on the Olympic Club holding a team foot race through the Park on Feby 22 recommends that permission be given which was duly

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.
That Comms Stanton & McDonald be appointed a committee to investigate the affairs of the Japanese Teagarden also to ascertain the amount of ground space he requests for the further improvement of the Japanese garden

On motion of Comm Martin sec'd Comm Lloyd.
Comm Stanton was appointed as a committee of one to appear before the Board of Supervisors to enter protest in behalf of the Park Comm against the R.R. Co delaying the streets surrounding or the plot upon which the Donahue Fountain is being erected: by the erecting of poles or the laying of tracks.

On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm McDonald.
The collection of butterflies as offered for sale was referred to Comm Stanton to investigate and report.

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald
The secretarys salary was increased to $150.00 per month

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Office hours

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald
The office hours of the secretary and accountant be
from 9 AM to 5 PM.

Prof Gruber

On motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Lloyd.
The salary of Prof Gruber was increased to 60.00 per mo.

Demands for the month of January 1901 amounted
to $18.330.45 Labor $12898.20 Material $5432.25

Philip J. Fahy.
Secty

Feb 21st 01

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission, held Thursday eve
Feb 21st 1901 at the Palace Hotel:

were present
Commissioner Speckels chair
" Martin
" Lloyd
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

City Hall Sq

Communication from S.C. Bigelow regarding the shrubbery on
the east side City Hall Sq: was referred to Supt McLaren

Bronze Cannon

Offer of Wm C. Kaelin of a bronze cannon, for sale, ordered filed

Oil supplies

Communication from the United Oil Producers asking to supply
the park pumping station with fuel oil: was referred to Supt McLaren
to confer with them & report: and get the price of oil per barrel

Application

Communication from Jas Denman asking for employment to
be given M.C. Dobey: was ordered filed:

Committee

Committee on Tennis Courts & lighting, question was granted
further time:

Cannon

Communication from Dept. A. Robert (Examiner) offering a portion
of a cannon from the Philippines to be placed on Union Square
The matter was referred to Comm Stanton to investigate & report
at the next meeting.

Jap Garden Inventory

The Secty was instructed to make a list and keep a record
of all articles and ownership of articles in the Japanese Garden

Show Cases

Commissioner Stanton was authorized to purchase three
show cases for the museum

Police Police

Comm McDonald was associated a committee of one to
look into the affairs of the children Quarters and report
at the next meeting

Feb 21st 01 continued Town Clerk

The following bids were received in answer to the advertized proposals for 1500 more or less cubic yards of loam to be delivered to Duboce Park also 1500 more or less cubic yards of loam to be delivered to Bernal Park: same to be delivered within thirty days from date of contract

From	Bernal Park	Duboce Park	Accompanied by certified check & amounting to
Jno Shelby	49¢ pr cu yd	49¢ pr cu yds.	$75.00
M. J. Sullivan		49¢ . .	$100.00
P. McHugh		42¢ . .	$80.00
Union Paving & Contg Co	70¢ . .	70¢	$120.
J. Tuttle.	70¢		$120.
Owen McHugh	39¢	43¢ . .	$112.
			$106.
			$60.
			$65.

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.

Awards — The contract for furnishing & delivering 1500 cu yd cu yd of loam to Bernal Park, be awarded to Owen McHugh his bid being the lowest: also

The contract for delivering 1500 cu yds of loam to Duboce Park be awarded to P. McHugh his bid being the lowest.

Sidewalk Bernal — On motion Comm McDonald sec'd Comm Stanton the Supt was authorized to clean Horse Lake.

Submitted
Robt J. Tuttle
Secty

Demands for the month of February.

Salary	$ 512.35
Material	$ 743.21
	$ 1255.56

March 7/01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening March 7 1901 at the Park Lodge.

were present Comm McDonald chair.
" Lloyd
" Stanton
" Martin

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Supt McLaren for the month of February was read & filed And on motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com Stanton the Supt was authorized to purchase the Hendy Motor Machine Lathe as recommended in his report.

Committees — The committees on Children's Quarters Japanese Quarters Lighting question Tennis Courts Cannon were regranted further time

Communications received from The Hearst Oil Co The Union Oil Co and United Oil Producers, requesting the privilege of bidding to supply fuel oil to pumping station ordered filed

Oil Furnace Bid — The bid of The Wilcus Mfg Co to install a oil burning plant in the pumping station for $997.00 was referred to the Supt and Engineer to investigate & report on at the next meeting

Cala St. Park Co — Request from The Cala State Board of Trade for a loan of a collection of specimens of Cala Pudel was denied

Show Cases — On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Com Martin Comm Stanton was authorized to purchase 10 show cases and 11 screens for the museum as requested by the curator

Auto — A delegation of 20 members of The Auto Club of Cala appeared before the Board: and through their spokesman Mr Fred Hyde: requested the privilege of passing with Autos over the highways of Golden Gate Park the Great Highway and avenues connecting therewith: And on motion of Comm Lloyd, sec'd Comm Martin

Speed Limit for Gt Highway — That a temporary privilege be granted all Autos upon securing a permit from the President of the Board to use the South Drive from the Waller St entrance to the Great Highway thence south along the said highway: Also that Commissioner

Mch 21 cont'd — submit at the next meeting rules and regulations to govern the automobiles in the Park.

Donation — The tender of a book & pistol to the museum by Wm Huntley was accepted

Comm Sheets — Communication from M. W. Foote Cala Park Commissioner stating that the commission did not feel justified in allowing the claim of $200.00 for the damages sustained to the fish specimens, loan them. That matter was referred to Comm Spreckels for adjustment.

B. B. Games — A petition from the Burlingame Club requesting permission to play polo on the Park recreation ground Wed afternoon Mch 13-01.
On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin
That said petition granted.

Donations — On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin
The donations received at the museum be accepted: excepting the two Indian fish specimens as presented by the Cala Park Comm

Petition from the property owners & residents in the vicinity of the park requesting a portion of the Park Lodge for library purposes was ordered filed: The commissioners agreeing to meet Mayor Phelan at his office Wed afternoon to confer with him on the question.

The Secty was instructed to file a monthly statement showing the names and causes of absentees of Park employes

Phillip J. Kelly
Secty

March 21 — At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Mch 21 1901 at the Park Lodge.

were present Comm. Spreckels chair
" McDonald
" Martin
" Hanlon

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved

Oil Burners — Report of Supt McLaren on his investigation of oil burning plants recommending the Wilgus Burners for the pumping station
On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Hanlon
That the recommendation be adopted, and the plant installed, just prior to the exhausting of the present supply of fuel on hand.

Cockatoo — Offer of C. W. Walters to present a cockatoo, also requesting $5.00 for its cage: Secty instructed to answer stating: Having no use for the cage. But will accept the bird if presented by him

Painters Union — Communication from the Painters Union ordered filed

Donations Loans — List of Donations & loans as received at the museum ordered filed Secty to acknowledge acceptance to donors

Teamsters — Petition from the owners of teams handling manure as laid by the Commissioners, stating that on account of the recent strike by the teamsters: the price on one & two horse wagons will be increased, one dollar per day: The matter was referred to Supt

Teamsters Loans — On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Hanlon
Supt McLaren was instructed to report at the next meeting regarding the purchasing of two teams

Estimate Improvements — Auditor Wells requested the Park Commission to file an estimate of the income & costs of construction and maintenance of G. G. Park and squares for the fiscal year of 1901 & 1902 in answer thereto the Commissioners asked for an appropriation of $42,500.00

March 21 Comm^d. Plans to Comm

On motion Comm Martin sec^d Comm Stanton
The Secty was instructed to request Mr Thorpe, to submit plans with estimate cost for the proposed addition to the Commissioners room for library purposes.

On motion Comm Stanton sec^d Comm McDonald.
That permission be granted to M Hagiwara to improve the Japanese Garden according to the plans submitted by him. And for the first year to confine himself to the constructing of roads & walks.

Japanese Garden

Comm Martin reports as a committee on Tennis Courts recommending the erecting of as many courts as the space in front of the old music stand will permit and on motion Comm McDonald sec^d Comm Stanton
the recommendation be adopted and the purchasing of nets backstops etc be authorized

Tennis Courts

On motion Comm Stanton sec^d Comm McDonald.
That the cannon so kindly donated by the Examiner be placed in Columbia Square: also the Secty to return the thanks of the commission for the same:

Examiner Donation

On motion Comm McDonald sec^d Comm Stanton
It was decided not to renew the lease to the present tenant of the Childrens Quarters and Comm McDonald granted further time on the grounds.

Comm Martin as a committee on rules and regulations of Automobiles reported and was requested to formulate rules and present them at a special meeting to consider the same.

Comm Sherman reported the receiving of $100.00 from the Gala Fairs Comm^e for the damages sustained to the fish pond.

Comm Stanton was appointed a committee of one to report on the printing of the Annual Report

Expends March 21
Labor 1474.15
Maint 718.49
2192.64

Rudolph Spreckels Secy.

March 29/01 Special

At a special meeting of the Park Commission held in the Assembly Room, Mills Bldg. Friday afternoon
were present
Comm Martin chair.
McDonald
Lloyd
Stanton

Comm McDonald as a committee of one on matters pertaining to the Children Quarters: recommends the letting of the premises and leasing the same to a Mrs Hickok at the same rate paid by the present tenant
On motion Comm Lloyd sec^d Comm Stanton
That the report be accepted: and that the Park Commissioners take charge and operate the Children Quarters for six months employing a Supt and assistant at a salary to be determined by Comm McDonald: also a cashier at a monthly salary of $60 who is to have full charge of all receipts and moneys which are to be collected daily by Miss Fairman and deposited with Supt McLaren: and should at the expiration of six months the the management prove satisfactory to the Park Commissioners a lease may be given for a term of one year

Leasing of Children Quarters

On motion Comm Lloyd sec^d Comm Stanton
That Comm McDonald be appointed a committee of 1 to investigate and report at the next meeting on the conditions and suggestions of improvements for the Children Quarters.

Dr. Ed. Rodolph

On motion Comm Lloyd sec^d Comm McDonald
That President Spreckels be requested to select someone to gather ferns growing in high altitude of the Hawaiian Islands and the Park Commissioners to defray all expenses incurred.

Ferns for Park

On Motion Comm Lloyd sec^d Comm Stanton
That on account of the dangerous condition of the flag pole in Portsmouth Square the Supt was instructed to remove the same.

Flag Pole Portsmouth Sq.

On motion Comm Lloyd sec^d Comm Stanton
Comm McDonald was appointed a committee of one to report at the next meeting on the locations and conditions of the fruit stands in Golden Gate Park.

Fruit Stands

1901
Mch 29 Special Cont.

Commissioner Martin as a committee of one on rules and regulations governing Automobiles in G. G. Park: introduces the following Rules etc to be passed at the next meeting.

Rules and Regulations
Automobiles

THE PARK COMMISSIONERS DO ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

Rules and Regulations Governing Automobiles in Golden Gate Park

UNDER ORDINANCE PASSED OCTOBER 11, 1900

SECTION 1. No horseless carriage, motor-wagon or automobile shall enter or go upon any driveway or part of any Park in the City and County of San Francisco, except upon that driveway in Golden Gate Park, commencing at the entrance known as Waller Street Entrance and terminating at the exit on The Great Highway, which drive is known as the South Drive; and The Great Highway south from the southerly line of Golden Gate Park to its termination; and only such vehicles as are exclusively used for pleasure are to be permitted on the above described drives at any time.

SECTION 2. Every automobile shall be passed upon by an experienced engineer, designated by the Board of Park Commissioners. The said engineer shall investigate and examine such vehicles upon the following points: maximum speed, facility for changing speed, brake power, starting, turning, backing, signals, lights and bells, condition and age of machines, safety valve and apparatus, noise, vapor or odor exhaled, and any other matter that he may deem advisable to the end that no dangerous or unduly annoying machines shall be admitted to the Park. He shall examine the motorman or engineer of said vehicle as to his knowledge of the machine, the rules of the road, and shall personally witness an exhibition of his skill in using the same.

SECTION 3. Upon satisfactory examination a numbered certificate, describing the engineer by name and address, personal appearances, and in any other way which seems desirable, and designating the style of carriage and its motive power, shall be issued and signed by the President of the Board and the Examiner. This certificate shall be produced whenever called for by the members of the Park Commission, the Superintendent or the Park police. A fee of $2.00 shall be charged for the same and a piece of leather, bearing the number of the certificate, arranged so as to be fastened on the back seat of the carriage, shall be issued with the certificate, and this number shall at all times be carried in the Park. A certificate shall be required for every individual automobile and it shall be unlawful for any other motorman than the one described in the permit to operate the said automobile; and the said permit shall be revocable at any time at the pleasure of the Board.

SECTION 4. All such licensed automobiles shall follow the rules of the road and be subject to the ordinances of the Park Commission and shall be operated in such a way as to avoid frightening horses and with due regard to the safety and pleasure of the patrons of the Park. Every automobile shall be provided with a suitable bell, which is to be sounded only when necessary. Every automobile shall carry two lighted lamps from a half an hour after sunset until a half an hour before sunrise when in the Park.

Speed shall not exceed the rate of ten miles per hour, but at no time may such a rate of speed be maintained as shall frighten any horses or individuals using the walks and drives of the Park; and should a horse exhibit signs of fright the automobile shall be slowed down or come to a full stop until the danger has passed.

SECTION 5. The above permit shall not include the right of racing, exhibiting of machines nor the teaching the use of the same in the Park. Permission is granted only for continuous pleasure driving on the main carriage road as hereinbefore described without undue loitering. No more than two carriages shall at any time ride abreast. Only self-contained automobiles shall be included in this permission, except in case of accident, when one carriage may assist another.

SECTION 6. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall forfeit his permit and shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail of the City and County of San Francisco not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, or both.

April 4 1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening April 4 - 1901 at the Park Lodge.

were present

Commissioner Stanton chair
" McDonald
" Martin
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report Supt — Report of Supt McLaren for the month of March; read.
On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm Lloyd.
It was accepted, ordered filed, and the Supt authorized to construct the new walk as recommended in his report: also a walk commencing at the east end of the bicycle path, and running parallel with same to the music court.

Auto Rules — On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald.
The rules and regulation governing Auto in the park as submitted by Comm Martin be approved and accepted: same to be under Ordinance governing Autos passed Oct 11 1900.

Golden Key — The loan of a golden key to the museum by the U.D.C. was accepted, and to be exhibited at owners risk.

Kindergarten — The requests of the Pioneer and Sutro Kindergarten to give their pupils an outing at the Children's Quarters, with rides on the U.S. Band Dorekeys also milk free of charge was denied by Com[illegible]

Teamsters — Communication from the Teamsters Ass'n with schedule of advanced rates: ordered filed.

Bid — Bid of Holbrook Mfr Co. of 6000 Gal Oil Tank; for $[illegible] filed

Show Cases Museum — Bids received on show cases for the museum, and referred to Com Stanton, with instructions to purchase show cases not to exceed $[illegible]: also to instruct the curator to position his cases so as to get the greatest use of [illegible]

Children Quarters

Comm McDonald as the committee on childrens Quarters reported: That he had installed Mrs Hickok as Supt and her son as clerk: and recommends a thorough cleaning, painting, and refitting of the premises:
On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Comm Martin
The matters and claims of the Children Quarters be referred to Comm McDonald for adjustment and he authorized to carry into effect any improvements or alterations he may see fit

McAuliday property

The offer of M. S. Holladay to sell two parcels of land in the blocks bound by Gough, Laguna, Jackson and Clay Sts. suggesting the usage for park purposes:
The commission recommends to the Mayor, the purchasing of the property if it can be obtained at a reasonable figure

Fruit Stands

Comm McDonald as a committee on fruit stands in the park was granted further time:

Ordinance Killing of Seals

Com Lloyd introduced the resolution: Ordinance for the protection of the seals on the seal rocks: To be passed at the next regular meeting

Ordr No ___ Prohibiting the shooting, hunting, wounding or killing of any bird, fowl, seal or animal on, at or near any of the rocks known as the Seal Rocks in the City and County of San Francisco, or the discharge of any firearms of any description or fire crackers, bombs or fire works of any character on, at or near any of said rocks.
The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Fran do ordain as follows:
Sec 1 It shall be unlawful for any person to shoot at, hunt, wound, or kill any bird, fowl, seal or animal on, at or near any of the rock known as the Seal Rock lying near and southerly, westerly or northerly from the place known as the City Front in the City and County of San Francisco
Sec 2 No person shall discharge any firearms of any description or any fire crackers, bombs or any fire works of any kind character or description on, at or near any of the rocks known as the Seal Rocks in the City and County of San Fran
Sec 3 Any person violating any of the provisions of this order shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine not exceeding $500.00 or by imprisonment

in the county jail for not more than six months, or both such fine and imprisonment:

Toilets @ music Stand

On motion Comm Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald:
The Supt was instructed to have the toilets for men & women at the music court enlarged by 12 bowls in each: also to supply sufficient toilet paper, using a patent holder for same.

Lighting

Com Stanton was given further time on the lighting question

Oil on roads

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
The Supt was instructed to make an experiment in the using of crude oil on the roads: but not to exceed $200.00

Flowers to Pres't McKinley

On motion of Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
That during during the stay of President McKinley and party in the city, flowers shall be sent to them daily with compliments of the Park Commissioners:

Library

On motion of Com Martin sec'd Com Lloyd:
The architect be requested to modify the plans as submitted for a library and keep within the $500.00 appropriation:

Philip J Shaw
Secy

April 20 01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday April 20 1901 at the Park Lodge.

Present Comm McDonald chair
" Stanton
" Lloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Oil Tank. Bid Bid of The Risdon Iron Works to furnish and erect a fuel Oil Tank 10 ft inside x 7 ft high of 3/16 plates for $350.00 : filed

Bronze for Fountain. Bid: Bid of the Hicks Brass Foundry to furnish & deliver two fountains of Statuary Bronze from models for $800.00 : on the bronze trimmings as per models for $160.00

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald Commissioner Stanton be empowered to purchase the bronze trimmings and vases for the two fountains, and the Supt instructed to erect the stone columns.

B.H. Insurance On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com Stanton The insurance on the Boat House be renewed for $350.00

Oil Quotations from Union Oil Co ordered filed.

Teamsters Communications from the County Teamsters Union asking the P Comm to pay scheduled rates for hired teams: filed

Request from the Epworth League for a number of privileges and decorations during their convention of July 18 to 21st. On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Comm Stanton The Secty was instructed to invite the President of the League to address the Board at their next meeting

Protest from the Standard Sand Co against the removal of sand from the Beach referred to the Board of Public Works

Letter of thanks from the Mad Rock Kindergarten for the outing given them at the playground ordered filed.

Museum The donations and loans as reported by the Curator of the Museum were accepted, and ordered acknowledged.

De Rabe coll. The offer of De Rabe to sell his collections of curios from the So Sea Islands: declined: no funds.

Old Newspaper The offer of Rose Arrington to sell an old newspaper of 1767, referred to Comm Stanton

Kindergarten The Stanford Kindergarten requests and outing for their children at the playgrounds, with privileges: referred to Comm McDonald.

Spooner Coll Comm Stanton was authorized to accept the Spooner Collection of pictures for the museum: and to agree to insure them but not to exceed $125.00 per year in expense.

S.P. Co Thanks The letter of thanks from the Southern Pacific Co for the loan of fish exhibits: ordered filed.

Park Band On motion Com Stanton sec'd Comm Lloyd: Comm McDonald was appointed a committee of one to confer with the proper authorities regarding the enlargement of the Park Band & other matters pertaining to it.

Rules Museum On motion Com Lloyd sec'd by Com Stanton The rules and regulation as submitted by Com Stanton for the government and management of the museum were adopted and ordered posted in the museum

Sale On motion Com Lloyd and sec'd Com Stanton The secy was instructed to advertize for bids for the usual supply of Hay Barley & Bran.

Seals On motion of Com Lloyd the action on the ordinance prohibiting the killing of seals on the Seal Rocks: was laid over until next meeting.

May Day It was agreed to give a May Day celebration for the children on the first of May: in the vicinity of the Children Shelter

Bids on Hose

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for hose:

Name	For 3000 ft 1"	For 3000 ft 1½"	Certified Check
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co	.16	.22	115.00
Bowers Rubber Co	.15½	.19½	105.00
Gutta Percha & Rubber Co	.16	.18	102.00
Goodyear Rubber Co	.19 D.C.	.23½	
	.15½ Badg	.19	128.00
Gorham Rubber Co	.17½	.21⅞	120.
New York Belting & Pkg Co.	.21	.26	41.
Pacific Coast Rubber Co.	¾ .18	.22½	121.50
Riviere Rubber Co	.18	.23	100.

Philip K. Lay.

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday afternoon April 27-1901 in the Assembly Room Mills Bldg.

were present

Comm Stanton
" Lloyd
" McDonald

May Day

The object of the meeting was to reconsider the question of giving a May Day festival:

rescinded

On motion Comm McDonald sec'd by Com Lloyd
The resolution as passed at the last regular meeting to give a May Day celebration to the children in G. G. Park: be rescinded.

Rule Established

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald
That it be the sense of the meeting to establish the rule that hereafter an annual festival and celebration be given the children on May 1st in Golden Gate Park.

Philip K. Lay
Pro Sec'y

May 2-1901

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge Thursday evening May 2-1901
Were present Comr Stanton Chair
Lloyd
McDonald.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt Report

Report of Supt McLaren for the month of April read and on motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald
The report be accepted and filed and the suggestion and recommendations ordered carried into effect. and the Secy

20000 cu yd loam

instructed to advertise for 20000 cu yds of loam, to be delivered before Sept 30-01

Donations Loans

Report of Curator C.P. Wilcox - listing the donation and loans as received. On motion Comr Lloyd & McDonald:
That the donation & loans be accepted & acknowledged.

On motion Comr Lloyd & McDonald
Seal Ordinance

That action on the ordinance on the killing of seals lay over till next meeting.

Demands

The demands for month of April amounted to $23223.37
were allowed & ordered paid
Labor 15884.43
Material 7338.94

Letter from Manor Parlin stating the accepting of three cows & bulls from Miss Bartlett to be used as climbing creatures and placed in the different squares.
On motion Comr Lloyd sec Comm McDonald
The matter was referred to Comr Stanton and he to act at his discretion

Letter from G.J. Marsh & Co stating their intention to remove all articles belonging to them now in the Japanese Garden; was ordered filed and action postponed

Letter of appreciation and thanks from the Stanford Kindergarten for inviting their children at the Children Quarters filed

May 2-01

Request from the Bedford Kindergarten for an outing May 10-
The matter was referred to Comr McDonald.

Requisition for Trees Bd of Pub Wks

Requisition from the Board of Public Wks for trees to be planted in City Hall Square.
On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald
The Secy was instructed to notify the Board of Public Wks that owing to the restraining order issued by Judge Dowell which prevents their granting the request.

100.00 Reward Killing Seals

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald -
The Park Comm offer $100.00 as a reward for the arrest and conviction of any person killing or shooting at the seals on the Seal Rock; and the secy instructed to have notices of same posted about the wharfs, Cliff House & Beach.

Chipmunks & Squirrels

On motion Comr McDonald sec'd Comr Lloyd
The secy was instructed to order four dozen chipmunks and two dozen gray squirrels to be shipped - paying 3.00 per dozen for chipmunks and not exceed 6.00 per doz for squirrels

Extra Help Wanted

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald
That one Santoro @ 32.00 per mo and one young man at $1 per day be engaged for services in the museum -

Cactus for University of Cala

On motion Comr McDonald sec'd Comr Stanton
The Supt was instructed to furnish guns and cutting to the University of Cala for the decoration of Hearst Hall.

Street Stands Removed

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald
The secy was instructed to notify all persons occupying any park space for commercial purposes to vacate at once same being in violation of a provision of the charter -

Storage Oil

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald
The secy was instructed to advertise for bids for the furnishing and constructing of an oil storage tank in conformity with the plans and specification furnished by the engineer and on file in the secy office

May 2 01

Bids on Feed

The following bids were received in answer to the advertized proposals for furnishing Hay, Rlld Barley, Oats & Bran.

Name	Wheat Hay 75 Lbs	Oat Hay 75 Lbs	Rlld Barley 100 Lbs	Red & Gray Oats 450 Lbs	Bran 75 Lbs	accompanied by check
C Augeltinger	11.25	11.50	17.50	1.50 / 1.45	17¢	350
H. Ellis & Co.	11.85	11.45	19.45	1.55 / 1.45	18.00	dup
Somers & Co	10.50	9.50	17.50	1.35	16.00	"
Scott & Magner	11.00	10.00	16.50	1.445	--	300
Petus & Davis	11 97½	11.35	.8 1½	1.57 / 1.56	.91	285

Awarded

On motion Comr Lloyd, sec'd Comr McDonald
The contracts were awarded to the lowest bidders they being Somers & Co on Wheat & Oat Hay, Red & Gray Oats also Bran and Scott & Magner on Rolled Barley.

Philip J. McFay
Secy.

May 16 01

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday evening May 16-1901 at the Park Lodge.

Were present Comrs Martin - Clair
" Stanton
" McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved:

Action on ordinance prohibiting the killing of seals was laid over till next meeting.

Offer of Elk

The offer of S.L. King to sell Elk at $50.00 per pair was rejected:

Donations

Donations and loans as reported by Curator Wilcomb ordered accepted and acknowledged

O.S.

Letter of United Oil Producers read: ordered filed:

Communication from S.T. Marsh & Co regarding the articles Marsh & Co removed by them in the Japanese Garden:
On motion Comr McDonald second Comr Stanton
That they be requested to remove all articles now in the Japanese Garden owned by them

Automobiles

Request from Rudeyaites for outings at the Chautauqua Grounds was referred to Comr McDonald:

Automobiles

Request of Jos Holle to pass through the Park on Automobile: was denied: pending his passing the same examination as for Automobile:

Rumors
Kettle Sq

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Martin:
Supt McShane was instructed to have all the benches Lafayette Square removed at once:

Meetings

On motion Comr McDonald sec'd Comr Stanton
The day on meeting be changed to the 1st and 3rd Thursday afternoons of the month and to be called at 2 PM

Lease Forest

The offer of Kent L.L. Payne to lease a bird to the Park was accepted at annual rent

Lumber

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals

Lumber

Firm	Price Selects per M	Cedar or Selects per M.	Surfacing 1" 2" 3" 4" Dressed per M.	Certified Check	
S.F. Lumber Co.					rejected no check
Humboldt Lumber Mill	17.75	17.75	1 – 2.00 2 – 3.00 4 – 5.00	100	00
R.C. Jones & Co	16.00	18.00	1 – 1.50 2 – 3.00 4 – 5.00	20	
Dolbeer Lumber Co	16.00 rough 16.00 S	20.00 Selects 16.00 S	1 – 1.50 2 – 2.00 4 – 5.00	100	
P. Purdy	21.00 S	22.00 S	1 – 2.00 3 – 3.00 4 – 5.00	20	

On motion Com Stanton, sec'd Com McDonald.
The contract be awarded to The Humboldt Lumber Mill Co. to supply Redwood selects: and the contract for Fir selects be awarded to R. C. Jones & Co. they being the lowest bidders

Coal

Coal

Firm	50 Tons Penn Egg	20 Tons House Coal	Check
Thomas Morton	14.30	10.00	100 —
J. C. Welsons Co	15.00	9.50	94 —

On motion Com McDonald sec'd Com Stanton:
The Contract for Penn Egg be awarded to Thos Morton: and the contract for House Coal be awarded to J. C. Welsons Co

Oil Finish

Oil Finish

Firm	3 to 5 Bbl Lots per Gal	Check
Bay City Shore Manf Co	370	
Risdon Iron Works	375	
Pac Coast Borax Works	450	

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald.
The contract be awarded to the Risdon Iron Works as they bid without conditions stated, as per request

Cement & Lime

Cement & Lime

Bidder	50 Barrels Portland Cement	50 Barrels Lime Lump	Check
Cowell Lime Co	2.40	1.75	no check rejected
E. Auditorium	2.85 Imported 2.05 Natural	1.67½	15 —
[illegible]	2.80	1.70	50 —

On motion of Com Stanton was referred to Supt McShane to make best terms

The contract was awarded to E. Auditorium

Pipe

Galvanized Pipe

Bidder	2000 ft 2"	2000 ft 1½"	1000 ft 1½"	Check
Miller Doss & Scott	20.60	15.45	12.90	85
Holbrook Merrill & Stetson	20.60	15.45	12.90	100
Dunham Carrigan & H. Co	20.60	15.45	12.00	85 no check rejected
Judson Manfg Co	20.60	15.45	12.90	

On motion Com McDonald Sec'd Com Stanton
all bids be rejected: and should the requirements be greater enough, the Supt instructed to advertise for Car load lots

Gravel

20.000 Cuyds Loam

Bidder	Per Cuyd.	Check
Owen McHugh	5000. 79½¢ 5000. 89¢ 5000. 96¢ 5000. 98¢	1650 —
Union Paving & Contg Co	.98¢	1000 —
Flinn & Tracy	$1.00	2000 —
P. McHugh		2000 —

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald:
all bids be rejected: and the Secy instructed to readvertise for the same amount

Philip J. Joy

June 12. A special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioners Martins office Wednesday June 12-1901 were present

Comm Martin Chair
Stanton
Kloyd.

On motion Com Kloyd sec'd Com Stanton.

Remove Stand at Haight St. Supt McKann was instructed to remove the stand at the Haight St entrance before July 1st 01. and the secretary instructed to give final notice to the occupant.

Loam The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals

20.000 Cu Yds loam

Bidder	20000 cu yds	Remarks	Check
P. McHugh	97½ ¢		1900
Union Paving & Contg Co	86½ ¢		1800
P. McGrath	86½ ¢		1700

On motion Com Kloyd sec'd Com Stanton: all bids were rejected: and Supt McKann was authorized to purchase loam at 80¢ per cubic yard in lots not exceeding 500¢ also to investigate and report at the next meeting the purchasing and transporting of loam located in the Mission Section.

White Lead & Linseed Oil:

Bidder	150 cu white lead	5 Bbls Boiled Linseed Oil	Check
R. P. Wilson Co	7¼ ¢	74¢	
Whittier Coburn Co	7½ ¢	72 cents	25
Hall Co	7⅝ ¢	74¢	33
	8½ ¢	85¢	100

On motion Com Kloyd sec'd Com Stanton
The contract for White lead was awarded to Whittier Coburn Co and the contract for Linseed Oil award to R. P. Wilson Co

B.P. Oil Can Road Galvanized Pipe

Bidder	5000 ft 2"	4000 ft 1½"	2000 ft 1¼"	Check
Dunham Carrigan Hayden Co	16 77/100	12.58	10 49/100	160
Crane Co	17.00	12.75	10 65/100	157.30
Holbrook Merrill & Stetson	13 1/10	9 8/10	8 1/5	125
Geo. H Gay Co	17.50	13.00	11.00	175
(B) Chas Frolich	17 11/14	12 9/10	10 3/4	160
Jas. A. Quick & Co	19.33	14.50	12.25	200
	22.50	17.00	14	200

On motion Com Kloyd sec'd Com Stanton
The contract was awarded to Holbrook Merrill & Stetson their bid being the lowest.

Philip S. Gay
Sec

June 22 — At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held June 22-1901 at the Park Lodge

Were present:
Comm Stanton
Comm McDonald

No quorum — There not being a quorum present the meeting adjourned to Monday afternoon June 24-@2PM

subject to approval — The following actions were taken subject to a fully attended meetings approval:

Peace Cross Petition — The request from the Episcopal church to improve the ground about prayer book cross, was referred to Supt McLaren to ascertain the nature of the improvements desired:

Buena Vista Park — The request from the Park Hill Imp Club to improve Buena Vista Park was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate & report at the next meeting

Gift Queen Wilhelmina — The offer of the terra cotta bust of Queen Wilhelmina to the Park Museum by Mr Gumps Jr. was accepted:

Donations — The reports of the Quarter & Daviderniet were accepted and donations ordered acknowledge.

Goethe-Schiller Monument — The request of the Goethe-Schiller monument committee to set a date and hour for the unveiling and presentation of the monument: suggesting the Saturday afternoon @2PM after completion.
The request and suggestion granted & secretary instructed to notify them.

Philip V Bee
Sec

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com Martins office Wednesday June 12-1901-

were present Com Martin Chair
" Stanton
" Lloyd.

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At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge July 4th 1901

were present
Comm. Lloyd chair
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Minority report — And on motion Com Lloyd. the suggestions and recommendations of the minority meeting of June 22-1901 be adopted and entered upon the minutes.

Report — Reports of Supt McLaren for the months of May & June were read and on motion Com Stanton sec Com McDonald the reports be accepted: and the Supt authorized to carry into effect any suggestions or recommendations.

The demands for the month of May amounted to 24.372.36
L. 16.322.14
M. 8050.22

June. L. 16261.70 25.032.42
M 8761.72

Seals — Action on the ordinance prohibiting the killing of seals laid over

Withdrawal of bid — Communication from Holbrook. Merrill & Stetson requesting the withdrawal of their bid on a car load of Gal Pipe as advertised, on account of error in figuring price given
On motion Comm Stanton, sec Com McDonald
that the bid of H. M & Stetson being in error their request to withdraw the same be granted.

Communication from Durham, Carrigan, Hayden & Co stating that their bid will be the lowest should H. M & S be permitted to withdraw theirs and request that the contract be given them.
On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Com McDonald
The contract for one car load of Gal pipe as advertised for be awarded to D. C. & Co their bid being the lowest.

Emergency Hospital — Communication from the Board of Health requesting that a conference be held regarding the election & location of a Park emergency hospital:
On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald
It was agreed to meet the representatives of the Bo of Health in in the assembly room Mills Bldg @ 1 PM. Friday afternoon next.

Permission to test Wave Motor — J. J. Graffe requested permission to use the Olympic Salt Water Co wharf for the purpose of testing his portable Auto Wave motor:
It was referred to the Olympic Salt Water Co.

Protest against Oil — The protest from the Stable & Carriage Owners Assn. to the using of oil on the park roads
On motion Com Stanton the comm was ordered filed:

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald.
To sink new well — Supt McLaren was authorized to sink an experimental well at the westerly end of the park: but not to exceed 100 in the expenditure for labor.

Fruit Stand — Communication regarding the extending of time of Wm Bielo in the fruit stand at the Haight St entrance ordered file

Street Sweeping — Communication from the Board of Public Works asking that $18000 be set aside for payment of street sweeping contract: ordered filed.

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald.
New Water Closet — The Supt was instructed to erect water closets for men & women at the Children Quarters.

Expenditures Children's Quarters — The Secty was instructed to prepare a fully itemized statement of purchases and expenditures of the Children Quarters from April 1st

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to Saturday July 20 - 3 PM

Philip

A conference meeting was held in the assembly Room of the Mills Bldg. July 5-1901

Were present Com Stanton
" McDonald
Dr Buckley
" Bonnell

Conference The object of the meeting being to discuss and decide on a location for the erection of a Park emergency hospital: It was agreed to give the necessary space near the Walker & Stanyan Sts entrance for the same

At a regular meeting of the P.C. held at the P. Lodge. July 27-1901

were present
Com McDonald Chair
" Martin
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt Report Report of Supt McLaren for the month of July was read and on motion Com Martin Sec'd Com Stanton that the suggestions and recommendations be carried into effect.

Report Chr Qrts Report of Children's Quarters read and on motion Com Martin the report be accepted and filed:

Seals action on the ordinance against the killing of seals: laid over

Flues The offer to sell Alaska flues to the park: declined:

Reports The report of the curator and Gardenist were read and donations ordered acknowledge:

Relics Offer to sell relics of the Alamo: ordered filed

S F B & C° Co Qrs Communication from S F Brewer Co. regarding the supplying the Children's Quarters with groceries ordered filed

Manila Bay Monument Letter from Mayor Phelan acknowledging the granting of permission to erect the Manila Bay Monument in Union Square: filed

Relief Map The request from Jos Nash to have the name on the relief Map of California enlarged referred to Com Stanton

Improve Dolores Park On motion Com Martin Sec'd Com Stanton The Supt was instructed to continue with the improving of Dolores Park but not to exceed $200.00 in expenditure

The matter of issuing the Wilcomb Collection as requested by him was denied & referred to Com Stanton

Bids on Oil

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for 500 BBls of Crude Fuel Oil to be delivered at the pumping station Golden Gate Park

Bidder	Per barrell in bbl	Check.	
United Oil Producers	90¢		
Standard Oil Co.	88¢	44cc	
E. Aigeltinger	1.10¢	50cc	
Hearst Oil Co	87½¢	60cc	

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Martin
The be awarded to The Hearst Oil Co their bid being the lowest.

Philip J. Fay.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm'r Martins office Thursday August 1st 1901.

Present Comm'r Martin chair
. Stanton
. Lloyd
. McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Passing Seal Ordinance

On motion Com Lloyd sec Stanton
The ordinance as introduced and read at the meeting of April 4-01 prohibiting the killing of seals: was adopted: all voting.

Museum

The report of the curator on donations rec'd was read & accepted. Sec'y instructed to acknowledge donations with thanks.

Insurance Museum

On motion Com Lloyd sec P. McDonald.
The matter of insurance on articles in the museum, be referred to Commrs Stanton & McDonald to investigate the cost and rate of insuring under blanket policies for the sum of $50.000cc and report same at the next meeting.

O'Connell's Pay

On motion Commrs Stanton & Lloyd.
That owing to an accident happening to J. D. O'Connell in the museum, that he be continued on the pay roll untill further notice.

Nichol Salary

On motion Commrs Stanton & McDonald
That Twenty dollars be added to Miss Nichol salary which is to defray all the expenses of boarding, and the same to exist at the pleasure of the board.

Publishing Report

On motion Commrs Lloyd and Martin
Commrs Stanton, McDonald & Martin serve as a committee to consider the publishing a report on the past two years work of the commission, to offer suggestions & recommaditions, also stating about the cost and expense attached to the publishing of the same.

Jap Garden

Commrs Stanton & McDonald were requested to report on conditions and matters pertaining to the management of the Japanese garden

Park Hospital

On motion Commrs Stanton & Lloyd Commrs Martin & McDonald were as a committee to confer with the Board of Health, regarding the erection of the proposed Emergency Hospital in the Park.

Phil J Fay.
Secy

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 7-1901 at the office of Comm Martin:

Present Comm McDonald.
" Stanton
" Martin

On motion duly carried Com McDonald was elected Chairman of the meeting:

Park Hospital

The meeting was called for the purpose of examining the plans for the new Park Emergency hospital.
After considerable discussion joined in by Doctors Bunnell & Buckely (of the Bo of Health) it was regularly moved & seconded that the Park emergency hospital building be constructed at a cost not to exceed $8263.00, the Bo of Health to furnish not less than $4500.00 of this sum.
The building to be constructed of stone in accordance with plans submitted by N. J Haug.

Destruction Waves

Application was made by the proprietors of the weekly waves for permission to sell copies of their paper during the exercises of the unveiling of the Goethe-Schiller monument Aug 12- Said application was denied.

Goethe-Schiller monument

Mr Bundschu appeared before the board and asked and asked permission to have a platform erected in front of the music stand to accomodate 175 singers.
The Supt was instructed to assist the committee to the amount of $60.00 in the building of the platform.
No further business the meeting adjourned.

Philip J Fay

Conference held Aug 15-1901 at the Park Lodge · between Commissioners Stanton & McDonald-

Refused Vacation

In regard to Curator Wilcomb's letter requesting that he be granted two weeks leave of absence it was the sense of the board that his request be denied.

Fire

The question of insurance on the Park Museum went over until next meeting.

Injury

The matter of injury sustained by child at Childrens Quarters went over till next meeting.

Phil J Day
Sec

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held Aug 16 01 in Comm's Lloyds office:

Present

Comm Stanton: Chair:
" McDonald.
" Lloyd.

Park Hospital

The question of the erection of the Park Emergency Hospital was discussed: Dr Bonnell & Mr Sharp being present After considerable discussion: Mr Sharp the Architect was instructed to submit the plans at the next meeting: and Supt McCann to proceed with the laying of the concrete foundation - The building to cost about 8500 ºº of which the Park Commissioners are to pay one half and the Board of Health to pay 4500 ºº @ 750 ºº per month.

Broken Injury

On motion Com Lloyd sec Com McDonald
That the matter of injury as sustained by Nellie Hare at the Childrens Quarters be investigated by Supt McCann and reported at next meeting & Atty Holton to be notified of the same:

Philip J Day.
Sec.

Sept 7 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm Martins office Saturday Sept 7-1901.

Present Comm Martin chair
. Stanton
. McDonald

minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Report Supt McCanns report for the month of August read: and accepted with instructions to carry out the suggestions and recommaditions contained therein. He was also instructed to call upon atty Holton of the Hancase and offer to defray all the expenses incurred for Doctor services and druggists bill.

Report Curator Wilcomb's report of donations & Loans read: and accepted: Secty instructed to acknowledge donations with thanks

Prof Gubbins report of donations and exchanges read & accepted

Rabe & Collection Dr Jno Rabe requests that an offer be made him for the loan of his South Sea Ethnological Collection for a term of 2 to 5 years: On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald. The offer be declined: there being no funds for such purposes

Epworth L A communication from the committee in charge of the Epworth League thanking the Park Commissioners for their kindness and decorations during their convention: Filed.

Offer The offer of an exchange by Homer Davenport for one mate of Cala quail he will send one pair of Jungle Fowl: Supt authorized to make the exchange.

Petition filed requesting that a portion of the Park be given to the establishing of public golf links.
On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.
That the petition be denied: and the secty to notify the petitioners that it would be impossible to grant the request.

Bd of Pub Wks on Birds Stand Communication from the Board of Public Works stating that there is a proposed resolution before their board giving Mrs Birch permission to erect and maintain a fruit stand on Stanyan St between Haight & Waller Sts:
On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald:
The secty was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works, and state that the Park Commissioners seriously objected to any obstruction being placed on Stanyan St. which is even now to narrow for the accomadation of the traffic and respectfully request that the resolution will not be passed

Ins Comm Stanton reported on the insurance of the museum and asked for further time.

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald
Mus & Speed Ch The Supt was instructed to place a park employee in charge of the horse sheds at the west end of the speed track, at a salary of 1.00 pr day: and the Chief of Police be requested to swear him in as special officer

On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Comm McDonald.
Spec Asst Supt Hospital The secty was instructed to advertise proposals for bids on the stone brick & tile work & material for the new park Hospital: same to be in accordance with plans & specifications on file in Mr Sharp's office.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Saturday September 21-1901 at Comm Martins office.

Were present

Comr Martin Chair
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

List of donation as record at museum read & accepted. Secty instructed to acknowledge.

Marsh & offer for Jap Garden

Communication from Dr. Marsh offering $1000.00 for one years rent of the Japanese Quarter with privileges ordered filed. and On motion Comr McDonald sec'd Comr Stanton Comr Martin was appointed a committee of one to take charge of the affairs of the Japanese Garden. and to report to the Board at his earliest convenience the conditions. also showing the income and expense attached to the conducting of the same. It being the sense of the board to assume control & management of the same.

Filing Bids Rejected

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald. That the bids received on roof tiling work for the Park Emergency Hospital failing to comply with the terms of the proposals in not stating a certified check be rejected and the secty instructed to readvertise for new bids

Sand Stone & Brick Work Laid over

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Stanton That action on the bids received for sandstone and brickwork for the Park Hospital lay over until the next meeting, in order to inspect the samples and get measurements of the same.

One Woman Only

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Stanton That in answer to the petition of Mrs Ger Harrison for employment of one Mr St John the secty was instructed to notify Mrs Harrison that Sec 12 of Article 16 of the Charter prohibits the commission from giving employment to anyone not a resident of the city and county for one year preceding his appointment

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton.

Reroofing Museum

Comm Martin was requested to ask Mahoney Bros to suggest and advise the best method of reroofing the museum building. also Comr McDonald assisted by Supt McLaren report on the same subject

Dressing Room Tennis

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton Supt McLaren was instructed to report and submit plans at the next meeting on the converting of the old music stand into a dressing room for tennis players. same to have apartments for ladies & gentlemen, consisting of lockers, wash stands & toilets

Handball

On motion Comr Stanton sec'd Comr McDonald. The Supt was instructed to select suitable site for the erection of hand ball courts, and report same at the next meeting.

Holladay property

The secty was instructed to inquire of the mayor what action if any had been taken in the purchasing of the Holladay property.

On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr Stanton The was instructed to have at the next meeting all the papers, relating to the granting of permission to the R.R. Co to cross through the west end of the Park.

On motion Comr Lloyd the meeting adjourned:

Day [illegible]

Sept 28 At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in the N.J. Thorps office Saturday Sept 28-1901.

Those present.

Comm'r McDonald chair
" Martin
" Stanton
" Kloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read & app'd

Wilcomb's Report of curator on donations read & accepted

Gurbes Report of Landscape Gardenist on donations & exchanges approved: also an offer for sale of a bird collection, which was referred to Com'r Stanton to investigate.

Thanks from Goethe Schiller Thanks Communication from the committee in charge of the Goethe-Schiller monument unveiling, extending thanks to the Park Commissioners for their kindness and support in the matter.

Hale case Communication from Atty Holton asking $100 for the damages sustained by Ethel Hale at the Childrens Playground - filed Supt McLaren instructed to take charge of the case.

Marsh Communication from G. D. Marsh regarding the affairs of the Japanese Garden ordered filed.

Band music Communication from the Secty of the Market St R.R. Co stating that owing to the fire destroying the music for the Parks concerts asks that an appropriation of 700 to 1000 be made to purchase new music.
The matter was laid over until the next meeting.

Insurance Com'r Commissioner Stanton reported on the insurance question and asks that Comm'r Kloyd look up the law governing municipal insurance.

Railroad crossing Secty instructed to deliver all papers relating to the franchise granted the Railroad to cross through the west end of the park to Comm'r Kloyd for investigation as to the right of issue.

Peddlers on Gt Highway Supt instructed to request Capt of Park Police to prohibit the peddlers from locating on the Great Highway.

Park Specials Secty instructed to request the Chief of Police to swear in five of the park employees as special policemen who are to patrol the park during the absence of the regular officers.

(On motion Com'r Kloyd the same)

Bid for Hospital The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for roof & tiling work on the Park Emergency Hospital.

Bidder.	Sample 1	2.	3.	Check.
N. Clark & Son.	2800 00	2990 00		800 00
Gladding McBean & Co.	1615 00	(1865 00)	1865 00	250 00
Green Tiling	2065 00	2445 00		
Fordem Connick & Co.	1779 00	1873 00	2129 00	220 00
Steiger T. C. & Potty & Co.	2445 00	1940 00		250 00

On motion Com'r Martin sec'd Com'r Stanton
That the bid of Gladding McBean & Co for sample 2 for 1865 00 be accepted, and contract awarded.

Hospital The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for brick & stone work on new Hospital according to the plans:

	Sample 1.	2.	3.	Check.
McGilvery Stone Co.	4651 00			465 00
McPhee Stone Co	4837 00	4837 00	4597 00	500 00

Action on bids laid over till next meeting.

On motion Com'r Kloyd the meeting adjourned till Thursday Oct 3-1901

(Sgd) Secty

Oct 3 1901 A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday October 3. 1901 - at M.J. Sharp's office.

Were present
Comm Lloyd Chair
" Martin
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt McLaren report for the month of September read & ordered filed. On motion Comm Stanton sec'd Com McDonald.
Report on cost Windmill The Supt was requested to investigate and report as to the cost of the proposed windmill, according to a design to be submitted by Com Stanton

Braunmann Collection The offer of Mr Max Braunmann of Visalia to tender to the museum his private collection of ores & ornamental stones: was greatly appreciated & accepted: and Comm Lloyd was authorized to extend the thanks of the commission, and request Mr Braunmann to have his collection packed & shipped at the expense of the commission.

Authorization to visit Indians The request of Curator Wilcomb for permission to visit the Indian tribes of Tulare & Kern Counties - denied.

Donations as received at the museum accepted & ordered acknowledged

Petition of H.H. Hesse for permission to stand on the R/W Highway with his telescope - denied.

On motion Comm Martin sec'd Comm McDonald.
The Secty was instructed to draw a demand in favor of M.J. Sharp for 30.50, being for professional services on the Park Lodge and Emergency Hospital.

The request of Alfred Roncovieri to have the Park Comm'rs replace the music he lost by the fire ordered filed.

Purchase Music On motion Comm'r Martin sec'd Comm'r McDonald.
that 450.00 be appropriated for the purchasing of music for Park Concerts: and that the R.R. Co's be requested to give a like sum: it was further agreed that the money saved on account of rainy Sundays be devoted to the same purpose: Conditional: that the R.R. Co's do likewise: Comm'r Martin was requested to take charge of the matter, and make full arrangements with the R.R. Co's.

Stone for Hospital It is the sense of the Commission to build the Park Emergency Hospital of stone: and on
motion Com Stanton sec'd by Comm'r McDonald.
The bid of the McSilvey Stone Co for 46 51.00 be accepted and contract awarded.

Bird Collection On motion Comm'r McDonald sec'd Comm'r Lloyd.
Comm'r Stanton was authorized to purchase the collection of birds offered by E. Schneider: but not to exceed 100.00

Police Comm'r Lloyd was requested to call on the Chief of Police regarding Park Police matters.

Superintendent Lodge Comm'r McDonald to be assisted by Supt McLaren to investigate and report on the purchasing and installing a dynamo to furnish power for the electric lights in the Park Lodge.

Philip J. Day
Secty

Oct. 17. At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday October 17 1901 in Comm'r Martin's Office were present.

Comm'r Martin Chair
" Stanton
" McDonald
" Lloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Curator Report — Curators report of donations rec'd, accepted and ordered acknowledged and Comm'r Stanton was requested to investigate and report on matters pertaining to the museum.

Hartfords Rudder — Notice from the Secty of Navy of the order to sell the original rudder of the U. S. S. Hartford in order that the Park Comm might secure it for one of the squares: referred to Comm'r Stanton

Committee on improving Fulton St — A communication and committee from the Point Lobos Sunset Club requesting the Park Commissioners to assist them in getting the Board of Public Works to improve the roadway of Fulton St from Stanyan St to 1st Ave: also that the commissioners order some improvements to be made in Mountain Lake Park

On motion Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r McDonald

Recommendation — The secty was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works approving and recommending the improving of the streets surrounding the Parks and Squares, and more particularly Fulton St from 1st Ave to Stanyan St: also calling their attention to the poor conditions of the roadway about R.R.C.

Flags about Concert Valley — Letter suggesting the placing of flags of all nations around concert Valley: ordered filed: matter was referred to Comm'r Stanton

Charter Amendments — Recommendation from the committee on Charter Amendments requesting the P. C. to suggest the amendments should they have any.

The matter was referred to Comm'r Lloyd.

Park Employees Wages — A petition from the Park Employees requesting an advance in wages from $2 to $2.50 per day: Motion Com'r Stanton, sec'd Com'r McDonald.

The matter was laid over till next meeting.

Silt Basins — On recommendations of Supt McLaren he was authorized by motion of Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r McDonald.
To make connection with the sewer of the Sunset District to a silt Basin in the Park for fertilizing purposes.

Lamps in Union Sq — Comm'r Stanton reported that he had made satisfactory arrangements for the placing of 12 Naphtha Welsbach Lamps in Union Square and that the Board of Public Works had agreed to pay for them.

Underground Toilet Union Sq — Mr King secty of the Merchants Ass'n appeared before the board asking their approval and consent to the building of an underground toilet in Union Square: On motion
Comm'r McDonald sec'd Comm'r Lloyd.
Approval of the application made by the Merchants Ass'n to establish a underground toilet in Union Square was given: same to be in accordance with the plans submitted.

Boat House Statement — On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r McDonald.
The Keeper of the boat house be instructed to file a monthly statement showing his receipts & expenditures.
The secty was also instructed to file a monthly statement of receipts & expenditures of the Children's Quarters & Japanese Gardens.

On motion Com'r Lloyd the meeting adjourned until the next regular session.

Secy

Nov 7. 01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday Nov 7-1901. at Park Lodge.

Were present.

Comm Spreckels Chair
" Martin
" McDonald
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & app'd

Supt Report Supt McLaren report for the month of October read and On motion Com Martin sec Com Stanton
The Supt was authorized to carry into effect his recommendation
Imp Franklin Sq to improve Franklin Sq in accordance with the plans
submitted, but not to exceed $3000.00 in expenditures
also the plans as suggested in his report to roof the museum
Museum roof building was adopted and he was instructed to proceed
with the work; and also to provide a lavatory and storeroom
in the museum.

Curator's Report The reports of Curator Wilcomb & Prof Gruber for the month of October were read and ordered filed.
Secty instructed to acknowledge receipt of donations

Statements &c Statements showing the receipts and expenditures of the Children's Quarters & Japanese Garden were read & ordered filed

Bill of Young & Co The bill of $111.00 of charges on articles purchased by Mr De Young for the museum was discussed, and the Secty was instructed to notify Mr De Young that as there are no funds appropriated for such purposes it will be impossible for the commission to pay the bill.

Communication from the Cala Club suggesting improvements in the ways of erecting suitable toilets for men & women on Ellison Square was referred to Supt McLaren to look into the advisability of the same.

Employees Petition The petition from the Park Employees as laid over from last meeting was discussed and On motion of
Comm McDonald sec Com Stanton
The salaries of the 15 Teamsters & Gardeners were ordered advanced to 2.00 per day.

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
Wells Fargo & Co Collection The Secty was instructed to communicate with Wells Fargo & Co stating that owing to the crowded condition of the museum it will be necessary to curtail the space as occupied by their exhibit; and if agreeable to them the same will be placed in portfolios. also to signify the willingness of accepting the same as a donation

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald
Extend Jap Garden The plans as submitted for the extending and improving the Japanese Garden be accepted: and the Supt authorized to commence the work - but not to exceed 2000.00 in expenditures

On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
Manila Bay mon't The Supt was instructed to inspect the plans as adopted for the Manila Bay Monument, and request Architect Haus to present all the plans at the next meeting.

Park Bldg On motion Com Martin sec'd Com Stanton
The question of maintaining buildings for residence purposes in the park be referred to Comm Lloyd at the next meeting.

Philip J. Day
Secty.

Nov 22 01 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comm'r Martin's office Friday Nov 22 - 1901.

Were present

Comm'r Martin Chair
" McDonald
" Lloyd
" Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Playground Do Mkt St Resolution as passed by the Board of Supervisors requesting the Park Commissioners to recommend and give an estimate cost on the best localities south of Market and east of 12th St for park or playground purposes.
The matter was referred to Supt McLaren with instruction to report his recommendation to the Board of Supervisors

Fish Tanks Communication from the Trustees of the Mechanics Inst donating 27 glass fish tanks to the park.
On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r Stanton
Supt was instructed to accept the tanks and store them in the park; Secty instructed to acknowledge receipt of same and extend the thanks of the Commission.

Leonhardt signs Request of A. Leonhardt for permission to erect signs at the crossing of the Main drive & 24th Ave:
The secty was instructed to notify Mr Leonhardt that the law prohibits commercial signs in the park.

Concerning Music Letter from A Roncovieri & Co asking that some action be taken on his request of Oct 2-01 regarding his music which was destroyed in the Lodge fire.
The secty was instructed to communicate with him stating that the commission have no authority to expend money for such purposes also that the music was stored at Mr Doyen's risk.

Elk to Golden Gate Park Request from Dr E. S. Clark of the Stockton Lodge of Elk asking for a young elk for the lodge.
On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Comm'r Stanton
That the request be granted and a young Elk be donated to the Lodge.

Advtg Bids The secty was instructed to advertize for bids on Hay, Oats Barley, Bran, Coal, Lime & Cement, Lumber, Linseed Oil & White Lead contracts for same having expired.

B. House Statement from the Boat House Keeper for the month of Oct read and ordered filed.

Cuvio Bill On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r McDonald.
The resolution as passed at the last meeting refusing to pay the balance due on the 10 cases of Cuvios as purchased by Mr De Young: was rescinded: and the bill ordered paid.

McCauley Est Gift The commission received from the McCauley Estate a check for $2134.61 same having been willed the Park by Mrs McCauley for the purpose of erecting a gateway at the Haight St entrance in memory of her husband.
On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r McDonald.
The bequest was accepted: and the matter was referred to Comm'r Stanton who was requested to report as to what could be erected for the amount: in keeping with the object of the bequest:
The secty was instructed to deposit same with the Treasurer credited to the Park Fund.

Park Permits R R Co's The Market Street Railway through a letter to Comm'r Martin asking that a meeting be called of representatives of each of the street railroads running to the park: for the purpose of agreeing on a pro rata for the payment of park Permits.
The matter was referred to Comm'r Martin to arrange a meeting between the Commission and railroad representatives

Inspect Museum Articles On motion Comm'r Stanton sec'd Comm'r Lloyd
That all articles received for exhibition in the museum must be inspected and passed upon by the Commission at a regular meeting:
The Secty to notify the Curator to deposit all articles received at the park Lodge for inspection.

Museum Show Cases On motion Comm'r Lloyd sec'd Comm'r Martin
Comm'r Stanton was authorized to purchase six show-cases for the museum.

Moving Buffaloes — On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comr McDonald.
The Supt was instructed to have at least 3 of the bull buffaloes moved to the large paddock.

Museum road tunnel — On motion Comr Lloyd sec'd Comm Stanton
The Supt was instructed to submit at the next meeting a plan with estimate costs for the construction for a tunnel under the museum road leading from the main drive tunnel to the music Court.

Statement of Expenditures — The Secty was instructed to prepare a statement showing the amount of money expended from the 1st of July to 1st Dec also the amounts authorized to be spent.

Bids for millwork & Manila Bay [illegible] — The Secty was instructed to advertise for bids for the millwork on the Emergency Hospital: also for the concrete foundation of the Manila Bay Monument in Union Sq: in accordance with plans and specification on file in W.J. Sharps office.

Philip J. Kay.

Dec 5 — At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Comr Lloyds office Thursday Dec 5-01
Members present Comm Martin Chair
" McDonald
" Stanton
" Lloyd.

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved.

Supt Report — Supt McLaren report for the month of November read & ordered filed.
The Supt was authorized to continue on the building of Tennis Dressing Rooms, also to submit at the next meeting the cost of installing 1/2 doz showers in the Tennis & Ball Grounds buildings, also providing showers in the Ladies Dept of the Tennis Building.

Curator & Landscape Reports — Curator and Landscape reports of donations received during the month read & ordered filed.

Statement of Expenditures — Statement showing the receipts & expenditures of the commission from July 1st 1901 to Dec 1st 01, also the authorized work read & ordered filed.

O. Otis & Jap Garden — Statement showing the receipts & expenditures of the Otis & Japanese Garden for the month of Nov read & ordered filed.

Wells Fargo & Co Collection — Communication from Wells Fargo & Co declining to donate their collection to the museum and notifying that the same will be removed as soon as it is agreeable to the commission
The Secty was instructed to extend thanks of the commission for the same, and regrets at being unable to continue exhibiting the collection in its present large space also to deliver and take receipt for same.

P. Lodge Elk — Request from the B.P. Lodge of Elks asking for a price to be given for one of the large buck Elk:
On motion Comm McDonald sec Comr Martin
That an Elk be donated to the Lodge.
Donation of Elk — On motion Comm Lloyd sec Comr Stanton
That no more Elk be donated to any person or organization

Mrs Baldwin's Tree

Request from Mrs Oroville Baldwin for permission to plant an Elm tree from Canton in Union Square as a memorial to Pres't McKinley.
The Secty was instructed to communicate, stating that a place harmonizing with the character of the tree and satisfactory to her would be given on receipt of the same.

Aquarium

Letter from J. Norris recommending the building of an aquarium in the Park. read & filed.

Cala Vulture

An offer of D. Stephens of San Diego to sell a Cala Vulture for 30.00
The Secty was instructed to communicate stating that he may ship the bird, and the price asked will be paid for same: conditionally that the bird is exactly as he represents it, a California Vulture {Gymnogyps Californianus} and to be to the satisfaction of the Park Commission, & in the event of it not being a Cala Vulture he is to pay all express charges.

Proposition

Roofing & Coating

The Supt was instructed to give an estimate cost for the roofing of the Handball Courts.

Bids Hospital Work

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals for all the millwork on the Park Emergency Hospital in conformity with the plans & specification on file in Archt H. J. Knapp's office

Firm	Bid	Check
P. Herring	1375.00	137.50
E. M. Hay	1397.00	150.00
Mrs Cooke	2050.00	205.00
A. Wilkie	1549.00	150.00

On motion Com McDonald sec Com Stanton
The contract was awarded to A. Wilkie his bid being the lowest

Bids Concrete Dump mouth

The following bids were received for the laying of the concrete foundation and platform work for the Ukiah Bay mouth.

Bidder	Bid	Check
R. Keating	1532.00	154.00
J. Goodman	2000.00	200.00

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com McDonald.
The contract was awarded to R. Keating he being the lowest bidder.

Bids

The following bids were received in answer to the advertised proposals:

Coal

Bidder	50 Tons Pennsylvania Egg	20 Tons Scotch Coal	Check
Thos Morton	16.50 14.35 Wellington	9.75 Williamette 8.40 Wellington	125.00
A. P. Campbell	17.50	8.25 Wellington	65.00
J. S. Wilson & Co	16.00 14.00 Wellington	10.00 8.50 R.	

Coal

On motion Com Lloyd sec Com McDonald.
The contract for Penn Egg was awarded to J. S. Wilson & Co
the contract for Wellington " " Thos Morton

Lime & Cement

Bidder	850 Bbls Lime	750 Bbls Portland Cement	Check
E. Aigeltinger	1.70	2.55 2. 2.50 Portland	
Holmes Lime Co	no check	Rejected	
Wolff & Co	no check	Rejected	

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Comm McDonald.
The contract was awarded to E. Aigeltinger for Gillingham Cement @ 2.55 & Santa Cruz lime @ 1.70

White Lead & Linseed Oil

Bidder	1200 White Lead	5 Bbls Oil	Check
R. H. Mason & Co	7¢	69¢	30.00
Whittier Coburn Co	7¢	69¢	35.00
Yates & Co	7¢	69¢	50.00
Fuller & Co	7¢	69¢	35.00

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com McDonald.
The contract was awarded to Whittier Coburn Co.

Bids Forage

Forage.

Bidder	75 Tons Wheat Hay	75 Tons Oat Hay	900 lbs Rolled Barley	400 lbs Oats	75 lbs Bran	Check
Somers & Co.	10.25	9.25	16.50	1.25	15.50	275.00
Rees & Cowie	12.94½	13.94	17.49½	1.31½	17.87½	300.00
H. Ellis & Co	No check.					
Scott & Magnes	9.48	8.40	15.25	1.19 & 1.20	14.46	250.00
E. Aigeltinger	10.70	10.25	16.50	1.23	17.00	400.00

On motion Com Lloyd sec'd Com Stanton
The contract for all was awarded to Scott & Magnes their bid being the lowest.

Lumber

Lumber

Bidder	Pine	Redwood	Surfacing	Check.
Dickinson Lumber Co.	16.50	18.50	1.50 / 2.50 / 4.50	100.00
D. E. Lumber Co.	23.00	27.25	1.00 / 2.00 / 4.50	100.00
Humboldt L. M. Co.	30.00	20.	50¢ duty to mill	100.00
McDonald L. M. Co.	28.00 / 29.00	18.	2.50 / 3.50 / 5.50	
	25	35.00	2.75 / 3.50	
	26	32.	50¢ duty	
	18	33.		
		35.		
		20.		
		23.		
		25.		

On motion Com McDonald sec'd Com Lloyd
The contract was awarded to The Dickinson Lumber Co.

Philip J. Fay
Secty

P. R. Meeting

At a Conference held Tuesday Dec 10-1901 in the Assembly Room of the Mills Bldg: between the Park Commissioners and the Representatives of the Street Railway Co:

were present

Comm Spreckels Chair
" Martin
" Lloyd
" McDonald
" Stanton

Mr. McPratt repg the Mkt & Geary St R. R. Co.

Grad Crossing

The object of the meeting being to agree upon a pro rata to be paid by the Street Railway Co. for the Park Grade Crossings.

On motion Com Stanton sec'd Com Martin
The proposition as submitted by the Mkt & Geary St Co. to pay 105.00 per week as their pro rata: be accepted.

Com McDonald was appointed a committee of one to arrange with the Sutter St R R Co for their pro rata of the cost.

Philip J. Fay.
Secty

DEC 19-1901 At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held Thursday DEC 19-1901 in the Comm Kloyd office:

present

Comr. Speckels absent
. Kloyd
. Stanton
. Martin
. McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read & approved

B.H. statms Statement of receipts & expenditures of B.H for Nov read & ordered filed

Thanks Elk letter of thanks from the P.O. Lodge of Elks for the donation of an Elk read & ordered filed

Thinning Trees So Park letter from the residents of So. Park requesting the thinning out of the trees referred to Supt McLaren to investigate.

Egg Coll an offer to sell a collection of eggs gathered in the Phillipine Islands by F.B. McDonald was declined

Animals Communication from U.S. Board soliciting the purchasing of animals ordered filed.

Inventory Resolution of the Board of Supervisors requesting a verified Statement of all the personal property in possession of the P.C. to be filed before DEC 31-1901
Secty instructed to comply with the order.

Pub of Trees The bid of P.J. Murdock & Co for the publication of a report was read
The matter was referred to Comr Stanton who was requested to look into the photographing of the views also to make arrangements with Murdock & Co regarding the publishing.

The request from the normal school for grounds referred to Supt McLaren

Windmill In discussing the question of the proposed windmill at the beach, on motion of Comr Kloyd sec'd Comr Martin
The matter was referred to Comr Stanton who was requested to have Mr Scott submit plans & specifications for all the necessary machinery, pails, &c, &c, also giving the pumping capacity, and cost of erecting the same.

Auto Committee representing the Auto Club of Cala & Carriage Owners, appeared before the Commissioners & discussed the question of giving the Automobiles the right to use all the driveways in the Park: on motion
Comr Stanton sec'd Comr Martin
The matter was laid over for further consideration

Handball On motion Comr Kloyd, sec'd Comr Martin
The Supt was instructed to extend the handball courts ten feet, and have a wire netting placed over the top.

Cal Rata Suit No 11 On motion Comr Kloyd sec'd Comr Stanton
The President of the Board was requested to arrange with Mr Morrow of the Sutter St R'R Co. regarding the payment of their pro rata for the Park Concerts.

Fire Eq On Comr Stanton, sec'd Comr Martin
The Supt was authorized to purchase ten hand fire extinguishers and distribute them in different Park buildings. Motion
on motion Comr Kloyd, sec'd Comr McDonald

Supt to investigate The Secty was instructed to request the Chief of the Fire Dept to test the machines at intervals

On motion Comr Kloyd sec'd Comr Martin
Aquarium The Supt was requested to file at the next meeting a Statement showing the cost of constructing and maintaining an aquarium.

Philip K. Dowdy
Secty.

Jan 2-1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyds office Thursday January 2. 1902

Were present

Com Speckels - Chairman
. McDonald
. Lloyd
. Stanton

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supts reports

Supt McLaren's report for month of December read and ordered filed.

Shower Baths at Tennis Court

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald the superintendent was authorized to perform the following work.- To have 4 shower baths built in the Tennis Dressing rooms - 2 in each department. To commence the construction of the proposed tunnel from the main drive tunnel to the Music Court, also to lay concrete flooring in all the tunnels used by pedestrians, and in order to hide from view the unsightly structures of the new Chutes he was ordered to plant a number of large trees on the north side of the park opposite the same.

Offer of Elks declined

A communication from H. Helbs offering for sale a herd of Elks was declined.

Protest from A Schultz

Protest from A Schultz (a park employee) regarding the examinations held and claims filed against him, was read and filed. On motion of Com McDonald seconded by Com Lloyd, the superintendent was instructed to discharge any employee drinking during working hours, or any one laying off on account of drinking.

Collectors

The secretary was instructed to notify all collectors having claims against employees that the commission would not interfere in any manner.

Aquarium

On motion Com McDonald -
That the building of an aquarium be commenced at once by expending sums, from time to time, but not to exceed $40,000 in the total expenditure = Voting noes, Com.

Stanton, - Speckels and Lloyd, - Ayes Com McDonald.

Loam tickets

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Stanton the secretary was instructed to issue the tickets for the loam delivered in the east end of the park and superintendent to deputize a man at the west end to do likewise.

Meeting adjourned.

Phillip J Lloy - Jr
by Herbert E Schmitz
Secretary

Jan 16 1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge Thursday, Jan. 16th 1902.

Were present

Com. Spreckels - Chairman
" Lloyd
" Altman
" Sullivan
" McDonald

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Temporary Chairman

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Spreckels it was decided that Com. McDonald take the chair and act as temporary chairman.

Appointment of Commissioners

The appointment of Mr. A. B. Spreckels and Mr. Frank J. Sullivan by Mayor Jas. D. Phelan and of Mr. Adolph Altmann by Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz to the Board of Park Commissioners read and ordered filed.

President Spreckels

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann Mr. Spreckels was nominated and elected chairman for the ensuing term.

Secretary

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. McDonald it was decided that the board enter into executive session.

Secretary elected

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Altmann Herbert L. Schmitz was nominated for the secretaryship. Mr. Sullivan placed in nomination Mr. Phillip Fay. After considerable discussion Herbert L. Schmitz was, by a majority vote, appointed.

Accountant

It was duly moved and seconded & carried that Miss M. J. Dorman be reappointed as accountant of the Board at the same salary

Supt

It was duly moved seconded and carried that Mr. McLaren be reappointed as superintendent at the same salary.

P. Fay's salary

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan it was decided that the salary of Mr. Fay be paid up to Feb. 1-1902

Burnett Gram. Sch.

A communication was received from Phillips Bryan principal of the Burnett Grammar School requesting that a garden be constructed in front of the school. Supt McLaren was authorized to comply with the request.

Dance rattle

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Rubin H. Lloyd for his donation to the Memorial Museum of a native dance rattle from the Hawaiian Islands.

N. J. Thorp's bill

The communication and bill of Mr. N. J. Thorp read and ordered placed on file.

U. S. T. Co's receipt

A motion was made by Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. McDonald and carried that the receipt from Wells, Fargo & Co. be placed on file.

Statement of the boat house

Statement of receipts and expenses of the boat house for the month of December 1901 read & ordered filed

The following ordinances were adopted by the Board of Supervisors:-

Extension of the park

To extend Golden Gate Park northerly to the 13th & 14th Ave. as to connect with the Presidio Military Reservation read and ordered filed

Extension Mission Park

To acquire all the lands within the block bounded by Washington Sacramento Dough and Laguna Streets for Park or Square purposes read and ordered filed.

Mission Park

That a new and additional public Park or Square be provided in that portion of the city known as the Mission, and that all the land in Mission block "N" and "O" be acquired for such purpose read and ordered filed.

Wages Park laborers

Ordinance #425 of the Board of Supervisors-
Fixing the amount of wages to be paid and regulating the hours of work for laborers employed by the Park Commissioners-

The minimum wages to be $2.50 per day of 8 hours labor- Same to take effect on and after July 1st 1902.- Matter was referred to Com. Lloyd

Elm tree

Letter from Mr. O. D. Baldwin, asking that on arrival of the Elm tree from Canton, Ohio, that a date be set, and location selected for the planting of same.

The matter was referred to Supt McLaren to report on same at next meeting.

Pumps

Letter from Mr. E. Doolittle regarding his investigations as to the best method of pumping water and recommending the air lift system- Read and ordered filed.

Coin collection

The offer of sale of a collection of ancient coins collected by Com. L. Edwin Sedley of Vancouver B.C.

The secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt and to state that offer was declined as there were no available funds to purchase the collection.

Photographs

The bid of R. J. Waters & Co. for photographic work of Park views for the yearly report.

Matter was referred to Supt. McLaren.

Design for Gateway

It was duly moved seconded and carried that Com Altmann submit design for the gateway at the Haight St entrance to conform to the bequest of Mrs. M. C. Crosby

Conservatory fountains

Mr. McDonald stated that the fountains in the conservatory were broken and therefore suggested that Com Altmann be requested to see toward improving them.

Supt McLaren was asked to look into the matter of a site for Golf Links and to report to the Board.

Telephones

The President appointed Com. Lloyd, and McDonald a committee on telephones.

De Savoga inscription

It was duly moved, seconded, and carried that the inscription for the De Savoga Memorial be referred to Com. Altmann.

Payment for music

Com. Lloyd moved and it was duly seconded and carried that Pres. Spreckels be given full power to settle the matter relating to the payment of funds by the Street Railways for music.

Plumbing Emergency Hospital

The following bids were received in answer to the request of Architect Thorpe for plumbing on the Park Emergency Hospital

James E. Brill	490.
R. Rice	535
Duffy Bros.	535

Award to Jas Brill

Mr. Lloyd moved, and it was duly seconded and carried that the contract for plumbing in the Park Emergency Hospital be awarded to James Brill the bid being the lowest and on condition that he furnish first class materials and do the work, satisfactory to the architect.

Meetings

It was moved, seconded and carried that at 2 o'clock P.M. on the first and third Fridays of each month be set for the regular meeting day of the Commissioners at the Park Lodge, unless otherwise ordered by the President.

Meeting adjourned.

Herbert L. Johnson
Secretary

Feb 7-1902

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held in Com. Lloyd's office Friday, Feb. 7-1902

Here present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt's report

Supt McLaren's report for month of January read and ordered filed.

Supt's suggestions

It was duly moved, seconded and carried that the suggestions as made in the superintendents report be carried out

Curator's report

Report of Curator Wilcomb of donations received for the museum during the month of January read and referred to Commissioner Altmann.

Gun shell

A communication from Chas C Dunfee of 819½ Market St City offering the loan for exhibition in the museum of an 8 inch shell fired from one of the ships of Admiral Dewey's fleet in Manilla Bay-May 1-1898. Referred to Com Altmann.

Lafayette St.

A communication received from the Board of Public Works referring to complaints received from citizens and property owners about the condition of Gough Street between Sacramento and Washington streets and recommending the construction of bulkheads, and artificial stone, sidewalks be laid.—

It was moved by Com Sullivan, seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried that the Superintendent investigate the matter, ascertain what infringements were and do now on Lafayette Square and on the street and report at next meeting

Deer offered

Communication from Chas A. Coe of San Jose offering the sale of a buck, doe and two fawns.

The Secretary was instructed to reply to Mr Coe informing him that the Park Commission did not want to purchase the deer, as they have all they wish.

Olympic races

A communication was received from the Olympic Club requesting permission to hold their Annual Cross Country Foot race in Golden Gate Park - Feb 22nd

It was moved duly seconded, and carried that the permission be granted, as requested.

Offer to buy buffaloes

Communication from Miss L. Lloyd, offering to purchase 2 or 3 buffaloes.

Moved by Com Lloyd, seconded by Com Sullivan and carried that the matter be referred to Supt McLaren with power to act - To inform Miss Lloyd that she could purchase a pair of buffaloes, male and female for $1000.

Pheasantry

Communication of Mr Hoyt in reference to establishing a pheasantry at the park and offering 20% of the production to the park.

Respectfully declined as the Charter prohibits use of park for business purposes.

Curator Wilcomb's collection

A communication from Mr Wilcomb, the curator, offering for sale a collection of Indian curios

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com Sullivan and carried it was referred to Com Altmann.

Bills

Bills for music.

Com Lloyd moved that bills for music be referred to President Spreckels and power given him to act - Seconded by Com Sullivan and carried

Concerts

On motion of Com. Sullivan, seconded by Com Lloyd and carried, it was decided that the concerts be discontinued for the present as the railways were unwilling to pay their proper pro-rata.

Employees citizens of U.S.

Com. McDonald reported that charges of not being a citizen had been preferred against A. Young, a park employee. As the charter distinctly says that all city employees must be citizens of the United States. Supt. McLaren was instructed to investigate the charges and report at the next meeting.

Tea garden

It was moved, duly seconded and carried that Com. Sullivan be appointed a committee of one to look after the Japanese Tea Garden.

Leave from museum

On motion of Com. Altmann it was duly seconded and carried that no articles be loaned from the museum.

Shot gun

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan, President Spreckels was empowered to secure a shot gun for use in the park.

Bicycle path

On motion of Com. Sullivan it was duly seconded and carried that the superintendent be instructed to ascertain if it were possible to construct a bicycle path on the south line of the park and to report at the next meeting.

Meeting adjourned.

Herbert C. Schmitz
Secretary.

Feb 25/02

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyd's office Tuesday, Feb 25. 1902

Were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan

Bids

The following bids were received in answer to the request of Architect Thorp for the tiling, plastering and painting of the Park Emergency Hospital

Tiling

For tiling:-

Bush & Mallett Co.	$1224
W. W. Montague & Co	843
H. S. Mangrum	1147

Ord to W. W. Montague

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that W. W. Montague & Co. be awarded the contract for tiling, their bid $843 being the lowest

Fine Cathe

For plastering:- On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided that wire lathe with mortar having a finish in ordinary white coat be used

Plastering

For lathing & plastering-

J. R. Tobin	$590
M. Cottick	700
J. Sullivan	720

Ord to J. R. Tobin

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that contract for lathing and plastering be awarded to J. R. Tobin his bid $590. being the lowest

Painting

For painting

Geo. C. Clothing	$300
J. C. Fraser	325
Buse & Moore	350
John Quadt	365

Painting

John Brownlie foreman painter at the Park having figured on the work, submitted an estimate of $220.

Bids rejected

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. McDonald and carried all bids for painting be rejected - checks returned and the foreman Park painter be instructed to perform the work.

Society of Amer. Vets

The Secretary was directed to supply Society of American Vets with copy of resolution passed at meeting of the Park Commissioners in September, - in reference to their request for permission to erect a flag-staff monument at Market & Battery sts. - The consent of the commission was granted.

Lawn tennis court

Motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. McDonald and carried that the superintendent be instructed to illuminize one court of the lawn-tennis ground, to be used as a champion court.

Washington Sq neglected

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that the superintendent be directed to investigate with Com. Altmann charges that Washington Square was being neglected and report at the next meeting.

Title of South Park

Com. Sullivan reported that the title of South Park was being attacked by a man named Wallace and he promised to devote time and attention to the case Wallace vs. City and County of S. F. - wherein title of South Park is involved.

Meeting adjourned.

Herbert L. Schmitz.
Secy.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge - Friday March 7. 1902.

Were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Reports.

Report of the Childrens Quarters and the Japanese Tea Garden for January and February read and ordered filed.

Petition for coping around Bernal Park

Petition from the Precita Valley Improvement Club asking that a coping be placed around Bernal Park. No objections the communication was ordered placed on file -

Request for [illegible]

Petition of Dr. Waldow endorsed by Lincoln Post # G.A.R. requesting that he be employed in Golden Gate Park. - Read and ordered filed.

Report

Report of Superintendent McLaren read and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that the suggestions as made in the superintendents report be taken up and acted upon seriatim

Bicycle path

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the superintendent was directed to begin the construction of the bicycle path from west line of the park until it strikes the south drive near the "chain of lakes" station

Com. Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. McDonald and carried that two public buildings be erected for protection of bicycles and pedestrians, one at east end of the speedway, the other midway between that point and Chain of Lakes station

Improve Washington Square

Motion of Com. Lloyd that Washington Square be improved, as suggested by Supt. McLaren and a fountain be erected duly seconded and carried with the amendent of Com. Altmann that $1,000.00 be expended in the improvements.

Resolution #2394 of the Board of Supervisors received calling attention to the provisions of Article III - Chapter I - Section I of the city Charter directing the Park Commission to file with the Board of Supervisors and the Auditor an estimate in writing of the amount of expenditure required for the comeng year.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann, and carried the Superintendent and the Secretary were instructed to prepare the estimate, and file with the Auditor, and the Board of Supervisors as requested by the Charter.

Communication received from the Merchants Association in reference to constructing under ground public convenience station in Union Square

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to reply to the communication informing the association to the Board of Public Works and the reply to be submitted to Com. Lloyd

Report of Curator Kellcomb of donations received for the museum - from Lt. J. Smith - a South Sea Islands canoe - a dug-out).

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the donation was accepted with thanks.

Communication received from the Teamsters Union complaining that a vehicle was making a practice of traversing the Park daily with a sign upon it.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the Secretary was instructed to reply to the letter, also to communicate with the Park inspector in reference to complaints of overcharging passengers in the Park and to have the sign complained of removed from the cars.-

Donation of Deer Horns

Motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Kruse - 2 pr. front, H for his donation of "Deer horns" from Humboldt Co.

Donation of Horns

By a unanimous vote President Sprechels was tendered the thanks of the Park Commission for his donation of four Hawaiian mountain horns

Purchase of trees

Com Lloyd moved duly seconded by Com Altmann and carried that the superintendents suggestion be carried out and 300 flowering trees be purchased.

Wind mill

The motion of Com Lloyd that the erection of the wind mill and pumping machinery be commenced at once.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to postpone action in relation to the wind-mill until a special meeting in order to allow of a further investigation.

Executive session

Motion to go into executive session duly seconded and carried.

Gelatine casts

A list was presented by Curator Kellcomb of the gelatine casts of California food fish returned from the Paris Exposition in damaged condition

On motion of Com Altmann duly seconded by Com Lloyd and carried the curator was instructed to ascertain the cost of replacing the damaged fish casts

Donation of

Communication received from Curator Kellcomb in reference to list of curios offered by him as a loan or to be purchased by the commission and stating a sum of $138.60 the amount of expenses incurred by him in securing the collection.

On motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com Sullivan and carried it was decided to purchase from Dr Kellcomb his collection and a list of the same to be spread on the minutes -

LIST OF ARTICLES COLLECTED BY

C. F. WILCOMB, AND purchased for THE

MEMORIAL MUSEUM.- by the Park Com. - March 7. 1902

Coal

No. 1. Indian Ceremonial Basket, basin-shape, covered with oriole feathers, interspersed with red, blue and black feathers of the woodpecker, red-shouldered blackbird, male valley quail, and bluebird. Ornamented with bangles of glass beads and shell wampum. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. $30.00

No. 2. Indian Dowry Basket, Sea-Urchin shape, pattern in red, ornamented with glass beads. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 15.00

No. 3. Indian Basket, Sea-urchin shape, pattern in brown, old and richly colored. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 3.50

No. 4. Indian Basket, round bowl, very old and rare, Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 4.00

No. 5. Indian Basket, Sea-urchin shape, pattern in brown, rich amber tone of color, old and rare. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 2.50

No. 6. Indian Basket, round bowl, coarse weave, ornamented with red yarn, old and good color. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. (Near Geyserville). .75

No. 7. Indian Basket, bottle-neck type, water-glass pattern in red, Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. 20.00

No. 8. Indian Basket, flaring bowl, used as a squaw cap, step pattern in red. Wuichumna tribe, Tule river, Tulare Co., Cal. 5.00

No. 9. Indian Basket, sea-urchin shape, solidly feathered in green, red- yellow, blue etc. Decorated with glass beads, and shell wampum. Made by an extinct tribe, northern Napa Co., Cal. 25.00

No.10. Paddle, used for stirring acorn soup while cooking in baskets. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. 1.00

No.11. Root Digger, for digging roots for basket making. Old method. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. .25

No.12. Root Digger, for digging basket-making roots, old method. Poma Indians, Lake Co., Cal. .25

No.13. Smoking Pipe, Made of stone, used only by old men. Poma Indians. Mendocino Co., Cal. .50

No.14. Headdress of feathers, used by Indian Medicine man. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.15. Headdress of feathers, used by Medicine men. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. 3.75

No.16. Headdress of feathers, used by women at dances. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.17. Rattle, composed of seashells attached to feathers, used by Medicine man, Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal.

No.18. Ornamental Pins, for fastening feather headdress. Decorated with pieces of feather quill from the yellow hammer. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal. (2 pieces). .50

No.19. Feather Net, to fasten on the head for attaching feather headdress. Poma Indians, Mendocino Co., Cal .50

No.20. Awl or Pricker, used by basket makers. Made of bone from leg of deer. Old method. Poma Indians, Sonoma Co., Cal. .25

No.21. Indian Moccasins, native tan, plain, Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. 1.00

No.22. Knife, of stone (chert), made and used by Piute Indian, Inyo Co., Cal. .50

No.23. Awl or Pricker, used in basket weaving. Made of cactus spine. Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. .10

No.24. Gambling Sticks, 13 pieces, made and used by Piute Indians, Inyo Co., Cal. .25

No.25. Soup Paddle, used for stirring acorn soup when cooking in baskets. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 1.00

No.26. Gambling Sticks, (bundle), used as counters. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 1.00

No.27. Spools on which is wound net-making string. Made of elk horn. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 1.00

No.28. Comb, for dressing the hair. Used by squaws. Made of bone. Ornamented with incised lines. Cahroc tribe of Indians, Humboldt Co., Cal. .50

No.29. Money Purse, used for holding native wampum. Cahroc tribe, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 1.00

No.30. Headdress, made from white deer skin. Used at ceremonial dances. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 2.50

No.31. Headdress, composed of sea lion teeth. Old and rare. Used at ceremonial dances. Cahroc tribe, Humboldt Co., Cal. 2.50

No.32. Shell Necklace, composed of small olive shells. Formerly used as money, and also worn at ceremonial dances. Cahroc tribe, Klamath river, Siskiyou Co., Cal. 2.50

No.33. Dance belt, ornamented with olive shells and glass beads. Cahroc Indians, Klamath river, Humboldt Co., Cal. 2.00

No.34. Indian stone Pestle, unusually long and well made. Ancient. Humboldt Co., Cal. 1.00

Total $ 132.35

Expense of collecting. 1.00

Amount invested $ 131.67

Offer of sale of a collection of Indian baskets, etc from Geo. H. Neal, Lakeport, Cal Price $3500
Respectfully declined

On motion of Com. Hilmann, duly seconded and carried the Curator was authorized to purchase the "Manual of Pottery"

Letter received from Sarah M. Spooner from New York, stating she had secured some paintings for loan to the park, and asking that arrangements be made for the insurance, etc. of them while in transit to San Francisco.
Referred to Com. Hilmann

Communication received from the Building Trades Council referring to work being done by non-union men. Read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried ordered placed on file.

Offer of sale for $500 of a collection of Indian baskets from R. D. French - Prescott - Arizona. Respectfully declined.

Meeting adjourned

Herbert L. Schmitt
Secretary.

Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday March 28- 1902.

Were present
Pres. Spreckels
Com. McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Budget Estimate

The Secretary reported on the estimate of expense for the coming year filed with the Auditor and the Board of Supervisors.

Petition from a number of tennis players requesting that the court of tennis ground be not bituminized as intended by the Park Commissioners.
Matter referred to Commissioner Lloyd.

Communication from Jacob Kayman & Co. asking that a foot walk be constructed along the Boulevard - Read and ordered placed on file.

Letter of thanks received from Eureka Park Association for the good work performed at Eureka Park and suggesting that improvements be continued and that the Board of Public Works had been requested by the association to lay a concrete-walk around the park and also a coping to be constructed under the supervision of Superintendent McLaren.

Communication received from Park Comm. Hartford Conn. asking for information and Book reports of the Park Commissioners -
The Superintendent was instructed to comply with the request.

Resolution 2446 Board of Supervisors requesting that the Park Concerts be renewed
A committee of two - Com. Sullivan and McDonald were appointed by President Spreckels to draft resolutions in reply to the Board of Supervisors.

Communication from Mr and Mrs Wilson asking permission to conduct a butter-milk stand on the ocean beach. Request denied.

Communication from the Spring Valley Lumber Yard offering whatever lumber may be desired by the Park Commission at $19.00 a thousand less than market price - delivered from the wrecked schooner 'Reporter' at the ocean beach.

On motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Altmann and carried, the superintendent was authorized to purchase whatever lumber was required.

Communication received from Chas. A. Gruber asking permission to play with 100 mandoline, guitars etc on the music stand at the park on Sunday.

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded by Com. Sullivan permission was denied as the instruments were considered inadequate for the purpose.

Communication from Allen's Press Clipping Bureau asking if service was to be continued.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to discontinue it as the clippings supplied were of no use to the Commission.

Communication from Jas. Y. Brown of Vancouver B.C. offering for sale some Rocky Mt. goats.

The Secretary was instructed to get full particulars from Mr Brown and a photograph of the animals if possible and to also ascertain if he could secure some mountain sheep.

Communication from J. P. Gray Hornbrook Cal. wishing to dispose of a male deer, 9 months old.

Declined with thanks.

Communication of Chas. M. Hammond who wished to sell some pea fowl at $5 a piece.

Matter duly declined.

Communication received from Mrs. D. Baldwin requesting the Park Commission to place an iron fence around the McKinley Memorial Elm tree recently planted in Union Square and also place on the tree a small tablet suitably inscribed.

Referred to Supt. McLaren.

On motion of Com. Sullivan, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the superintendent was instructed to proceed with the improvements and additions to the Japanese Tea Garden according to the plans submitted by him to the Board.

Com. Altmann reported the safe arrival from New York of the three pictures kindly loaned by Miss Sarah M. Spooner and that they had been placed on exhibition in the museum.

The motion to advertise for bids for the Coal House and the Children's Quarters was on motion of President Spreckels seconded by Com. Sullivan, and carried postponed until the next meeting of the Board in order to allow Com. McDonald who has charge of the Children's Quarters an opportunity to explain the accounts to his honor the Mayor.

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried Meeting adjourned.

M. L. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Parks Lodge Friday April 4-1902.

Present

Pres. Speckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarter read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried a communication of thanks was ordered sent to Mr Rack for his kind donation of 250 flowering trees.

Communication received from Cavilard & Co. of New York through Wallian Dohrmann & Co. City offering an exhibit for the museum of a model of their building, the same which was exhibited at the Chicago's World's Fair.

Declined with thanks as the exhibit was considered an advertisement

Communication received from Curator Wilcomb calling attention to some needed repairs at the museum

Referred to Com. Altmann and on motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. McDonald and carried Com. Altmann was given full power to act and report at next meeting

Communication from Raymond Lincoln asking permission and making a bid for publishing a guide and programme of music of the Park.

Communication not acted upon - Held over for action at future meeting

Communication read which was sent to the S.F. Chronicle by M. Torchiana of Watsonville making complaint against selling surplus donations which had accumulated at the museum -

The secretary was instructed to reply to Mr Torchiana making an explanation that there were no grounds for his complaint and to state that he had been misinformed.

Com. Lloyd was appointed by President Speckels a committee of one to ascertain if the Park Commissioners had the right and power to sell surplus materials and articles that had accumulated at the museum and other departments of the Park.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the superintendent was directed to secure more tennis ground by moving the bowling green to the south side of the Oak ridge and to construct some additional tennis courts.

On motion duly seconded and carried the superintendent was empowered to act in reference to making additional screens at the apartments for ladies and gentlemen at the Tennis Courts.

Commissioners McDonald and Sullivan having been appointed by President Speckels a committee of two to answer the resolution of the Board of Supervisors in reference to the Park concerts reported that they had filed their answer with the Supervisors and the committee was discharged with thanks. Answer to the resolution filed with the Board of Park Commissioners by the committee.

President Speckels reported that he had had a conference with the Spring Valley Water Works and succeeded in securing a rate of $1050 a month and as this figure was several hundred dollars below the regular legal rate, asked that arrangement be approved.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the arrangements were approved

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that a special meeting be held at the call of the President, that some responsible engineers be invited and ascertain what plans would be feasible for supplying water for the western end of the park.

Report received from Com. McDonald, of the Children's Quarters for the past 12 months.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried the meting adjourned to allow the Commissioners to inspect the Childrens Quarters.

Meeting adjourned

H. J. Schmitz
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At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at President Spreckels office Friday, Apl 18- 1902.

Were present

President Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Communication received from the Knights of Lythias asking the use of Union Square during the month of August next for the purpose of holding an open air fair.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. McDonald the secretary was instructed to reply to the communication and to inform them that it would be contrary to law, that the Charter would not allow the Park Commissioners to grant the request.

Communication from the Hackmens Union saying that the complaints of overcharges by the hackmen at the Park were unfounded.

Secretary was instructed to reply and to state that complaints were still being made and to request that the hackman exhibit a rate card on the inside of each vehicle.

Communication from the Metal Workers Union asking that union metal workers be given the iron work in the park

As no iron work was being done the communication was ordered filed.

Communication received making complaint of drunkness against J. A. Johnston of Sutro Park

The superintendent was requested to investigate the charges and if true to discharge the man

Communication from Paul Lotz offering the loan for the museum of a painting by Miss Matilda Lotz entitled Open

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that the loan be accepted.

Offer of sale received from F. E. Blinson of Sebastopol Cal. of a pair of, the bone of a horses front leg found in the lava beds of Modoc Co. Cal.

On motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the offer was declined.

Communication from Jas. E. Bond Los Angeles - offering a pair of for the museum of a hog's foot with a pig growing on the side of it.

Respectfully declined.

Estimate of A. P. Nelson for the construction of a Japanese Stone Lantern for the Tea Garden.

Referred to Com. Sullivan.

Request of Mrs. Sophia Calderwood - Sonoma Cal. that the Commission sell her some pea-fowl eggs.

Secretary was instructed to state there were none to spare.

Communication of the Sala Club in reference to the Children's Fraebel -

Ordered filed.

President Sprechels reported that arrangements had been made with the United Railroads of S. F. to pay $150 per concert for the bands in the park on Sundays and Holidays.

The report was approved and accepted by the Board.

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the manager of the Park Band was to be requested to make an inventory of the music and to have it kept in the band stand at the park.

The Superintendent was also instructed to have proper shelving placed for the storing of the music

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for furnishing 2500 ft. more or less 1 inch hose.

2500 ft " " 1½ " hose.

in 50 ft. lengths with couplings and guaranteed for one year.

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the construction of the wind mill be commenced at once. The Superintendent stated that he had thoroughly investigated the matter and he was convinced that the mill would be able to furnish 20 000 gals. of water an hour - at an estimated cost of $14000. Com. McDonald was adverse to the motion - after a lengthy discussion Com. Sullivan made a motion seconded by Com. Altmann, and carried that the roll be called and a vote taken. Com. Lloyds motion for the erection of the wind-mill was carried by a vote of 3 ayes and 2 noes - President Sprechels, Com. Lloyd and Altmann voting aye. - Com. McDonald and Sullivan voting no.

The Superintendent was instructed to submit at the next meeting - cost of erection. - facts and figures relative to the wind-mill. -

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Superintendent was requested to secure definate plans and specifications with the estimate of cost of the wind mill and report at next meeting.

The Superintendent was instructed to produce the naturalization papers of the park employee A Young who was charged with not being a citizen on motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded, and carried

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Pres. Sprechels, and carried it was decided to give Miss Hare's Kindergarten a free day at the Children's Fraebel.

Motion of Com Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that Com Lloyd be empowered to communicate with Miss Hasse Kindergarten and grant her request for a free day- Monday- April 21 - 1902.

Motion of Com Lloyd duly seconded and carried Com. McDonald was appointed a committee of one with the assistance of the superintendent to secure if possible a new site for the manure dump.

Com Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that Pres Sprockels be appointed a committee of one to secure someone to expert the books of the Commission and report at next meeting.

Com Sullivan was appointed a committee of one to ascertain if the reservoir and huge pipes could not be removed from about Lafayette Square or the appearance of them improved.

Com Altmann reported on the flags required at the museum and uniforms for the museum employees.

Matter referred to Com. Altmann with power to act.

Meeting adjourned

H. L. Schmidt
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Sloyds office. Friday May 2 - 1902

Were present
President Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for April read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters for April read and ordered filed.

On motion duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids on the bituminous work in the park - to be laid one inch thick on estimated surface of 40 000 sq feet.

On motion duly seconded and carried the superintendent was instructed to secure specifications for the work and file in the office

Commissioner Sullivan was granted further time to report on the removal or improving the appearance of the reservoir and large pipes about Lafayette Square

Communication of Sheriff Eastman in reference to the rock pile in Sylvia Park read and ordered filed

Resolution 2543 Board of Supervisors requesting the Park and Boulevard Commission to furnish a plat and plan for the ornamentation of Van Ness Ave and to report the estimated cost per block.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Lloyd and carried the superintendent was instructed to comply with the request.

Communication from the Manufacturers' and Producers' Association in reference to giving preference to California products in purchasing supplies.

Read and ordered filed.

Communication of Lula J. McDermott requesting that the song "Old Flag Forever" be played at the Park Band concert by the leader of the Park Band.

Communication of the president of the Occidental Kindergarten requesting permission for a free day at the Children's Quarters.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded and carried permission was granted.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to send a note of thanks to Mrs. H. H. Armstrong for her donation of two steel engravings for the museum.

Communication of J. A. Lindstrom in reference to the Children's Quarters.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann seconded by Commissioner Sullivan Mrs. Eichok was requested to state whether she could manage the quarters more economically etc. as stated in the communication and if she could not Mr. Lindstrom's proposal was to be accepted by the Park Commissioners.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried it was decided to establish a botanical garden in the Park - the Associated Colleges to furnish the plants. The superintendent was instructed to select a site for it and report at the next meeting.

In answer to the ads. advertised for, the Programme privileges the following were received:

Wyatt Bill Posting Co.	50.00 per mo.
A. Altmann	60.00 " "
F. A. Nevins	100.00 " "
Prentiss	80.00 " "
Pacific Advertising Co.	50.00 " "
Raymond Dunham	45.00 " "

The bid of F. A. Nevins being the highest on motion of Commissioner McDonald duly seconded and carried he was awarded the Programme privilege.

Commissioners Lloyd and Altmann were appointed a programme committee.

In answer to the advertised bids for hose the following were received:

	1 in.	1¼ in.
New York Belting Co.	22¼¢ per foot	27½¢ per ft.
Gutta Percha & Rubber	14½¢ " "	17¢ " "
Revere Rubber	18¢ " "	22 " "
Goodyear Rubber	15½¢ " "	19 " "
Diamond	18½ " "	23½ " "
Powers	15¢ " "	17½ " "
Pacific	15¾¢ " "	23½ " "

The Powers Rubber Co. a local manufacturer were awarded the contract on motion of Commissioner McDonald duly seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned

Robert J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday, May 23-1902
were present
Commissioners McDonald
and Sullivan

A quorum not being present Commissioner Lloyd was communicated with by telephone and stated his willingness to approve the action of Commissioners McDonald and Sullivan in reference to 1st bid for bitumen work 2nd a communication from the Gutta Percha and Rubber Co. objecting to the bid for hose being awarded to the Powers Rubber Co. - 3rd request from the Olympic Club for permission to hold their annual foot race in Golden Gate Park, Decoration Day, May 30th.

The following bids were received in answer to the advertisement for bitumen work in the park to be laid 1 in. thick.

Union Paving Co	3 9/10 ¢ per sq. ft.
A. P. Construction.	4 3/8 " " "
City Street Imp. Co.	4 1/2 " " "
Stanley Bay	5 1/4 " " "
D. J. Dowling	4 3/4 " " "
Flynn & Tracy	3 99/100 " " "

The bid of the Union Paving Co. being the lowest, on motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner McDonald the contract was awarded to them.

In reference to the communication of the Gutta Percha and Rubber Manufacturing Co. after their representative had been given a hearing by the Commissioners, he stated that he would be satisfied if given half of the contract. Commissioner Sullivan stated that he would look up the law governing the awarding of bids for supplies and ascertain if the Commissioners were compelled to award the contract to the lowest bidder.

On motion duly seconded the Olympic Club was given permission to hold its annual foot races in the park Decoration Day, May 30th.

Meeting adjourned

H. J. Hemmings Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday June 6-1902
Were present
Commissioner Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann
President Spreckels - absent

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan duly seconded by Commissioner Altmann and carried Commissioner Lloyd was elected temporary Chairman.

Minutes of previous meeting of May 2 read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried the informal acts of the Commission at the previous meeting (there being no quorum present May 23) were approved as read

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried Commissioner Altmann and Supt. McLaren were empowered to select the trees suitable for the ornamentation of Lincoln Ave. and to recommend the same to the Board of Supervisors

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of May read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarter for month of May read and ordered filed.

A vote of thanks was ordered sent to Congressman Kahn for his courtesy in sending to the Park Museum the pen with which President Roosevelt signed the Chinese Exclusion Act.

Park Emergency Hospital

A communication received from the Board of Health agreeing to pay $500 additional on account of the Park Emergency Hospital. The Secretary reported that he had sent bills to that amount to the Board of Health and was instructed to see that the accounts were paid as agreed.

Communication from the Gutta Percha and Rubber Mfg Co. stating that as they were really the lowest bidders that they be given some of the Order on the hose contract.

The Superintendent was instructed to give the firm a portion of the business.

Request of J. A. Pantzell for the privilege of holding prayer meetings, afternoons and evenings in Union Square.

Request denied as Charter prohibits it.

The motion of Commissioner Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Sullivan to pay Architect A. J. Sharp $50 a previous bill not included in settlement made with him sometime ago was carried by the following vote;-

Ayes-Com. McDonald, Sullivan and Altmann

No - Commissioner Lloyd.

Architect Sharp rendered his bill on account of the Park Emergency Hospital showing a balance due him of $434.- Ordered paid.

Communication and petition of the residents in the vicinity of Sutro Park asking that rock pile be removed and the lower end of the park be made into a lawn.

Read and ordered filed.

Communication from Building Trades Council complaining of work being done in the park by non-union and incompetent workmen.

The Secretary was instructed to reply stating that no discrimination was made in hiring employees of the park.

Communication from Senator Wilcomb reporting offer of loans for the Museum.

Referred to Commissioner Altmann.

Request of a number of young ladies that a more desirable court be given at the tennis grounds than the one now assigned them.

The Secretary was instructed to reply and to state that the court was changed at the request of the ladies and at the present time some additional courts were being constructed and as soon as they were completed the petitioners could have a selection of one.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner Altmann and carried the purchase of the cash register at $105 for the Children's Quarters was approved.

Complaint of incivility of foreman Nagmussen of Union Square preferred by A. J. Standandy 122 Turk St.

The Superintendent was requested to investigate the charges and report.

The motion of Commissioner Sullivan that conditions prevailing at the present time be continued at the Children's Quarters under the direction of Commissioner McDonald until further action by the Board was put to a vote and carried - Commissioners Sullivan, McDonald and Altmann voting Aye - & Commissioner Lloyd - No

Communications from various Kindergartens expressing their thanks for free days at the Children's Quarters ordered filed.

Communications of J. T. Lindstrom ordered filed.

Communication of Sequoia Baseball Team requesting that additional facilities for playing baseball be provided by leveling and extending the present grounds.

Referred to Superintendent with request to report what effect the extending of the grounds would have on the scenic appearance, and the cost at the next meeting.

Request of Mrs. M. Foute, 1915 Gough St. that Lafayette Square be improved.-
Read and ordered filed.

Communication of De Camp & Mosher, Dustless Road Co. making the charge that the Park Commissioners were using oil on the roads were infringing on their rights as they held letters patent for the invention of improving roads by that means.-
The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the company and request it to produce a copy of the patent.

Offer of the Virginia Sal-o-Nal Co. to give a percentage on the sale of their goods in the park.
Refused as the Charter prohibits.

Offer of J. Lorenzini to present 2 young eagles accepted with thanks.

Offer of sale of young fawn by Mr. B. Lazant - Oakland - Declined

Offer of sale of an eagle by F. N. Petersen - Westport - Mack. Declined.

Offer of sale of an Gila monster by Mrs. Evans - Ventura - Cal. Declined.

Offer of sale of an American eagle by Wm. Tahill & Austin - Nav. The Secretary was instructed to state that the Commissioners had no desire to purchase but would accept as a gift.

Offer of Willard Randall of Oakland to present the Park with 2 eagles - Received with thanks.-

In answer to the advertisement for supplies for the next six months the following bids were received;-

Loam -

Edmond Kenny	$1.17 per cu yd
Union Arms Contracting Co	$1.10 " "
Peter McHugh	$1.14 " "

The bids for loam all being considered too high on motion duly seconded and carried no contracts awarded.

Wheat Hay

Somers & Co	12.25 per ton
Scott & Magner	12.50 " "
H. C. Ellis & Co.	12.75 " "
E. Aigeltinger & Co.	12.00 " "

E. Aigeltinger & Co. being the lowest bidders were awarded the contract on motion duly seconded and carried.

Oat Hay

Scott & Magner	11.50 per ton
Somers & Co.	12.00 " "
H. C. Ellis & Co	11.83½ " "
E. Aigeltinger & Co.	11.75 " "

E. Aigeltinger & Co being the lowest bidders on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract.

Rolled Barley

Scott & Magner	22.50 per ton
Somers & Co.	22.00 " "
H. C. Ellis & Co	22.00 " "
E. Aigeltinger & Co	21.75 " "

E. Aigeltinger & Co, being the lowest bidders, on motion duly seconded and carried, were awarded the contract.

Red and Grey Oats

Scott & Magner	1.37½ per 100 lbs
Somers & Co.	1.40 " "
H. C. Ellis & Co	1.39 " "
E. Aigeltinger & Co	1.35 " "

E. Aigeltinger & Co. being the lowest bidders, on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract.

Bran

Scott & Magner	19.50
Somers & Co	19.75
H. C. Ellis & Co	19.47

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to H. C. Ellis & Co. - they being the lowest bidders.

White Lead

Nason & Co	6.86¢ per lb.
Scott & Magner	7 ¢ " "
Standard Oil Co	7 ¢ " "
Whittier Coburn Co.	7 ¢ " "
Yates & Co	7 ¢ " "
H. P. Fuller	7 ¢ " "

Nason & Co. being the lowest bidders, on motion duly seconded and carried were awarded the contract.

Linseed Oil

Nason & Co.	72.5/100¢ per gal.
Standard Oil Co.	77¢ " "
Scott & Magner	74¢ " "
Whittier, Coburn Co.	74¢ " "
Yates & Co	77¢ " "
H. P. Fuller & Co.	74¢ " "

On motion duly seconded and carried Nason & Co. being the lowest bidders were awarded the contract.

Lime

C. Aigeltinger & Co	170 per bbl.

C. Aigeltinger & were awarded the contract on motion duly seconded and carried

Cement

Wm. Ross & Co	Salem	2.45 per bbl.
C. Aigeltinger & Co		2.50 " "

The superintendent was instructed to give a trial order to both bidders - test the cement, weigh the barrels, etc. and purchase from the firm whose cement gave the better satisfaction.

Coal

Pennsylvania Egg Coal

C. Nelson & Co	15.25 per ton.
Thos. Horton	15.50 " "

C. Nelson & Co being the lowest bidders were on motion duly seconded and carried awarded the contract

Wellington Coal

C. Nelson & Co	8.50 per ton
Thos. Horton	8.00 " "

The contract was awarded to Thos. Horton, he being the lower bidder, on motion duly seconded and carried.

Fuel Oil

Associated Oil Co.	83¢ per bbl.
Standard " "	72¢ " "
Hearst " "	85¢ " "

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to the Standard Oil Co. - being the lowest bidder.

Lumber

Rough Fine #1.

Swift & Co	15.95 per M.
Schouten Lumber Co	16.75 " "

Redwood #1.

Swift & Co	22.75 per M.
Schouten Lumber Co	20.00 " "

Select Fine

Swift & Co	24.65
Schouten Lumber Co	22.00

Select Redwood

Swift & Co.	34.90
Schouten Lumber Co.	36.00

On motion duly seconded and carried Schouten Lumber Co. being the lower bidder was awarded the lumber contract.

Pipe

10 in. cast iron pipe

Crane Co.	42 per ton
C. Froelich	41.12 " "

C. Froelich being the lower bidder was on motion duly seconded and carried awarded the contract.

1 1/4 in
1 1/2 "
2 "
} Standard galvanized pipe

Dalziel & Keller, Dunham Carrigan & Hayden, C. Froelich, Crane Co. and Pacific Hardware & Steel Co. all bidding the same price on motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to give each firm a share of the contract. - Bid - 1 1/4 in. - 12 7/10¢ per foot
1 1/2 " - 15¢ " "
2 " - 20¢ " "

Windmill.

Iron work for the windmill.

P. H. Dundon $895.00
Joshua Hendy Machine Works $5950.00
Fulton Engineering & Shipbuilding $3100.00

The bid of the Fulton Engineering & Shipbuilding Works of $3100.00 being the lowest, on motion of Commissioner Altmann, seconded by Commissioner Lloyd and carried they were awarded the contract.

Meeting adjourned.

A. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday June 20-1902
were present
Pres. Sprechels
Com. McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann
Absent " Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded by Com. Sullivan the following resolution was carried

RESOLVED: That The Commercial Pacific Cable Company be, and it is hereby given and granted the right and privilege and permitted to construct, maintain, and use for the purposes in this resolution provided, an underground conduit in and across the highway bounded on the West by the Pacific Ocean and designated upon the map of the Outside Lands of the City & County of San Francisco, made pursuant to Order One-Hundred, as "Great Highway", at the place therein where Fulton Street if continued would intersect said Great Highway; and that said conduit shall be used and maintained for the purpose of a land cable connecting the submarine cable of The Commercial Pacific Cable Company with the instruments and machinery designed to operate the same and situated in the office of the Company in the City & County of San Francisco; and in and through and by means of said conduit, the said Company is hereby given the right and privilege, and permitted to use and operate the land cable aforesaid.

RESOLVED: That the use of the roadway of said Great Highway shall not be unreasonably disturbed or interfered with during the construction of said conduit, and shall be, by said Company, restored to its present condition, to the satisfaction and approval of the Superintendent of Golden Gate Park and said work shall be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of said Superintendent.

Petition received from property owners in vicinity of Lafayette Square requesting the Park Commissioners to have the unsightly pipes, tanks and building removed from the square

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Secretary was instructed to notify the Spring Valley Water Co. and Mrs. D. K. Holliday to remove the structures maintained by them in Lafayette Square.

Request of the S.F. Ely Rowing Club for permission to hold a tournament at Stow Lake in Golden Gate Park.
Permission granted

Chief Engineer Schuelen of the Spring Valley Water Co. appeared before the Board and on behalf of the Company asked permission to erect and maintain a large tank or water tower in Lafayette Square.
As the Charter prohibits the granting of such permission on motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the request was refused.

Resolution 2685 of the Board of Supervisors recommending that amounts be set aside from the Park Commissioners appropriation for specified purposes.
Read and ordered filed.

The United Railroads of S.F. rendered a statement of the music account of the Park Concerts showing a balance of $82.80 due the Park Commission and enclosing a check for the amount.
The Secretary was instructed to start a park music fund. After having expended $30.00 in replacing lost portions of overtures etc which were destroyed by fire a balance of $52.80 would be on hand

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Commissioner Sullivan and carried the sum of $50 per month for 6 months was to be set aside from the receipts of the programme privilege for the purchase of music.

Request of the Pacific Tea Imp. Co. for permission for its delivery wagons to cross Golden Gate Park.
Request denied.

Petition of a number of young people asking that a tennis court be arranged in Dolores Park.
Read and ordered filed.

Request of the Park Tennis Club that more lockers be constructed at the Tennis Courts.
On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the matter was referred to the Superintendent.

Com. McDonald, - Committee on telephones, - reported that a municipal telephone rate had been given for the Children's Quarters and was discharged from the committee with thanks.

Com. McDonald and Supt McLaren, as a committee reported that a new site had been selected for the manure dump and were discharged with thanks.

President Spreckels appointed Commissioners Sullivan and McDonald, a committee of two to draw up resolutions of respect to memory of the late Park Commissioners - Joseph Austin and John Rosenfeld.

Meeting adjourned.

W. H. Schmidt
Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Monday July 7- 1902

were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Altmann

absent

Com. McDonald
" Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Curator of the Memorial Museum on donations received during the month of June.- Read and referred to Commissioner Altmann.

Museum Funds

Curator Wilcomb reported the sale of 290 museum guides and sent $2.50 in settlement of the account from the date of the last settlement - November 1- 1901

Wood Pumping Station

Communication from John A Benson offering to buy the wood at the pumping station.

The Secretary was instructed to reply and state that wood was not for sale as it was being used as fuel.

Sand Removal

Communication from the City Realty Co. requesting permission to remove the sand at the southerly line of the Park and suggesting that a fence be constructed there.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Superintendent McLaren to report on same with the intention of communicating later with the City Realty Co.

Boats Purchase

Communication from L. J. Chinnock, boat house keeper requesting that six new boats be purchased to take the place of six old ones - unfit for use - having been in continual use for nine years.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was referred to the Superintendent to report to President Spreckels and if deemed advisable by them the boats were to be bought as requested.

Loam Purchase

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the President was empowered in his judgment to instruct the Superintendent from time to time to purchase small lots of loam.

McKinley Monument

Communication from Irving M Scott- Vice Chairman of the McKinley Memorial Committee asking permission to erect a monument at the intersection of Market St and Van Ness Ave.

A detailed model was requested to be submitted before permission could be granted.

Communication to Union Square

Communication from the Merchants' Association in reference to the Public Convenience Station in Union Square and requesting permission for a committee from the Association to appear before the Board -

Permission as requested was granted.

Laborers Wages

In reference to the salary of laborers in Golden Gate Park

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by President Spreckels and carried it was decided that as the Park appropriation did not warrant and could not afford the payment of such salary as fixed by the Board of Supervisors, namely $2.50 per day of 8 hours, that the wages of Park laborers remain as at present $2.00 per day of 8 hours - President Spreckels and Com's Lloyd and Altmann voting "Aye" - Com's McDonald and Sullivan being absent

Lindstrom Civil Rts.

Communication of C. Lindstrom submitting references and requesting that action be taken on his proposition for the management of the Children's Quarters -

On motion duly seconded and carried the matter in reference to the Children's Quarters was laid over to the next meeting

Commissioner Altmann was appointed a committee of one to select three dozen of the most suitable photos for illustrating the yearly report.

Offer of sale of a wood-carving from Mr Curtis of Mexico City Declined.

Offer of sale of a lot of antique furniture from Mrs Geo. D. Pulk Wyoming - (Respectfully) declined

The Superintendent reported that there were a number of saddles and bridles unused and stored at the Lodge.

The secretary was ordered to communicate with His Honor, the Mayor, regarding permission to sell them.

On motion duly seconded and carried, the suggestions made by the superintendent in his report were approved, and ordered carried out. The Superintendent was empowered to purchase $300 worth of bulbs.

Jno V. Schmidt and Supt McLaren were requested to confer in reference to the botanical garden on motion of Commissioner Lloyd, duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried.

The thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners were extended to Commissioner Poulton H. Lloyd for his kind donation of a collection of rare coins.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd, and carried the salary of Prof Fuller, the taxidermist was increased to $2.50 per day instead of $2. as heretofore.

Commissioner Lloyd offered the following resolution, "that all supplies for the Children's Quarters and the Japanese Tea Garden shall be ordered and filled by a requisition on Supt McLaren from time to time as needed" which was duly seconded by Com. Altmann, and carried.

Meeting adjourned.

J. J. Schmidt
Secretary

Regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners Friday July 18- 1902 postponed until Friday July 25-1902 at which meeting there was no quorum present.

J. J. Schmidt
Secretary

Regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners Friday, August 1- 1902- no quorum present.

J. J. Schmidt
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge - Friday, August 8 - 1902 - were present

President Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Supt for month of July read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters for month of July read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of July read and ordered filed.

Resolution #2504 - Board of Supervisors relating to wages of Park laborers.

Commissioner Altmann moved for a reconsideration of the action taken at the last meeting.

Seconded by Commissioner Lloyd.

Commissioner Altmann moved to reconsider, the resolution limiting the wages of laborers to $2.00 a day, at the next meeting and gave notice that he then would vote to pay said laborers $2.00 a day.

Seconded by Commissioner Lloyd

Com. Sullivan moved to amend by considering the motion to reconsider at this meeting.

Ruled out of order.

Commissioner Sullivan then moved that laborers in the park be paid at the rate of $2.00 a day, commencing immediately.

Seconded by Com. McDonald

Commissioner Lloyd moved to postpone action until the next meeting - Seconded by Com. Altmann.

Roll called and the motion to postpone was carried by the following vote.

Ayes - Spreckels, Lloyd and Altmann

Noes - McDonald and Sullivan

A committee of (5) five from the Merchants Association appeared before the Board and advocated the construction of a Public Convenience Station under the sidewalk at Union Square.

The matter was taken under advisement. The Secretary was instructed to send a letter to the Merchants' Association stating that the Park Commissioners had not decided whether it would be feasible or not to construct the Convenience station as suggested and to request that detailed plans and specifications be submitted to the Park Commissioners to assist them in arriving at a decision. The Secretary was requested to submit the letter to Com. Lloyd.

Com. Lloyd proposed as an amendment to Com. Altmann's motion that the matter relating to wages of Park laborers be laid over to the next meeting. The amendment carried by the following vote - Ayes - Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Altmann
" McDonald
" Sullivan

Noes

Communication and donation of a valuable collection of gold, silver & copper coins from all parts of the world, by James H. Laughry of this city.

The collection was accepted with thanks and the matter of procuring a suitable and secure case for it was referred to Com. Altmann.

Communication of Curator Kilcomb asking an increase of salary, insurance of his private collection exhibited in the museum and a leave of absence for the purpose of collecting ethnological specimens for the museum was referred to Com. Altmann.

On motion of Com. Altmann that leave of absence be granted Curator Kilcomb with the amendment of Com. Lloyd that the ethnological specimens should be collected for the museum was carried by the following vote - 4 Ayes and 1 no. - Ayes Pres. Spreckels, Com. Lloyd, Sullivan and Altmann - No. Com. McDonald

Requisition of Curator Nilcomb for 12 Stempel fire extinguishers -

The Supt was instructed to purchase the 12 Stempels requested by the Curator

Requisition of Curator Nilcomb for six exhibition cases for department of textiles - Referred to Com. Altmann

Communication of Bordan & Sande - attorneys representing Wm H. Thornley complaining that the open sewer at 19th Ave. and H. st. is a nuisance and requesting that it be abolished

Referred to Com. Sullivan on motion of Com Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried.

Communication of the Board of Public Works asking the Park Commissioners to render an opinion whether it would be advisable or not to fill the catch-basin of the Longfellow fountain and plant therein.

It was the unanimous opinion of the Park Commissioners that it was not advisable to carry out the idea and the secretary was instructed to so inform the Board of Works

Petition of residents in neighborhood of Jefferson Square asking for the construction of a toilet in the square.

Read and ordered filed

Complaint made of the use of profane and obscene language indulged in by the ball players in the park on Sundays and week days in the presence of ladies and children.

The secretary was instructed to communicate with the Sergeant in charge of the Park police asking him to supply a remedy by more careful police patrol of this particular section. The secretary was also instructed to request for the Park Commissioners an extra detail of two men for the park particularly on Saturdays and Sundays when the present detail of police was inadequate to furnish the necessary police surveillance.

Request of J. D. March to keep an Estimo canoe in basement of boat house and occasionally put it on the lake.

Permission granted on motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried.

Communication of Mr. Hawthorne in reference to old stand pipe on Ft Scott Ave.-

Mr Hawthorne was referred to the Board of Public Works.

Request of the Knights of Pythias for loan of Palms etc for decorating main of Ferry building.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to allow them the use of such palms as could be spared.

Communication from the Outdoor Art League asking for the operation of the Park Commissioners in beautifying the school grounds as per plans drawn by Mr Olson, a Chicago landscape gardener

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried the Secretary was instructed to inform the League that the matter was referred to Com. Altmann to deal with Supt. McLaren in regard to the matter.

The thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners were extended to Pope & Talbot for their kind donation of two spars of Oregon pine for use at the windmill.

Com Altmann was appointed a committee with Supt. McLaren to interview Mr R. Tilney of the R. Tilney Stone Co. in reference to securing a suitable piece of stone for the inscription at the carriage [illegible] and also to arrange with Mr R. Tilney to repair the [illegible] Stone King Memorial statue which had become badly cracked

As the conveniences at the tennis court to were being used a great deal by others than the players on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Supt was instructed to construct additional [illegible]

Request of the A.S. Scottish Bowling Club that a structure be provided for the storing of the paraphernalia necessary for the game. Referred to the Supt.

Offer of loan of some curios and cases by Jno Pabst of Oakland
Offer declined as storage room in the museum was limited

Communication of thanks received from Maria Kip Orphanage for courtesies shown at the Children's Quarters Read and ordered filed.

Meeting adjourned.
A.F. Johnson
Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday, August 29-1902
were present
Peter Sprechels
Com. McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication of the Post St. Improvement Club requesting that the Public Convenience Station be established at Union Square. Read and ordered filed.

Resolution of the Stable and Carriage Owners Assn. commending the action of the Park Commissioners in restricting the running of automobiles in the park to the South Drive. Read and ordered filed.

Communication of Edmund Tenney requesting that the Park Commission authorize the purchase of loam at .75¢ per cubic yard.
Read and ordered filed

Offer of Peter McHugh to dispose of first class loam to the Park Commission at 90¢ per cubic yard and offering 10000 cubic yards at that price.
On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was decided to purchase it at 9¢ per cu yd

Communication of J.J. Simmons explaining the difficulties that would arise if permission were given to maintain private boats on Stow Lake.
On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com McDonald and carried it was decided to revoke and rescind the permission given to Mr Marsh at the last meeting to have a private boat on the Lake

Offer of M. H. Beaver of Parsons, Kansas to construct a miniature railroad in the park and to share the profits on a percentage basis.
Declined as the City Charter prohibits it.

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided that the Park Commissioners refuse to longer accept the sewerage at 40th Ave and K. Sts. and that the Board of Supervisors be notified of the fact so that they could provide for it.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was resolved to rescind the the order in reference to securing supplies for the Children's Theatre by requisition on Supt. McFarren.

Com. Altmann moved, seconded by Com. McDonald and carried that commencing with Sept 1-1902 the wages of park laborers who were receiving $2.00 per day be paid 2.50 per day of 8 hours

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried. Asa Spreckels with Com. McDonald and Supt. McFarren were appointed to revise a schedule of wages to be paid per day to employees of the park other than those included in the former resolution of Com. Altmann.

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to remove all the loose boards in the nature of an obstruction in Union Square.

The matter of swings for the Children's Theatres was referred to Com. McDonald and Supt. McFarren

On reference to the De Yoke collection of curios the action of Com. Altmann in selecting portions that were available for exhibit was approved.

The following ordinance was passed to print to be acted upon at the next meeting on motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried.


OFFICE OF THE
PARK COMMISSIONERS
M. L. SCHMITZ.
Secretary Board of Park Commissioners.

Com. Sullivan was given further time to report on the resolutions of respect to the memory of the deceased Park Commissioners John Rosenfeld and Jos. Austin.

Meeting adjourned

M. L. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, September 5-1902 were present

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Floyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
Absent Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Altmann, duly seconded by Com. Floyd and carried the superintendent was instructed to proceed with fencing the Japanese Tea Garden and to procure a carload of rustic lumber for that purpose.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

McKinley Memorial — The committee in charge was notified to submit model and specifications as it had to be approved by the Park Commission before the memorial could be erected.

Donation of a handsomely carved meerschaum pipe by the late Judge Coleman - (deceased) -
Referred to Com. Altmann.

E. Ewald - president of the Sunset Improvement Club appeared before the Board petitioning that sewerage be reserved for fertilizing purposes by the Park Commission, as at present at 40th Ave and K St.

As Mr. Thornley had appeared at a previous meeting complaining that the sewerage was a nuisance and a menace to the health of the neighborhood, on motion of Com. Floyd, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Health asking for an investigation and a report of the matter to the Park Commission.

The secretary was instructed to supply each Commissioner with a copy of the proposed new wage schedule.

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the superintendent was directed to construct a foot-path on the west side of the Great Highway from the Cliffs to the south line of the park.

The superintendent was instructed to give a thorough overhauling to the lavatory near the music-stand and that it and the grounds surrounding be put in a more presentable appearance, on motion of Com. McDonald seconded by Com. Floyd and carried.

Meeting adjourned
H. J. Schmitz
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission held at the Park Lodge, Friday, Sept 19- 1902 = there was no quorum present.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commission, held at the Park Lodge, Friday, October 3rd 1902
were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Floyd
" McDonald
" Altmann

Absent "
Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Petition from the interns and visiting staff of the City and County Hospital requesting the establishment of a lawn tennis court in the grounds of the hospital.

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the superintendent was directed to examine the ground, estimate the cost of construction and report at the next meeting.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. J. D. McGilvray for his kind donation of rock for the inscription at Saratoga Hall, on motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded by Com. Floyd and carried.

Communication, directed to the Board of Supervisors by the Spring Valley Water Work, asking for an extension of time in the removal of the tank in Lafayette Square and referred to the Park Commission.

On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the secretary was directed to notify the Water Co. to remove the tank by November 1st 1902.

Offer of Mr. H. Alvord to procure for the museum a collection of ducks.
Accepted with thanks.

Offer of sale of one or more buffaloes by the Buffalo Wild West Show. Montana.
Declined.

Petition for the construction of a lake in Golden Gate Park for use by the S. F. Model Yacht Club
The committee of the Yacht Club was advised to inspect Mountain Lake and the matter to be decided later.

Petition from store keepers about Portsmouth Square asking that additional lights be placed therein.
On motion of Pres. Spreckels duly seconded and carried the Supt. was instructed to examine the lights there at present and report at next meeting.

A vote of thanks was extended to Com. Floyd for the interest shown by him in arranging and trading buffaloes with the Wild West Show, on motion of President Spreckels seconded by Com. McDonald and carried

Communication from the Presidio Improvement Club asking that a gate be constructed at Mountain Lake Park.
Read and ordered filed.

Adjustment of the wage schedule laid over to the next meeting.

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded and carried it was decided that Mrs. Treadwell at the museum was to receive $40 per month.

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded by and carried Com. Altmann was requested to get up a design for posts for lighting Squares.

Donation of a set of carved knives from India, by the Theosophical Society, City. Accepted with thanks.
Walter Press

Communication of A.P. Brooke Ridley read and ordered filed.

Request of Curator Wilcomb for a new type-writer. On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was decided that a Remington Standard Typewriter be purchased for the museum.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the secretary was instructed to communicate with the police department and direct that the rule of not allowing women and children on the speedway be enforced.

Offer of sale of a South American mummy declined on motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to bituminize two additional tennis courts.

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Altmann was authorized to purchase a new wire umbrella and cane stand for the museum.

It was decided by a majority vote to accept the meerschaum pipe willed to the museum by Miss Lucy Coleman - Pres. Spreckels, Com's. Lloyd and McDonald voting Aye - and Com. Altmann voting no.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the supt. was directed to proceed with the construction of the walk paralelling the main track drive from the N.W. cor. of the park to the foot of the cliff grade, and to also proceed with the construction of the bridle road from Broom Point westerly to the Chain of Lakes.

On motion duly seconded and carried the supt was authorized to use the men to the best advantage in the construction of grounds in the different squares —

Meeting adjourned.

W.F. Schmitz - Secy

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's Office, on Friday, October 3d. 1902 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication of the Spring Valley Water Works stating that the order of the Board of Park Commissioners to remove the tent of the company in Lafayette Square would be complied with, read and ordered filed.

Communications and reports of the Health Department and the Board of Public Works relative to the sewerage being received in the park for fertilizing purposes near 36th Ave. and N. St. - and the contemplated construction by the Park Commission of a septic tank.

As all the reports submitted to the Park Commission were highly in favor of the plan proposed by the Park Commission the motion of Com. Lloyd that the Park Commission receive and accept temporarily the output of the sewer for the purpose of fertilization was duly seconded and carried with the amendment of Com. Sullivan that the Supt. be instructed to take all sept measures for the sanitation of said sewerage.

Communication of the Post St. Imp. Club requesting the Park Commission to accept the offer of the Merchant's Assn. for the construction of a public convenience station in Union Square - read and ordered filed.

Plans submitted and offer by the Merchant's Assn. to build a public convenience station under the sidewalk on Stockton St. with the entrance in Union Square.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the proposition was accepted. As the plans did not show a

railing along the steps it was suggested that the railing be built. The plans were approved with the exception of that portion lacking the railing.

Mr Barbour Lathrop donated to the park a fine collection of bamboos. On motion of Com Lloyd, duly seconded and carried it was resolved.

That the thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners be conveyed to Mr Lathrop with the wish that he live long and keep Golden Gate Park in memory in whatever country he travels.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com McDonald and carried it was decided to construct a lawn tennis court in the grounds of the City & County Hospital at a cost of about $100.

Committee of the S.F. Model Yacht Club reported that the facilities at Mountain Lake were not suitable for model yacht racing and requested that a committee be allowed to appear before the Board at the next meeting.

Permission was granted.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. McDonald and carried a vote of thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners was tendered Com. Paulsen & Lloyd for his kind donation of a large and valuable collection of rare coins representing the work of 40 years collecting; also a tile from the first custom house in California - at Monterey.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com McDonald and carried it was decided that Washington Square be filled up to the level of the sidewalk on the Fillmore st side and that permission be granted J Tuttle, for the term of 6 mos. to deposit sufficient soil, under the supervision of Supt. McLaren to level the park to the desired grade.

The salary of Curator E.P. Wilcomb was increased $25 a month on motion of Com. Lloyd and carried.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried it was decided to reduce the force of Park laborers 50 or more men as the Park fund would not allow the continuance of the present number at the increased scale of wages.

A vote of thanks was tendered Prof. Gruber, the Park taxidermist for his kind donation of a penguin.

It was decided that Engineer Carney at the Children's Shelters be paid $3.00 per days, on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried.

On motion of Com. Lloyd that the McKinley Monument Committee be authorized to place the McKinley monument on Park ground on a site selected by Com Altmann was duly seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned

W.H.L. Barnes

Secy

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyd's office, Friday, November 7-1902 were present

Pres. Streckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Report of the superintendent read and ordered filed.

Communication of Wm. E. Ritter, Berkley Cal. relative to the donation of a prairie falcon.
Referred to Com. Altmann.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded and carried it was decided to accept an interesting historical born kindly donated by Mr. H. H. Young, and a vote of thanks was extended to him.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the supt was directed to separate the deer and the ELK in the park, to select a site west of Strawberry Hill and to construct a paddock exclusively for deer.

Com Sullivan made a motion, seconded and carried that the necessary improvements be made to put in presentable appearance the ground in Lafayette Square where the Spring Valley Water Co. tank was recently removed from.

A committee from the S. F. Model Yacht Club appeared before the Board advocating the construction of a lake for model yacht racing in the park and suggesting a location.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. McDonald and carried the matter was referred to Supt. McLaren with instructions to report, at a subsequent meeting, the estimated cost, etc.

Com Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com Sullivan and carried that Com. Altmann be authorized to purchase more secure and additional cases to properly display the several valuable collections at present in the park.

On motion of Com. McDonald, seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried the Supt. was instructed to purchase 1 pair of white swans and a pair of white peacocks offered at $60.00 a pair.

Com. Lloyd made a motion duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that the accountant at present inspecting the books at the park be requested to hand in his report to the Board, to the Secretary by the 20th of November and that his services be dispensed with, thus allowing him 3 months, a reasonable length of time to complete his work. Commissioner McDonald voted "no."

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secy

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyd's office, Friday, November 21-1902
were present

Pres. Sprechels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Communication from the Cal. Outdoor Art League asking permission for Supt. McLaren to co-operate with it in beautifying the school grounds.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided that permission would be granted provided it did not interfere with the plants there at present and occasioned no expense to the Park Commission. The Commissioners by the communication were not sufficiently enlightened as to the scope of the intentions of the league in the matter and the secretary was instructed to ask for further details as to the proposed work.

Communication from Phillips, Smyth & Van Orden asking for a rebate on the programme privilege on inclement weather when no concerts are given.

On motion of Com. Sullivan, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried it was decided that Phillips, Smyth & Van Orden be allowed $15.00 rebate on each Sunday that concerts are not given.

Communication received from Curator J.P. Walcomb, offering for sale his private collection of curios at present on exhibition in the museum.

The offer was taken under consideration to be acted upon at the next meeting.

Robt. J. Aitken donated to the museum a bust of late President McKinley. The gift was accepted. On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried a vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Aitken.

Resolutions of respect to the memory of former Park Commissioners Joseph Austin and John Rosenfeld were adopted. It was resolved that a copy of the resolutions be properly engrossed and presented to the families of the deceased Park Commissioners, and be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Board of Park Commissioners,

San Francisco, California.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at San Francisco the 21st day of November, 1902, the following Preamble and Resolutions were adopted:

WHEREAS, John Rosenfeld, a member of two former Boards of Park Commissioners died in ~~this city~~ New York on May 18 1902 ; and

WHEREAS, He was first appointed to said office on June 26th, 1882, and thereafter reappointed on April 26th, 1895; and

WHEREAS, he had always proved to be a faithful and efficient official with an eye single to the benefit of Golden Gate Park;

RESOLVED that we the Board of Park Commissioners hereby express our sincere sympathies to his bereaved family.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be properly engrossed and presented to the family of the deceased Park Commissioner and spread on the minutes of this Board.

Committee:

Jas. L. Sullivan
Jas. Mc Donald

Board of Park Commissioners,

San Francisco, California.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners of the City of San Francisco, held the 21st day of November, 1902, the following Preamble and Resolutions were adopted:-

WHEREAS, Joseph Austin, a member of the former board of Park Commissioners died in this city on

WHEREAS, he was first appointed on May 12th, 1886 and had filled the office of Park Commissioner [redacted] under Governors Waterman, Stoneman and Markham; and

WHERRAS, during his term of office the Golden Gate Park was beautifully improved and thereby became an honor to San Francisco and the equal of any Park in the United States;

RESOLVED, that we, the Board of Park Commissioners hereby recognize his services, and extend to his bereaved wife our sincere and heartfelt condolence.

RESOLVED, that a copy of these resolutions be properly engrossed and presented tothe wife of the deceased Park Commissioner and be spread upon the minutes of the Board.

Committee:- Jas J. Sullivan
Jas Jno McDonald

A request was received from the Real Estate and Development Co. asking permission to construct a septic tank in Jackson Park.

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried permission was refused.

The report of Mr. A. B. Thompson, the accountant was read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried was accepted and ordered placed on file.

The Secretary was also instructed to review the accountants report with President Spreckels who would report at next meeting.

Communication of E. Ewald - Pres of Sunset Dist Improvement Club asking permission to haul lumber, supplies etc through east end of Golden Gate Park.

On motion of Com. McDonald duly seconded and carried the request was not granted.

On motion of Com. Altmann duly seconded and carried it was decided that Jos. Geary, the doughtsman be paid $3.00 per day.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that Curator Wilcomb be instructed to prepare a new catalogue for the museum.

Meeting adjourned.

H. H. Schmitz
Secy.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Lloyds office, Friday, December 12-1902 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Supt read and ordered filed

Report of the Childrens Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Curator Wilcomb's report on donations received for the museum - Read and ordered filed and a vote of thanks to be sent to the donors.

Prof. J. Gruber's report on the Department of Natural History read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Sullivan duly seconded and carried it was decided to make an offer of $50.00 to Curator Wilcomb for the collection of curios in the Colonial Kitchen. The balance of the collection was refused

President Spreckels submitted his report commending the system of keeping the accounts in the office of the Commission and recommending that the salary of the Secretary and the accountant Mr. Forman be increased $25 per month.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the suggestions of President Spreckels in reference to the Secretary and the accountant were ordered carried out

On motion duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to communicate with the Chief of Police and to request him to enforce the ordinance pertaining to the Great Highway and to keep off the peddlers who have been infesting it and the beach between the points of the Cliff House Pt and the Seal Rocks

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the Supt was authorized to purchase 2 Antelopes @ $30 each.

Communication of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors asking what had been done in the matter of erecting the Public Convenience Station in Union Square.

The secretary was instructed to reply giving the facts of the case.

Communication from the Department of Public Works suggesting the grades for the streets running easterly from the Great Highway.

On motion duly seconded and carried the grades as given in the communication were accepted by the Park Commission.

Communication from the California Outdoor Art League in reference to beautifying the school grounds.

The secretary was instructed to inform the league to arrange with the Board of Education to furnish the loam, etc and the Park Commissioners would then supply the plants wanted and help to afterwards care for them.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried Com. McDonald was appointed a committee of one to devise ways and means to properly receive and check the loam received in the Park.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to advertise for a pump for the wind mill capacity of 20,000 gals. per hour.

Meeting adjourned.

H. H. Schmitz.
Secy.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Lloyd's office Friday, Dec. 26- 1902 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the secretary was directed to advertise for bids for publishing the annual report - 2000 book paper and 600 cloth.

Commissioner Altmann was appointed a committee of one on the half tone illustrations

In answer to the advertisement for bids for a pump of 20000 gals per hour capacity for the windmill the following were received

Elliot & Christ	$1591.00
Deane Pump Co.	$1615.00
Geo. E. Dow	$1325.00

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried Geo. E. Dow's bid being the lowest one bid was accepted.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Altmann and carried all other bids were rejected and checks ordered returned.

Communication received from C. P. Kelcomb in refence to the sale of the cactus contained in the Colonel Kitchen and offering to accept $900.00 for the collection.

Com. Lloyd proposed that the copper ingots at present in the museum be given in exchange.

On motion of Com. Sullivan, duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to the Chairman of the Board and the Superintendent.

Commissioner Altmann suggested that an effort be made to secure a state appropriation

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter to devise ways and means and the proper course to pursue to apply to the state legislature for an annual appropriation for the park, be referred to Pres. Speckels and Com. Altmann.

Complaint of J. H. Koffee that certain players monopolize the tennis courts - on motion of Com. Sullivan, duly seconded and carried was referred to Com. Lloyd

On motion of Com. Lloyd - seconded and carried the matter in reference to filling in Washington Square was referred to the Superintendent.

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the superintendent be instructed to build two passages or driveways for teams from the Great Highway to the beach -

Referred to the superintendent.

On motion of Com. Sullivan, duly seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the superintendent was directed to tear down the old building at the water tank and to also remove the old stable or shed at the speedway.

Com. McDonald reported on the system of receiving the loam in the park, and proposed that a trustworthy man be employed for that purpose

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried foreman Quigley, an employee of the parks for the past 25 years was instructed to check and keep tab on the tickets given in exchange for loam in the west end of the park in addition to his present duties.

Commissioners Speckels, Lloyd, Sullivan and Altmann voting for and Com. McDonald against this motion.

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secy.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday Jan. 9-1903 there was "no quorum" present. -

H. J. Schmitz
Secy.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Lloyds office, Friday, January 23-1903 were present

Pres. Speckels
Com. Lloyd
McDonald
Altmann

Absent.

Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read, approved and ordered filed

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd filed with the Board his certificate of re-appointment as Park Commissioner.

On motion of Com. Altmann, seconded and carried it was accepted and ordered filed.

Nominations for President of the Board for the ensuing year being in order Com. Reuben H. Lloyd nominated for re-election Pres. A. B. Speckels which was duly seconded by Com. Altmann and carried. Pres. Speckels being re-elected.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried John McLaren was re-appointed Superintendent and Herbert J. Schmitz - Secretary of the Board of Park Commissioners

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the supt was instructed to begin the construction of a lake on the north side of the park between the Main Drive and L St. and immediately east of the Buffalo meadow and which could be used for the sailing of model yachts.

President Spreckels and Commissioners Lloyd and Altmann voted Aye - Com. McDonald voted No.

Report of the Children's Quarters for month of December 1902 read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the secretary was instructed to render a statement of the Children's Quarters and also of the Japanese Tea Garden since they were taken under the control of the Park Commissioners.

Request of J. Blanchard for permission to move a house over the Great Highway.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Altmann and carried permission was granted with the understanding that the house would be moved off out of the way of teams by 2 o'clock P.M. Saturday, January 24-1903 and finally disposed of, and permanently located by noon Tuesday, January 27-1903.

Mr. Blanchard agreed that these conditions would be faithfully carried out.

Geo. E. Law appeared before the Board and advocated the use of a Reeve Variable Transmission #7, Class E on the windmill machinery.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was seconded and carried that the Secretary advertise for bids for supplying the Transmission

J. Allen Leach presented a collection of fine orchids to the Park and a vote of thanks was tendered him.

Offer of sale of a black mare lion by A.J. Harrison, of Los Angeles Cal. - Declined

Request of L. Landen for permit to sell non-alcoholic drinks on the ocean beach.

Permission was refused as the Charter prohibits the use of property under the jurisdiction of the Park Commission for business purposes.

Request of Mrs. M. C. Laughlin for permit to gather botanical specimens in the park.

Referred to the Supt as it was not deemed advisable to allow this to be done, unrestricted.

Com. Lloyd as a committee on lenonis court to requested further time to report which was granted.

Resolution #3293 of the Board of Supervisors recommending the removal of the Franklin fountain from Kearny St and Montgomery Ave to a location in Washington Square.

Referred to Com. Altmann as a committee to select a site for it.

Report of Curator Kelcomb on the number of guides sold in the museum in the past 6 mos ending Dec 31-1902 and remitting $4.75 in settlement thereof.

Request of the St. Luke's Hospital and Training School for Nurses for permission to ornamental the grounds.

Referred to the Supt.

Resolution #3218 of the Board of Supervisors inquiring of the Board of Park Commissioners if they thought it advisable to change the name of the Great Highway to Balboa Boulevard.

The secretary was directed to reply and state that the Commissioners did not favor the changing of the name said had always been known and designated in the statutes of the state and in the City Charter as the Great Highway

Permission was granted to L. Landen to remove his collection of baskets at present in the museum.

Meeting adjourned

Jeff. Schmitz

Secy

at a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office Friday, February 13, 1903
were present
Com. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
absent
Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved

Report of the Supt for month of January read and ordered filed.

Report of the Children's Quarters for month of January read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of January read and ordered filed.

In answer to the advertisement for a Bowes Transmission 7 Gears the following bids were received

Geo. E. Lowe	$765.00
Joshua Hendy Machine Works	660.-
Harold, Richard & McLane	790.

Total bids including the connections, etc. were

Geo. E. Lowe	$1437.00
Harold Richard & McLane	$1530.00

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried the matter was referred to Com. Spreckels for further investigation with power to award the bid under what he considered the most favorable conditions to the Commission.

Communication from H. H. Reese and indorsed by Lincoln Post # G.A.R. requesting permission to set up a telescope on the western border of the "Great Highway" On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. McDonald and carried permission was denied but the Commissioners were willing to assist in every way possible to secure a site for the telescope on the private property of H. R. Keeling just off the boulevard

Report of the Children's Quarters from April 1- 1902 to Feb. 1- 1903 read - showing an expenditure of $30,354.55 for maintenance and $10,583.71 construction account a total of $40,938.26 and cash receipts during the same period of $3540.87.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden from Apl 1- 1902 to Feb. 1- 1903 - showing an expenditure of $4600.35, and cash receipts $5,183.70.

Monthly report of Curator Kilcomb of the museum received and read and referred to Com. Altmann.

Report of Prof. Bradley, Dept of Natural History received and read - Referred to Com. Altmann.

Communication received from the California Recreation Football League asking permission to play some games in the park.

Permission was given for them to use a portion of the recreation grounds but no particular portion could be reserved.

Meeting adjourned

W. H. Talbot Secy

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge, Friday, February 7th-1903
were present
Pres. Sprechels
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Altmann
Absent
Com. Sullivan

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication received from the Citizens Committee and their representative sculptor Leng as Tilden appeared before the Board in reference to erecting a monument in honor of the California Volunteers at Van Ness Ave. & Pine St.
The Commissioners did not deem it advisable to erect the monument on the site mentioned by the committee and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Altmann and he was requested to select a site, and to confer with the Citizens Committee

Communication from C. P. Holcomb offering for sale his private collection of minerals and also a collection of curios gathered in Arizona and Nevada.
On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by and carried it was referred to Com Altmann to select such articles as he thought advisable to purchase.

On motion of Com. Altmann seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the Supt was requested to ascertain the weight of the specimen - Crystal or gold - with a view to purchasing if of its gold value.

A vote of thanks was extended to Pres. A. B. Spreckels for his kind donation of a sheep and a collection of rare Australian seeds.

Donation by A. P. Thiersen of Golden Gate, Cal. donating a new rose "the climbing Caroline Talbot."
Accepted and a vote of thanks extended to him.

Pres. Spreckels reported that the contract for furnishing the Reeve Variable Transmission #7 - Class E - with all connections etc complete for the new wind-mill had been awarded to the Geo. E. Low Pumping Engine Co. the lowest bidders for $1482.00. The firm agreed to make a reduction if the freight rates were lower than estimated in figuring the bid.

Com Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Altmann and carried that when the proper season arrived all surplus cuttings etc be distributed to permanent residents of this city as an aid to beautifying their homes and that some special day be set for such distribution

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. N. I. Rheem and Mr. J. C. Black of the Pacific Coast Oil Co. at Point Richmond - for their courtesies to Mr. C. P. Holcomb, the curator in his hunt at the Indian mound there for relics for the museum.

A vote of thanks was also extended to the Examiner for its kind donation of the book, a companion for Monarch.

As the museum is greatly crowded for room, a statue of Emperor Norton, was respectfully declined.

Meeting adjourned.

W. F. Schmitt
Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Commissioner Lloyd's office, Friday, March 13-1903
were present
Pres. Spreckels.
Com. Lloyd
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

His Honor, Mayor Schmitz was present and took part in the proceedings.

Report of the Supt. for month of February read and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the suggestions were ordered carried out.

Report of Children's Quarters for month of February read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden read and ordered filed.

Communication from the Standard Oil Co. giving notice of a raise in the price of oil (fuel) from 75¢ to 85¢ per bbl.

Report of Prof. Fowler, Asst of Natural History, Museum for month of February read and ordered filed.

Bill of Brittain & Co of $200.00 for furnishing 2000 Copies of the map of the park referred to Com. Altmann with power to act on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Sullivan and carried.

Petition of P. B. Jackson for employment in the park read and ordered filed.

Request of A. Hall of San Jose Cal. that his picture (miniature on exhibit in the museum be returned to him referred to Com. Altmann.

Offer of N. F. Dodge to dispose of some Indian baskets Declined.

Offer of sale of a silver fox from Pueblo, Col. & Rudolph Colorado Declined.

Communication from E. E. Schmitz requesting of the Park Commissioners that musicians supported by the U.S. Government be not allowed to compete in the park at the Children's Quarters, with the local musicians, tax-payers of the municipality, and deploring the fact that such a band had been employed by the manager of the Children's Quarters.

Commissioner Altmann's motion that Mrs. Victor's position as manager of the Children's Quarters be declared vacant was carried by the following vote:
Ayes- Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Altmann
Noes " McDonald and
" Sullivan

The motion of Com. Sullivan that no money be paid out in the park except in accordance with the provisions of the Charter was seconded by Com. McDonald and carried

It was decided that the Secretary take charge and supervise the Children's Quarters beginning April 1-1903 on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried.

The motion of Com. McDonald that a special ticket office be appointed in the park was lost by the following vote 1 aye and 3 noes- Com. McDonald-aye- and Com. Lloyd and Altmann and Pres. Spreckels-noes- Com. Sullivan not voting

Com Altmann, a committee on the Volunteer Monument reported to the Board advising that the monument be placed at the junction of City Hall Ave & McAllister St- On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded and carried the matter was laid over to the next meeting and the Citizens Committee was invited to be present at the meeting Hearing adjourned at 10 o'clock

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Floyd's office, Friday, March 27-1903 were present

Pres. Sprechels
Com. Floyd.
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication from the Citizen's Committee relative to the California Volunteer Monument requesting the Board to grant further time in the selection of a site.
Request granted and matter laid over until the Commission heard further from the Committee.

Communication from the Board of Public Works in reference to the removal of Franklin fountain.
It was decided that it was now in the hands of the Board of Public Works, and that they be requested to act in the matter, and to comply with the resolution of the Board of Supervisors to remove the fountain to a site selected by the Park Commission.

Protest of the Pacific Coast Horticultural Society to the giving away surplus cuttings etc.
Ordered filed.

Notification from the Musicians Union that the rates of the musicians playing at the parks had been increased from $4 to $5 per man.
Referred to Com. Altmann who was appointed a committee to arrange for an increased allowance for the park concerts from the United Railroads.

Application of (Mrs.) Herron and (Mrs.) Joseph Hillmore for the position of manageress of the Children's Quarters.
Com. Altmann made a motion that (Mrs.) Hillmore be given the position. Motion not seconded

Com. Floyd then made a motion, seconded by Com. Altmann that Pres. Sprechels be given full power to appoint a suitable person for the position, and to appoint other than the applicants if he thought advisable, which was carried by the following vote.
Ayes - Pres. Sprechels Com. Floyd and Altmann
Noes. Com. McDonald and Sullivan.

The bid of Brittain & Co. of $125 for supplying 26-0 maps for the Park Commissioners Report was accepted on motion of Com. Altmann, duly seconded by Com. Floyd and carried.

A representative of the Native Daughters of the Golden West - asking permission to plant some Sequoia trees in the park or squares.
On motion of Com. Floyd seconded by Com. Altmann and carried permission was granted, and the matter was further referred to Supt. McLaren.

Meeting adjourned.
Jeff. Schmitz
Secty

Of a Postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Park Lodge on Friday April 10 - 1903.

were present.

President Speckels.
Com'r Floyd.
" McDonald.
" Sullivan.
" Altmann

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent read and ordered filed.

Report of the Childrens Gazetters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Department of natural History of the Museum read and referred to Com'r Altmann.

Communication from A. J. Risch of the city realty investing Commission to construct a walk from the intersection of 5th ave and K St. to the south side of the entrance of the carriage road under the supervision of Superintendent McLaren.

On motion of Com'r Floyd seconded by Com'r Sullivan the desired permission as requested was granted and the matter was referred to the Superintendent.

Letter of thanks received from Miss Eliza D. Keith for the favorable action of the Board in granting the permission requested for the Park Commissioners planting of some Sequoia trees.

Request of J. H. Mackey for permission to obtain some sand from the Park to use to fill a hollow on the intersection of 9th & J Sts on the north side, South of the Park.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for clay the following were received.

S. F. Vitrified Pipe Co	67½ per cu yd
Peter McHugh	72½ " " "
Owen McHugh	77½ " " "

As the bids were all considered to High on motion of Com'r Sullivan, duly seconded and carried all bids were rejected, and the secretary ordered to readvertise for bids, and the President was requested to call a special meeting to consider the bids.

Notification from the Standard Oil Co to increase of 2 cts per bbl on gas oil.

On motion of Com'r Floyd seconded by Com'r Sullivan and carried the matter was referred to advertise for bids on Oil.

As the convenience station in Union Square was nearing completion, the Superintendent was instructed to secure the necessary posts, gates, fixtures &c. on motion of Com'r Floyd, seconded and carried.

On motion of Com'r Floyd seconded by Com'r Altmann and carried the Secretary was instructed to take the necessary steps to secure the services of the Chambers Bros. to plant trees around the entrance of the new Conservatory in Golden Gate Park.

On motion of Com'r Floyd seconded by Com'r Sullivan and carried the Superintendent was instructed to have private planting removed from the west side of Arguello Boulevard, and the Secretary was instructed to notify the residents.

Resolved that the thanks of this Co. be & are hereby tendered to Chas. Ehrman & Co. for the donation of the freight charges on the White Swans.

Resolved that the thanks of this Co. be & are hereby tendered to John Ehrman for the kind donation of the use for the instruction in the Navaga Hall.

Com. Ehrman reported that he had secured a band from Co. E. Bloom of Carolina, R.I. for the Concert & Dancing parties for the season. The collection amounted to $ 1.00 which was ordered to be divided as the Treasurer & Collector.

On motion of Com. Schmitz it was ordered that the Secretary be instructed to write to Com. Ehrman that the resignation of Com. Sprecklis was received & accepted.

Com. Ford made motion seconded by Com. Ehrman, it carried unanimously that a vote of thanks be tendered to the retiring Secretary.

Com. Ford's motion to adopt the minutes as read was seconded & carried.

Com. Ehrman & Committee of Music reported that proceedings were under way to adjust the matter with the Fairmount Co. & hope to obtain an increased appropriation for the concerts in the Park.

On motion of Com. Sullivan seconded by Com. Ford & carried the Secretary was directed to write to Chief Engineer Section of Article XIV of the State regulations to the effect of Money for the Park Commissioners.

There being no further business.

Meeting adjourned.

Geo. Schofield
Secretary

for the election of a Secretary, duly seconded & carried.

On motion of Com. Ehrman duly seconded & carried Com. Schmitz was appointed as Secretary temporarily.

A special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Commissioner Lloyd's office Wednesday April 15-1903.

Present.

President Shields.
Com. McDonald.
" Boyd.
" Sullivan.
" Altmann.

The purpose of the meeting was the election of a Secretary to succeed (Mr) C.K. Schmitz.

Com. Altmann moved that Jesus de Sousa be appointed to fill the vacancy.

Com. Sullivan moved as an amendment that Mr. C.K. Schmitz be appointed. seconded by Com. McDonald.

Amendment lost by a vote of 2 for, 3 against.

On motion of Com. McDonald and Com. Sullivan Mr. C.K. Schmitz was re-appointed Secretary. Motion carried unanimously.

Com. Sullivan moved that the Secretary be instructed to procure a suitable office for the Board. Motion carried.

Com. Sullivan moved that the Secretary be instructed to procure a suitable office for the Board. Motion carried unanimously.

On motion of Com. Boyd duly seconded and carried. the Supt was directed to send fresh flowers daily to the rooms of President Roosevelt during his proposed visit to this city.

There being no further business.

On motion meeting adjourned.

Jas. McDonald
Pres. and Temporary Secty.

Attest - James de Sousa
Secty.

Regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge Friday April 24th 1903.

Present

President Brockel.
Commissioner Boyd.
" McDonald.
" Sullivan.
" Altmann.

Minutes of the previous meeting held Friday April 17th 1903.

read, corrected, approved, and filed.

Minutes of the special meeting called April 15th read for the

" approved.

" filed.

Commissioner Sullivan moved to authorize the Park Commissioners to contribute any sum or sums of their annual subscription of $100 per month each Sunday concert for the entertainment of Col' Altmann

Motion carried.

Commissioner Boyd moved that the Park Commissioners sign Deed of Gift from Mrs Deborah Mullen of Oil City Pa. Motion seconded by Col' Altmann

Motion carried.

Communication from Paul Steinhoff & Co. to Paul Steinhoff relative to Park Bonds.

Motion of President Brockel seconded by Col' Altmann and was refered to Commissioner Sullivan but the motion which was carried.

Commissioner Boyd moved that Col' Altmann be authorized to expend $39.00 for painting in Museum.

Motion carried.

President Brockel instructed Secretary to have to advertise for sealed bids for Rope, and Coal Oil.

Communication received from Automobile Club of California, relative to the enjoyment of proper Motor Car Licenses, and to have objectionable requirements of the Park Commissioners.

Col' Sullivan moved to refer communication to President Brockel, seconded by Col' Altmann

Motion carried.

Communication from D. F. Brandt relative to valuable services of Prof. Max Dietz, Supt. of the music in the Park during the past season, requesting the Board to appropriate the sum of $100.00 for the benefit of the Park musicians for the benefit.

Motion of Commissioner Boyd seconded by Commissioner McDonald that the Secretary be instructed to write a letter of thanks to Prof. Dietz for his valuable services rendered the Park Commissioners during the past season.

Motion carried.

The Secretary of Commissioner Boyd reported

Communication from Board of Supervisors enclosing 5 new ordinances 704 to 708 inclusive relative to four new parks, as determining and fixing the public interest and necessity demands that Jordan Park be extended. Northerly so as to connect with the Presidio Military reservation, the four parks to be situated one on Telegraph Hill, One in the Mission, One in the Park Tract, One to be Museum &c

Communication from U.S. Coast and Mining Statistics in the matter of the Mint, with interest with the passing of the Morgan Market

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Director of Museum Natural Sciences, and Fine Arts, and Bills presented made out to Feb 28th for services by himself.

Referred to Com. Hamm.

Communication from Secretary of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 709 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Jordan Park"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 710 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Golden Gate Park"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 711 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Presidio"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 712 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Mission"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 713 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Museum"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 714 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Telegraph Hill"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 715 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Tract"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 716 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Tract"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No 717 entitled "An Ordinance providing for the Improvement of Park Tract"

Referred to Com Lloyd

Communication from Clerk of Board of Supervisors transmitting Ordinance No

Commissioner Boyd made a motion, which was seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, That the Secty of this Board express the thanks of the Commissioners to those gentlemen, and other attendants to the Museum.

Motion carried.

The inspection of the sandstone, kindly contributed as before, was made by the Commissioners, and it appearing plain to the commissioners that the sand stone was furnished by Wm McHugh was the most suitable and fit for the work required, he was awarded the contract. But not however until President Scrabble opened the sealed bids and announced the bids as follows.

Bidders	Sworn quad	Check.
Wm McHugh	170 $	
[illegible]	90	
[illegible]	80	

[illegible] that accompanied the bid of Wm McHugh was not considered

On Motion of Com' Boyd, that the contract be awarded to Wm McHugh, Commissioner Sullivan seconded the same, with the following result.

Ayes	Commissioners	Boyd, Sullivan and Scrabble.
Nays	"	None
Absent	"	Donaldson

On motion of Com' Boyd, that the President be authorized to enter into a contract with Wm McHugh for the supply of sandstone for the Museum, Seconded by Com' Sullivan.

Carried.

Wm McHugh
Absent

Sept 22nd

At a Special Board meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office of Commissioner Boyd Friday July 19th 1895

Present Vice Pres't.
Commissioner Boyd
" Sullivan
" Stevens
Absent " McHugh
" President Scrabble.

On Motion of Commissioner Stevens, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, the motion being put and carried, carried by the Secty. Commissioner Boyd was elected Chairman in the absence of President Scrabble.

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Park Lodge June 7th 1895.

Read and Approved

Report of Supt John McKeon for the month of June.

Rec'd and filed.

Report of C.S. Filson Curator of Museum, for month of June.

Rec'd and filed.

Report of Messrs Bruce Lieutenant and Nathan Keepers for month of June.

Rec'd and filed.

Report of Caretaker Quigley for month of June

Rec'd and filed.

Report of Policeman Dwyer for month of June

Rec'd and filed.

Of a Special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Keepers Office May 8 1903

Present
President Shrader
Com. McDonald
" Altmann
" Sullivan
Absent " Kaul

Minutes of the regular meeting held Friday April 3 1903,
Read, corrected & approved

Petition received signed by two hundred property owners in the vicinity of Buena Vista Park asking the Park Commissioners to set aside $250 to improve said Park. The Petitioners were represented by a committee of citizens who presented the Petition & explained to the Board the necessity for the same to the citizens, and a copy of the Bill.

Commissioner Sullivan informed the committee that he was in favor with their petition as he knew from personal observation of the requirements of the Park & the amount of money asked for more than five thousand dollars would be required for Buena Vista Park improvements.

Upon motion of Commissioner Sullivan, seconded by Commissioner McDonald the prayer of the petitioners was granted by the following vote, viz: Commissioners McDonald, Sullivan, Altmann & President Shrader voting Aye. Commissioner Kaul being absent. Upon said Park Motion seconded & carried unanimously.

Petition carried

Commissioner Altmann to whom was referred the Park Band, reported that the Band would not play over three times, from Sundays concert

Report received

Communication received from Police Commissioners in answer to request from the Park Commissioners, that the Park Mounted Police be increased in her discretion if need be, carried.
By Commissioner Sullivan,
Request refused & Park Commissioners instructed to ask the Supervisors to increase the police force.
Communication filed.

Communication received from Mr. Mc. Smith of New Orleans relative to Park Commissioner that the gift of Horatio Adler of Dr Parkin & Dr Johnson had been carried out by the Board of Supervisors.
Communication filed

Letter of thanks received from citizens in Mr. Park Lodge for the more than kind care given to the Park.

Communication received from Chas. Sonntag requesting that the Park Commissioners take the necessary steps to get the Public Comfort Station in the Park open from 9 A.M. to 4 P.M. Sundays & holidays. The Secretary was instructed to write to the Board of Supervisors to have the Park Police increased.

Communication received from Richard Sonntag

for an increase in his salary.
Referred to Supt Public Works.

Communication received from Mr M Braverman offering to donate to the Park Commissioners his Meteorological reports, and other interesting books &c. &c. was accepted, & Secty instructed to write to Mr Braverman to send books by Wells Fargo & Co.

Contract made with Owen Mc Hugh to furnish water for Sea Lake was signed by
President Sprechels
" Gilman
" McDonald
" Sullivan
" Reed.

Communication received from Mrs Harriet Parnell praying that leave, asked for the Director of the Art Institute to take pupils into the Conservatory of the Art Institute.
Laid on table.

Communication from Mr Wm Hoffman asking for leave to erect a Cottage on the Park for the use of the Park Police.
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Communication from Mrs Hunt of the Occidental Kindergarten association, asking for the free privilege of the children's Carters Park on 23rd, was on motion duly accorded. Granted.

A petition signed by citizens praying for the removal of Public Urinals from Market St. was received & ordered filed.

A petition received from the inhabitants of the Mission asking for the appointment of President Roosevelt as a Police Commissioner was read & ordered filed.

Communication from Board of Police Commissioners relative to the Police Force was read & ordered filed.

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Communication from Chief of Police Lozand of Manuscle offering a Caddo to the Park by migrating Fox. His offer was accepted and the Secretary was instructed to notify Chief Conrad to send him, or bring it to Park Keeper.

Communication from Mark Hopkins Institute of Art asking Park Commissioners to formally approve the design of the McKinley Memorial Monument. Also the site selected for said Memorial at the Stanyan street entrance of the Park Panhandle. On motion of Commissioner Wigmore duly seconded and carried. The design and site were both formally approved, and Secretary instructed to so notify the Institute of Art.

The monthly report of Superintendent John McLaren was ordered placed on file.

Communication from Commissioner Wigmore asking that a Deer be obtained for the Park, if same is to be had from Kaiser as Antelopes.

Report not received it being necessary to be sent.

Communication from Chief Sloat, offering to exhibit in the Park Fire Patrol Buildings and exhibition in the Park Museum of the Park and Pleasure Grounds. Secretary instructed to notify Chief that the Park Commissioners would be much pleased to accept of such exhibition.

Report of the Inspector of Parkes Park and Fire

President Sprockels opened the bids for Hose with the following result.

Bidders	Per foot	Check
The Gutta Percha Rub'r Mfg Co	One inch 12½ cts ft	
" " " " " "	One ¼ " 17½ " "	
Revere Rubber Co	One " 10½ " "	
" " "	One ¼ " 17½ " "	
Bowers " "	One " 15½ " "	
" " "	One ¼ " 17½ " "	
N.Y. Belting & Packing Co	One " 22½ " "	
" " " "	One ¼ " 30½ " "	
Boston Rubber Co		No Check

The Gutta Percha Rubber Co being the lowest bidders for the one inch Hose. Clerk was instructed the contract for that size Hose.

The Bowers Gutta Percha Co being next in the bid for the One ¼ Hose, each being 17½ per foot. The Bowers Co was awarded the contract for the reason that it is a California Company.

On motion duly seconded roll call was had and resulted as follows

President Sprockels Aye
" Wigmore "
" Lilienthal "
" McCreath "
Absent " Vogel.

President Sprockels then signed the bids securing Steel Oil, with the following

Bidders	Per barrell	Check
N. Ind Oil Co'	82½ Per barrell	
Associated Oil Co'	90 " "	

Bid Accepted being the lowest bidders they were awarded the contract by the following vote.

President Sprockels, Aye
Com' McDonald, "
" Sullivan "
" Seligman "
Absent " Boyd.

A bill for $12.50 being presented by Thomas Cook assignee of Lawrence & Co for Engraving 2 Certificates of Stock ordered by the Board, President Sprockels instructed the Clerk to draw a check for that amount from the Civil Fund deposited in Hibernia Bank.

A communication from citizens of Colma, prayed that the Board Commissioners authorized that the Common Road or Highway leading from the Mission Road to Colma be repaired by the Road Overseer in the east side of the Creek known as the Hoff Place to Colma to gravel water to the crossing there, and that the same be opened and repaired, that the roads be opened to general travel.

A petition of the Rev Dr Stebbins asking that permission be granted to erect the old Parks in the grounds of the Orphans Asylum to the Clerk to advertise for sealed proposals, to be sent in Thursday Nov 2nd at 2 o'clock P.M. for the purpose of reconstructing the Fence on Hayes Street.

Communication from Paul Steinhoff asking for permission to Dance some of the Board Orphans during the stay of the Carnival in this city, he being responsible for its safe return.
On motion duly seconded and carried
Permission was granted.

Communication from the citizens Committee

The Secty was instructed to return the thanks of the Board Commissioners for the receipt of valuable books.

Commissioner Sullivan offered the following Preamble and resolution.

Whereas Richard Sherwood was elected Assessor of the City and County of San Francisco at the general election held on the 3rd day of November A.D. 1885 and

Whereas he has failed to keep his office in the City Hall where the same is required by law to be kept for the transaction of the public and private business

Resolved that the Secretary of the Board of Commissioners be and he is hereby directed to notify the said Richard Sherwood to appear before the Board of Commissioners on Monday the 9th day of November A.D. 1885 at the hour of 2 o'clock P.M. of said day to show cause why he should not be removed from said office of Assessor.

that an engrossed copy be signed by all the members of this Commission and presented to President Roosevelt

Said resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Board.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

John Lucas
Secretary.

At a meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office of Commissioner Lucas on Friday April 26, 1907 were present.

President Speckles
Com Bluxome
" Sylvester
" Newman
Absent " McDonald

Minutes of the previous meeting read corrected and ordered filed.

Communication from Chas. Dutton asking Commissioners that he be allowed number of tickets as promised.

read and filed

Communication from S.F. Bay Dist. Park Assn. Soliciting co-operation of the Park Commissioners that they would be present at the Conference to be held on the 27th inst. in the Supervisors Room.

Commissioners Lucas and Bluxome were appointed to represent the Park Commissioners at the Conference.

Communication from Mrs. Phoebe A. Hearst tendering the Park Commissioners the use of the Hearst Mansion for the purpose of entertaining the Delegates to the Conference.

Commissioner Lucas was appointed to thank Mrs. Hearst for the offer.

Communication from Dist. Supt. of Golden Gate Park Conservatory asking for the number of tickets to be issued to the Park Commissioners for the Chrysanthemum Show to be held in Mechanics Pavilion May 1st to 4th.

Commissioner Lucas was appointed to see the Supt. and to issue tickets to the Commissioners.

employed in other departments of the city government.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the painters in the employ of the Park Commissioners be paid $3.00 per day of eight hours. Commissioner Altmann seconded the motion, which was carried. To go into effect June 1 1903.

Commissioner Altmann gave notice of the death of ex-commissioner D.M. Scott.

President Strahorn directed Commissioner Sullivan to draw up resolutions of respect to the memory of the deceased commissioner.

Commissioner Sullivan accepted the duty.

Communication from Edward Steinbrugge Manager and Director of Music Fund, informing the Commissioners of the superior merits of Music belonging to the Park Band, says it is far behind what it should be.

Commissioner Altmann moved that the sum of $500 be set aside out of the Music Privilege Receipts, to buy for the use of the Natural Music.

Motion carried.

Commissioner Lloyd informed the Commissioners that he had received a letter from Mr. Scott, ex-Commissioner, that he was in Cuba, and would be unable to be present, as expected, he wished to have time extended to June 1st.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the wages of the Steward be increased to $75.00 per month, and the matter be referred to the Committee on Buildings.

Motion carried.

has recently finished his very meritorious intricate scientific work. Commissioner Altmann became eloquent in his description of the beautiful work performed by Professor Spalding.

Commissioner Altmann informed the Board that in the progress of the work in the Conservatory Mr. Spalding had saved the Commissioners thousands of dollars, for all of which he was only paid $1000.00. On motion of Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Sullivan the Labors of Professor Spalding were fixed at $1000.00 per month, to take effect June 1 1903.

Upon the recommendation of Supt. McLean Commissioner Sullivan offered that the Superintendent Carpenter John Dempsey be increased to $85.00 per month on the first day of June 1903, which was seconded by Commissioner Altmann.

Motion carried.

Communication from R.G. Rankin accepting the same for painting Stone Lake Bridge, was referred to the Committee on Buildings.

Supt. McLean was instructed to have the roof repaired at the Conservatory.

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Letter of the Terrace Estate was referred to the Park Commissioners from the Mayor, requesting to see a map of the Park System.

east side of the Great Highway, to supply the residents of Vaqueville with water, & Ported that the Spring Valley Water Co' refused to lay said pipe as petitioned for. In consequence the Commissioners need take no action.

[illegible] Read, which Petition was received & filed. [illegible] Petitioners request that the Commissioners would take such action in the matter as would prevent the Spring Valley Water Co' from laying pipes in the streets of Vaqueville, as petitioned for. It would not be right for said Water Co' to lay pipes in the streets of Vaqueville, before the matter of condemnation is settled.

Communication from the Department of Electricity asking permission to dig a trench for electric wires across the Great Road in front of Lincoln Park on the 4th Ave.

Referred to Supt. Parks & Squares.

Directors proceed to further business as the hour fixed for the meeting approached.

Jos. Sinton.
Secty.

Pursuant to adjournment meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Office of President Brooks on Friday June 5th 1891.

Present: Commissioners Brooks, Gruwell, Sullivan, Thompson, Boyd.

Minutes of the previous meeting read, approved and ordered filed.

Report of Supt. John McLaren for week ending this date read and filed.

Report of Engineer Baker read and ordered filed.

Report of the Chief Gardener for week ending this date read and filed.

Report of Inspector Parker read and filed.

Petition signed by [illegible] residents of Park, ~~and vicinity~~, asking for a 20 foot walk to be laid in their front, recommended to the favorable consideration of the Board by Supt McLaren.

Petition from Wm. Brown & others asking for the laying of a 20 foot walk in front of their premises on Cedar.

Communication read and ordered filed.

Petition referred to file.

Communication from Building Trade Council.
concerning the Bay of Engineers.
Placed on file.

Communication from Mayor Mayo of Oakland.
asking for the location of plants for the Oakland
Pro-convention.
Referred to Sec'y McKeen
with instructions to give all he can spare.

Communication from Thos Saunders,
Placed on file.

Communication from Florence Kent Hankins the
Commissioner for the counties adjacent to San
Jose the invitation to her race while at the Chi-
cago Easter Day 26-1893.
Read and filed.

Communication from Dan Perrine asking the Li-
cense of the Circus Parades.
Privilege granted.

There being no further business before the
Board the Meeting adjourned.

Louis Sloss.
Secretary.

Regular Meeting of the Park Commissioners
held at Park Lodge Wednesday 19 1893.
Were Present.
President Sloss.
Com Lloyd
" Clarence.
Absent " McDonald.
" " Sullivan.

Minutes of the previous meeting at the Office
of President Sloss, Friday June 9 1893
read and approved.

Communication received from Engr. H. Page
asking for 2 copies of the Civil Engineer-
ing Journal.
Secy ordered to send the
Copy as per request.

Communication received from Mrs. Ellen Sullivan
Mother of Supt. Sullivan of Golden Gate Park
asking the use of the Park Band for the
benefit of the Sisters of the Holy Family
Asylum.
Referred to Supt Sullivan.

Communication received from [illegible]

[illegible] Association, and deputed veterans
of the Mexican war, asking that a lot of ground
not less than twenty-four feet square be set apart
in the north west quarter of Portsmouth square
and near the site where the original flag staff
stood in front of the old Custom House.
the Secretary is directed to erect a monument in commemora-
tion of the event of hoisting the first American
flag, [illegible] by order of Com. Sloat, U.S.N. [illegible] said place to be dedicated with
appropriate ceremonies by the San Board of Park
Commissioners, assisted by the associated veterans
of the Mexican war, & the Sloat Monument
Association, et al, on July 9, 1903, being the
55th anniversary of raising the flag at
Monterey, Cal. [illegible]

Communication to the Board in the matter of request
[illegible] the Spanish monument of the
Grand Army of the Republic.

Communication referred to Committee
on Finance.

[illegible] from Geo. Buckmann
[illegible] a vacation pass.

Pass granted for fourteen

[illegible] Secretary of the Park
[illegible] a request of [illegible] to
[illegible] from Lieut. Wachs
[illegible] of the Park
[illegible]

[illegible] received from the Superintendent of Parks
[illegible] thereon, to [illegible]
[illegible] to the Park Com-
[illegible] of the Park
[illegible] June
[illegible] communication, to
[illegible] be removed
[illegible] Park Commissioners to

and himself of the courtesy of the American
Park and Forest Protective Association.
Commissioner Altmann was unanimously chosen
to represent the San Francisco Park Commissioners.
Commissioner Altmann declined the honor.

Communication from Andrew Pettie submitting designs
for 4 different styles of shoe cases with price of
each attached.

Referred to Commissioner Altmann

Communication received from C. Aubury Stebbins
West Point & Silversword, curator of Park
Museum, relative to a set of [illegible] now
on exhibition in Park Museum. Said letter sets
forth the regrets that the museum should have
to part with [illegible] that he [illegible] would gladly
offer said collection for retention if [illegible]
that he may receive [illegible] of moneys he might
expend in the
[illegible] Should be secured to [illegible]
[illegible] Park Commissioners to [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioner Altmann

[illegible] Secretary [illegible] Park Commissioners
[illegible] Commissioners [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioners [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioner Altmann

[illegible] Secretary [illegible] Park Commissioners
[illegible] Commissioners [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioners [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioner Altmann

Commissioner Lloyd moved advertising Road track and authority Boyd to construct a half mile circular track, with an Athletic field in the center, where Lacrosse, Cricket and other field games could be played. President Sprekels vouched for the early consideration of the Burlingame colony, financially and otherwise if necessary in providing for a Polo field.

Similar question was referred to Supt Schaffarzick, with instructions to have a survey of the Lacrosse track made, and report at next meeting of the Board, with estimates of the probable expense.

Supt Schaffarzick was authorized to purchase one Cuttacke.

President Sprekels suggested that the Board build a house by the entrance of the Polo field, this house to conform to the style of the Pioneer Log Cabin, which could be used for the purposes of the Museum. This would be suggested ground to furnish a comfortable garden surrounding the house, so that the caretaker could have a revenue sufficient to pay the Park's bad accounts and debts.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Of a Special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office of Commissioner Lloyd Friday July 10th 1896.

Were Present.

Com'r Lloyd
" Sullivan.
" Altmann.
Absent " McDonald.
" President Speckels.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann, seconded by Sullivan, the minutes of last meeting were approved as read by Secty Jacobs. Commissioner Lloyd was elected Chairman in the absence of President Speckels.

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Park Office June 19th 1896.

Read and Approved.

Report of Supt John McLaren for Month of June 1896 read and filed.

Report of Engineer of Parks & Museums Meeting held at Park Office.

Read and ordered filed on motion of Commissioner Altmann.

Report of Secretary of Parks & the Department of Parks Census for the Month of June.

Read and filed.

Report of Secretary Parks for Month of June 1896 read and filed.

Report of City Clerk & Collector of Taxes & Delinquents. Reporting that he has collected the following Number of Persons fees during the Month of June.

K 21 Permits.
$25 Collected.

Read and filed.

The contract for Rubber Hose awarded to the Gutta Percha & Rubber Co was signed by Commissioners Lloyd
" Sullivan
" Altmann

As the contract requires four signatures, it was referred to next Meeting of Commission.

Petition on the Subject of the Engineers for increase of wages, was taken from the table on motion of Commissioner Altmann.

A Petition signed by all the Firemen of the City Squares, asking for an increase of wages was received & Commissioner Lloyd moved that it be taken from the table and referred to the Executive Committee.

Communication from Board of Fire Commissioners accepting the Services of Squares from the Old Central Engine House.

Referred to Supt John McLaren with instructions to act.

Communication from Hooker & Co writing in regard to the Park Commissioners to the City Hall Square & the Mayor Has Signed the Contract & Bond & Requesting the water turned on as previously which was complied with by the Secretary of Parks.

Secretary of Board of Fire Commissioners returned the Key

Session of the Park Commission, July 1/1903.

Supt John McLaren called the attention of the Board to the defective ventilation of the Station. He also stated that a record of the daily number of visitors to the Station was being taken and would be reported to the Board. That the Station was open from 10 o'clock A.M. until 6 o'clock P.M.

The defective ventilation of the Station was referred to Supt. John McLaren.

Communication received from the Building Trade Council asking that some representative of the Park Commissioners be authorized to meet a committee from the Council for the purpose of organizing the Park employees.

Received & filed.

Communication from Stanley Adams, asking that a number of logs fastened together, be removed within the next year the Cliff House & that boats could with safety enter and anchor near Seal Rock, in the Commissioners opinion the application for removing so large such a mass of logs at this season.

Read & filed.

Communication from Timothy Wright of the Lake Merced Rifle Club, that the Park Commissioners permit said Club to use the Rifle Range at Lake Merced.

Referred to Supt. John McLaren.

Communication from citizens & Executive Board Ingleside Improvement Club, relative to the Road and Bridle Path recently constructed in the way of Stanyan Street.

Committee was promised that the work would be completed by 30th inst.

Thanked west of the Keys Monument.

Commissioner Sullivan moved that the supervisor for two more bituminous courts be made by Supt John McLaren. Seconded by Commissioner Wigman.

Motion carried.

Commissioner Sullivan moved that the lessee of Dutch Cottage submitted by Commissioner Wigman be referred to Commissioner Wigman and Supt John McLaren with full power to act. Seconded by Commissioner Wigman.

Motion carried.

The tenth year installment by Chas Ingram Supt. of Sewers for the Laborers and Teamsters employed by the Commissioners. Was read & the amount of the total account being for services for the months, after the receipts and the balance to the credit of the Park fund at that time.

Commissioner Wigman stated to the Board that he had received from Mr Chas Ingram Supt of Sewers the sum of $ 1000 to improve the Golden Gate Park in front of Cross Lincoln Statue.

On motion of Commissioner Wigman, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan. Superintendent Conlon given power to act & have the entrance opened.

Motion carried.

Time being so limited visitors were not heard.

Adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge Friday Aug 7th 1903

were present.
Com. McDonald.
" Sullivan.
" Altmann.
Absent Hon Streckfus.
" Com Reed.

Commissioner Sullivan proposed that Commissioner McDonald act as Chairman Commissioner Altmann and he was so elected, whereupon Commissioner McDonald took the chair.

Minutes of the previous Meeting held at the office of Commissioners Dept Friday July 10th 1903.
Read Approved.

Superintendents Report showing condition of Parks from to Aug 7th 1903.
Received & filed.

Report of Janitors Quarters for Months of July 1903 and Fines.

Report of Janitor Ed Payden month of July.
Read & filed.

Report of Janitor of Museum.
Visitors for the month of July
Referred to Com Altmann.

Report of Under Keeper of the Natural History Museum.
Read & filed.

Communication from Board of Assessors asking to be furnished a list of all persons appointed Park Keepers or Guards for the South Side.
Secretary instructed not to furnish and will do same as each is appointed & Police Department notified of the fact.

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to Real Children. The Board decided they had no present use for such an Article and the Clerk was instructed to notify the Gentleman.

Communication received from E. H. Bauer requesting what these services opposed the Children. Matter
Read & filed.

Communication received from O. D. Keyes requesting to be informed what sorts of the Explosibles were to be used on the 2nd Children Days
July 8 1903. Read & filed.

Communication from E. J. Keyes asking to be furnished a List of all persons appointed Park keepers or Guards for the South Side.
Secretary instructed not to furnish and will do same as each is appointed & Police Department notified of the fact.

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mission to maintain a Bath House on the Ocean Beach adjoin Block #1402. Secty instructed to notify the Gentlemen that the Park Commissioners have no authority to grant such a permit. It is contrary to the provisions of the Charter.

Petition signed by 53 citizens asking the Park Commissioners to give them an entrance to the Park at 11th Ave and "I" Street. Referred to Supt Golf Links & Mr Greer.

Communication from C. B. Holladay asking that the Park Commissioners keep some lights in the Park vicinity. Secty instructed to notify Mr Holladay that the Board has no jurisdiction over the matter, & upon receipt of the lamps, the Commissioners would be pleased to co-operate with Mr Holladay in obtaining the desired lights.

Supt McLaren was instructed to improve the appearance of Laurel Place, same as Jackson Square.

Upon motion of the Secretary the resignation of Joseph Thomas Reed, Jr. as Janitor of Conservatory, & night watchman of the Recreation of Sunset Districts, was accepted, & the Secretary was instructed to write the proper letter to each, accepting same & thanking them for services rendered.

Regular Monthly Board Meeting.

Minutes of the last Meeting read & approved.

Communication from Chief Engineer Code, relative to the terms of Section XI of the Charter, requiring that certain expenditures be approved by the Board before the same are made. Referred to the Secretary to report at next meeting.

C. A. P. No. 1 — U. P. CO.

#16

OFFICE OF THE
CITY ATTORNEY
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Aug 4.
July 31, 1903.

Gentlemen:-

I am requested to give interpretation to that portion of Section 4 of Article XIV of the Charter which refers to the making of contracts. The Charter says: "No contracts shall be entered into, authorizing the expenditure of money without the approval of four of the Commissioners." No interpretation of this provision seems to me necessary. Salary accounts, to which you refer are not contracts.

Respectfully,

THE BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

[illegible] the consideration of the Public Convenience Station, Carpenter [illegible] would say there were crowds around the station before 10 A.M. & 3 P.M. of the great rush of leaving the station & not 6 A.M. instead of 10 A.M. as at present.

Commissioner Sullivan moved that the above be changed to 6 A.M. and remain open until 6 o'clock P.M. and that the compensation of the attendants be increased to $60.00 per month for the man, and $40.00 per month for the woman. Motion seconded by Mr. Donald and carried.

Mr. Allen notified the Commissioners that the Young Men's Merchants Association intend to remove the ventilators of the station.

Communication from Jackson Patrick & Co. enclosing their bill for a letter stated to be in addition to the bill rendered for the work of the Commissioners in relation to the great rush of the public to the Union Depot.

Read and filed.

Commissioner Sullivan moved the following

[illegible] that the rock side of [illegible] be removed for the purpose of [illegible] the rock side with as little [illegible] the inclusive [illegible] between the two Bridges [illegible] the adoption of this [illegible]

Was duly seconded and carried.

[illegible]

a number of the Civil Service as the time of [illegible] he had at the beginning of each year. He therefore felt that he owed it to the Public Records of this Commissioners [illegible] to request an account of the condition of the records since the term of [illegible]

Stated that while Mr. Thompson had been called in to adjust the books, he was only there a few minutes yesterday and was dismissed on motion of Commissioner [illegible] before he had finished his work on the records of January.

Commissioner Sullivan said he might [illegible] Donald and Wade a day time that a year be appointed to select the books.

Commissioner Atkinson said [illegible] objected to the motion of Commissioner Sullivan, in the as much that the books had been inspected a few months ago and [illegible] to the present time appears to be very [illegible] the city to [illegible] Commissioner Atkinson [illegible] justice says that [illegible] the majority of the work of which [illegible] over the shoulder [illegible] of the Auditor [illegible] it would be [illegible] that he objects [illegible] over the books [illegible] of two years ago [illegible] we had found [illegible] four months [illegible] there were only [illegible] there were [illegible] not [illegible] that it [illegible] to [illegible] to [illegible] [illegible] was [illegible]

The motion was [illegible] would [illegible] [illegible] voted to the [illegible] the auditor [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Rec Hall Aug 22nd 1903.

Were Present.

President Buckels.
Comrs Hayes.
" Altmann.
" McDonald.
" Sullivan

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Park Lodge Aug 7th 1903.

Read, corrected & approved.

Communication from E. B. Willis Secty Cal Promotion Committee conferring exhibit at St Louis Fair.

Referred to Supt McLaren with instructions to exhibit in suitable manner if they available.

Report of Supt Superintendent giving list of donations received to date.

Communication from Wm Henderson Secty to President Hyatt of the University of California thanking the Commissioners for the use of Park Lodge for annual picnic.

Communication from Dr. A. Moore asking permission to run Belt Line cars on Sunday.

Refused.

Communication from Supt McLaren asking assistance from Park Commissioners in his endeavor to establish a game preserve in the city of

Supt instructed to notify Mr Linder that the Commissioners will comply with the obligation, the Park Commissioners may exist with in donation.

Petition of a committee of citizens from residents in the vicinity of Seventeenth & Quintara Sts to use the south drive

with light delivery wagons. was refused.

Supt John McLaren presented his report of the total cost of the Dutch Windmill $5,160.16

The question of the renewal of the Post Office privilege, was referred to Supt McLaren for full information and recommendations.

The petition of the Gardeners in Golden Gate Park for a Foreman in the nursery for an increase of 25 cents per day in their wages was considered, Comr Hayes moved an increase of 25 cents per day. Seconded by Comr Altmann. Comr Sullivan moved to amend the motion by making the increase of 50 cents. Amendment not accepted, original motion carried. to go into effect Sept 1st 1903.

On the recommendation of Supt John McLaren that Horse Shoe Lake, Children's Playground be filled in, Comr Altmann moved that so be done. Motion carried.

Commissioner Boyd of Seattle was introduced to whom the Secretary was instructed to issue the Annual Report of the Park Commissioners.

On motion of Comr Sullivan the Secretary was instructed to notify the Secty of the Union Iron Works that the Park Commissioners will not accept the Fountain unless it is placed in the Music Stand in Golden Gate Park.

The Secretary reported the receipts of the Annual Dog Licensing for August $1,050.00 were received and in the Cashiers

The Minutes of the Previous Meeting being

appointed to show that a motion to appoint an expert was carried, and that Mr A. B. Thompson had been appointed such expert at a salary of $5.00 per day. President Shockley informed the Board that the Supervisors had submitted a form of contract to assist the books of all the departments of the city government, Supervisor Sullivan therefore moved to reconsider the motion appointing an expert at the previous meeting, seconded by Com'r Mc Donald.

Motion carried

There being no further business the Board adjourned

Jno Sugan
Secy Bd of Com'rs

A regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at Rock Lodge Friday September 4th 05.

Present Com'rs Grant.
President Shockley.
Com'r Murphy
" Sullivan.
" Thompson.
" Mc Donald.

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Rock Lodge July 22nd 1905.
Read corrected & approved.

The secretary presented his annual report which was ordered sent to the Mayor.

The secty also presented his regular monthly statement of the financial condition of Rock Island to Sept 1st 1905.

Report of Supt John Gilchrist for month of August read & filed.

Report of William Curtis read & filed.

Report of the Supervisor of Streets & Sewers read & filed.

Com'r Sullivan moved that the Secretary be instructed to notify the Supervisor of Streets & Sewers to have the sewer on 7th Ave between 18th & 19th Sts repaired at once, seconded by Com'r Shockley & carried.

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Communication from C. E. Stetson, Chairman Portage Department of Parks to Supt. McKaren thanking him for some information obtained and asking for information as to how to remove the odor from the oil used on Park roads.

Referred to Supt. McKaren.

Communication from D. H. Dewitt presenting the Board of Trade, suggesting that a Park, and Band Stand be constructed in Portage Park.

Read and filed

Upon motion of Commissioner Vilcox submitting samples of "Dust Layer Asphalt" and recommending that the same be adopted, was duly moved by Commissioner Kuhlman and carried to refer to Commissioner Thorpe, with full power to act.

Motion carried.

Communication from Herman Dorcher concerning a gas main extended to the road leading to the City Farm.

Commissioner Boyd moved to refer to Supt. McKaren, with instructions, to have said gas main removed.

Motion carried.

Communication from J. J. Rivers President of Division elected within the Province of Quebec to the Park.

Commissioner Boyd moved that the request contained in said communication be granted and that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Quebec, Province of Quebec, informing him of the action of this Board.

Motion carried.

Communication from Wm. Hurst - C. R. Roberts and Thomas Peck requesting that the "Grand Trunk Band" be allowed to play in the Park, was read.

the Band that the audience be requested to rise and uncover during rendition of the same" Secty instructed to answer that, while the suggestion meets with the approval of the Commissioners, they have no authority to make such a request to the Public for permit anyone else to do so in Golden Jubilee Year.

Should the Public desire to accept the invitation of the Members of the Grand Trunk Band to join them, there will be no objection.

The Secretary of the Annual Report was instructed in the absence of the Auditor, the Finance Committee to meet prior to the sitting of said report. The printed Statement was ordered to be compiled with the Report, and referred to Commissioner Dunbar.

The Auditor also asked for the approval of his Draft Cheque Book, which was duly approved and ordered to be used in future.

Communication from Mr. Peck, Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Quebec, was read and filed.

Commissioner Thorpe moved that the Secretary be instructed to write to the Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Quebec, informing him of the action of this Board in regard to the Grand Trunk Band.

Motion carried.

President Wright moved that the thanks of the Board be tendered to Mr. Peck for his kindness in forwarding to the Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Quebec, the Annual Report of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Ontario, for the year 1907.

Motion carried.

Communication from Mr. Peck, Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Quebec, asking to be furnished with a copy of the Annual Report of the Park Commissioners Board.

Motion carried.

President Wright moved that the thanks of the Board be tendered to Mr. Peck for his kindness in forwarding to the Secretary of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Quebec, the Annual Report of the Park Association of Canada, Province of Ontario, for the year 1907.

Motion carried.

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approved the contract (Bitumen to be applied on Gibson Park, and work subject to acceptance of Supt Johnston & Green,

Commissioner Williams spoke of the visit to this city of the Bankers, and suggested changing the design at Reservatory Valley, Park, Westend P.P.K to Advance for our Bankers, Supt instructed to make change.

Commissioner Williams gave notice of the distributing pipes to be laid in the various houses, situated in the Park. Commissioner Lloyd suggested $25.00 reward Supt McLaren said he would have notices printed and put up.

Commissioner Lloyd called the attention of the Board to the sandy drifts on the Great Northern and suggested putting up a fence of Matting Posts, and planting Sattle Flood the great wash [illegible] to the sea.

Referred to Supt McLaren,

Commissioner Lloyd, that steps be taken to improve Spring Valley by raising it about Eighteen [illegible] recommended by Commissioner Williams' letter carried.

Supt was instructed to advertise for 10,000 Sawn Red, more or less of first class Redwood

[illegible] Commissioner Williams reported that the Commissioners carrying in the Park were in a satisfactory manner, that the Park was in very shape, neatly painted and [illegible] Commissioner Williams suggested that the Superintendent of the Park should [illegible] and [illegible] at the same price, it was necessary for the Board to [illegible] Commissioner Williams moved that the necessary [illegible] Commissioner Lloyd seconded and carried. Commissioner Williams moved that Supt Johnston and Keith be allowed [illegible] Commissioner Lloyd seconded and carried.

Regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge Friday Sept 18th 1903

Were Present.
President Sprockels
Com' Lloyd.
" McKinnell.
" Sullivan.
" Williams.

Minutes of the previous meeting held Friday Sept 4th 1903.
read, corrected & approved.

Reports from Engineer Fuller.
read and filed.

The Board of Health of California wrote requesting [illegible] Park Lodge Thursday Sept 13th at 8 o'clock p.m. [illegible]

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Engineer be instructed to do such work as is necessary to be done about the Merry-go-round, and that the Supt furnish an estimate of the cost thereof. Motion seconded and carried.

Letter from Supt P.P.K. [illegible] Park Lodge during recess.
Read and filed.

Landscape Architect submitted his Report of Sundry Expenses to Commissioners [illegible]

Com' Lloyd moved to refer to Com' Williams the Letter of Mrs Hubbard to put in Cork from Kennedy Grove, to the Museum. Motion duly seconded & carried.

Communication received from C.W. Kay asking that the Park Commissioners Report be sent to the Mayors office.

Read and filed.

Communication from M.J. Dutton concerning the insurance on the Conservatory building that had expired.

Secty instructed to obtain decision from City Attorney Lane as to their authority under the charter to insure buildings under their control.

Communication from Mrs Bradley offering to loan some paintings to Art Gallery.

Respectfully declined.

Communication received from P.B. Reed, Secty Park Comsny (Cal) inviting Bd. of Park Commrs to accept Japanese Tea Garden presented to Park Comsny by Mr. Hagiwara and to present this Board with a souvenir.

On motion it was that Supt McLaren accept said souvenir tea garden presented by Mr Hagiwara, which was carried.

Communication from Supt McLaren asking that the Supt appointed Mr Rose in the Executive Service of the Park Department, be changed to Mr Sullivan.

Which was carried.

At this time the Board was called to a full consideration of the Water Works for Park purposes and the Water Commissioner Station for Mouth of Lobos Creek was urged to expedite matter to the end that the Board might see the Water Works and assess the bill.

Present Supt Reed, Supt McLaren and Commissioner Kay.

Program Privilege for one year, was on motion of Com Williams, seconded by Com Braunhart granted.

A pistol used in the battle of Bull-run and presented to Museum by J.K. Davis, was accepted with the thanks of the Commissioners.

Communication from Mr Bowerman presenting to the Museum a silk Japanese fabric. Disposition of same left with Supt McLaren.

Received with thanks.

Mr Sullivan presented invitation to the Memory

The Committee on Resolutions on request of the meeting of Irving M. Scott presents the following

WHEREAS, Irving M. Scott, one of the former Park Commissioners, has lately died; and

WHEREAS, he was preeminently distinguished for qualities that make for good government and for a trust such as the Park Commission; and

WHEREAS, the ability that was shown in the construction of the battleship "Oregon" was freely given to the care of Golden Gate Park to the end that it might be, with the least possible expense, the pleasure ground of our citizens; and

WHEREAS, this talent was joined to a nature strikingly sociable and gentle;

RESOLVED, that we, the members of this Park Commission regret his death as a distinct loss to the community.

RESOLVED, that this Preamble and Resolutions be spread upon the minutes of the Board, and that an engrossed copy thereof be forwarded to his family.

Dated, San Francisco, September 18 1903.

John Sullivan
Jasper McDonald

Commissioner Sullivan submitted his report on the Mound report, which was referred to him and Com. Lyall for correction.

Com. Lyall says the report is full of grammatical errors. It should not contain the list of shrubs, trees, and plants. The printer should be paid, but might to make all changes required for not over five hundred ($500) dollars, the work of correcting the report to be divided between Com. Lyall and Sullivan.

Com. Sullivans recommendations were adopted.

The following bids were received and opened by the Chairman, being for galvanized sewer pipe.

Pacific Hardware Steel Co.

3 inch, $20.75 per 100 feet.
2 " 16.50 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

Keystone Varnish Co.
3 inch $ 20.00 per 100 feet.
2 " 16.00 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

Pacific Coast Pipe Co.
3 inch $ 20.00 per 100 feet.
2 " 16.00 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

Hooper, Taylor & Co.
3 inch $ 20.00 per 100 feet.
2 " 16.00 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

Coast Counties Gas & Electric Co.
3 inch $ 20.00 per 100 feet
2 " 16.00 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

The Donahue Red Steel Works.

3 inch $ 24.00 per 100 feet.
2 " 19.85 " " "
1½ " 13.75 " " "

Denham Carrigan & Hayden

3 inch $ 36.00 per 100 feet.
2 " 15.00 " " "
1½ " 12.00 " " "

Com. Lyall moved that the contract be awarded to the Pacific Coast Pipe Co. provided they put under Spaulding. Otherwise the contract is awarded to Denham, Carrigan & Hayden, the next lowest bidder.

Motion carried.

The following bids were received to furnish 1500 cubic yards more or less first class fire brick.

Pacific Coast Pipe Co. 70 cents per cubic yard
Pacific Hardware Steel Co. " " " "
C. B. Cole " " " "
J. J. Brown " " " "
M. J. Sullivan " " " "

Com. Lyall moved to accept the contract to M. J. Sullivan, it being the lowest bidder.

Motion carried.

Secretary Sullivan stated that he had received a letter from the Board of Supervisors stating that an additional grant for sewer repairs had been made from the Road Fund, and that the Board would be glad to have the Commissioners confer with them.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Supt contract to sink an Artesian well to a depth of 600 feet if necessary, on the west side of Strawberry Valley. (Seconded by Com'r Sullivan
Motion Carried.

President Brooks and Supt Mc Laren were instructed to report at the next meeting of the Board the most feasable route by which Automobiles can reach the Cliff House from the westerly end of the South Drive.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

J. C. Lloyd.
Secty.

Adj'd regular meeting held in the Park Commissioners Park Office Oct 2nd 1903.
All members present President.

J. C. Lloyd.
Secty.

At a Special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office of President Brooks #327 Market Street Oct 7th 1903.

Were present.

President Brooks.
Com'rs Sullivan.
" McLaren.
" Thorne.
Absent " Lloyd.

Minutes of the previous meeting held at Park Office Friday Sept 18th 1903
Corrected and Approved.

Report of Supt Mc Laren, Children's Quarters, Japanese Tea Garden, for the Month of September, read and filed.

Communication received from the Secty of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition asking for a leave of absence of the statue "The California Bear."
Respectfully refused.

Communication received from the City Clerk of the City of Chicago asking for a donation of their geological curios.
A list of Exhibits was directed

Communication from Town Council of the Old Mill Site Inn concerning Street Improvements
Read and filed.

Communication received from Secty S.F.F.A. regarding the transfer of five horses to the Exhibitions for exhibition. This permission was obtained by the Hon. Mayor Schmitz
Citizens Committee.

Communication received from J. C. Park Commissioner

Committee on decoration, American Bankers Association, thanking the Park Commissioners for placing at the disposal of the committee the resources of G. G. Park in the way of plants + flowers.

Read and filed.

Communication received from Mrs Austin thanking the Commissioners for the resolution adopted to the memory of the late Mr. Joseph Austin, late Park Commissioner

Read and filed.

Supt. Mc Laren reported progress concerning the Stanyan Hall. He asked for an appropriation of $ to [illegible] increase flow of water

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan the Board authorized the payment of services rendered the work of the expert in testing the flow of water.

Motion carried.

President Reuben reported the renewal of the Sharon Privilege for one year, with Phillips Smith and Pine Nut, Inc., a contract for electric motor [illegible] to drive fan at Public Convenience Station.

[illegible] progress report [illegible] election of the water bill for Cattle Crossing Station at Union Square and [illegible] Report received.

Question of increase rates [illegible] before the Board until advised against the high rate of [illegible] by Electric Co. on the Park [illegible] that they had been informed that

automobiles were entitled to same free use of the roads in G. G. P.

The committee was informed that no such notice had been given, and work was at present continued.

The committee [illegible]

Supt. Mc Laren reported progress regarding a new Meter-post-Board.

Report received.

Commissioner Sullivan submitted a design for G. G. Park Gate Posts for the Height St. entrance. Commissioner Sullivan moved the adoption of the design submitted and moved that the Posts be constructed of Colusa Stone.

Motion duly seconded and carried

Res Brackett reported in favor of permitting Automobiles to use the [illegible] Great Highway from Fulton to J" Street thence to 47th Ave to the Cliff House.

Report received.

The following bids were received for furnishing a Steam [illegible] capacity of [illegible] gallons per hour.

Geo E Doty Pump Co.
Nathan Fisher Boiler Works. Subject to the [illegible] at present at the Fisher Yard for test. Price $ [illegible]

Same Co. without [illegible] Price $ [illegible]

The Fisher [illegible] Co. [illegible] single acting Fisher Pump capacity [illegible] gallons per hour. Price $ [illegible]

Also ± 7 x 8 double acting Triplex pumps of the four standard types which series running at 60 revolutions per minute would give a capacity of ±168 gallons.

Price $1018.00

Kerrow Rickard + Co.
± 8 x 10 single acting Vertical Triplex Power Pump capacity 20.000 Gallons per hour.

Price $1865.00

Also 8 x 10 Knowles class "C" single acting Vertical Triplex pump belt drawn.

Price $1185.00

Also 8 x 10 Aldrich single acting Vertical triplex pumps.

Price $1050.00

Commissioner Attraam moved to refer bids to Asst-Engineer Mr Larsen and Chief Engineer H.D. Daniels of the Park Water Works, to report at the next meeting of the Board Motion duly seconded and carried.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge Oct 16 1903.

Present.

President Stoeckel.
Com' Lloyd.
" Attraam.
" Sullivan.
" Mc Donald.

Minutes of the previous Stated meeting held Oct-9-1903.

Read and approved.

Asst- Mr Larsen and Chief Engineer Daniels to whom was referred for investigation the merits of the different pumps submitted by the firms who bid on the pumps advertised for reported that the Dow pump offered the most advantageous for the reason that it was similar to the one at present in use, was of home manufacture and could therefore be duplicated in every part at short notice.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Attraam and carried the contract for the pump was awarded to the Geo E. Dow Pump Co Chicago. Price $1865.00

Communication from California Exposition asking the loan of some Buffalo elk. Secretary directed to write.

Communication from Scott Eliot Agency in reference to a painting entitled "The Pioneer" Referred to Park Board.

Communication from Mr C Barker Chief Clerk Water Works in answer to a letter received from Commissioner Sullivan in reference to a bill from the Water Co being overcharged a bill from the Water Co being

for $12.55 for water for Public convenience station at Union Square for the month of July.
Mr Booker stated that the meter showed that the amount of water used during the last three months cost $61.50 Therefore the Co. thought a flat rate of $15.00 per Month would be fair to all. This rate was satisfactory to the Board and the Secty was instructed to issue a demand in favor of the Water Company for water during the last four months amounting to $60.00

Communication from Commissioner's Sullivan and McDonald to Secretary Judge Lucca requesting him to permit Mr A. B. Thompson to expert the books of the commission.

Communication received and the secretary instructed to assist Mr Thompson in every possible manner.

Communication from Board of Police Commissioners requesting to be item of $5.00 charged for 1/2 telephone service.

Referred to Supt Mr Lucas.

Communication from M. H. Foote stating that a Frigid Pure could be purchased from Mr Peter Sutter for Fifty Dollars.

Referred to Supt Mr Lucas.

Communication from Geo. Cerini extending an invitation to President Hewlett to inspect the electric work now being done on Bryant Street between 4th & 5th.

Referred to Supt Mr Lucas

Supt Mr Lucas asked for an increased amount of water for the interment of Mr Geo. Young. Cost $2.00 to $2.50

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan, seconded by Commissioner Abrams and carried, the full amount was allowed.

Curator Kilgore sent a report of donations
Rev S. H. Willey 1 pr Suttler et sent a photograph of Capt Knight.
Accepted with thanks.
David Freedman, collection of curiosities.
Accepted with thanks.

Committee representing the citizens of Decatur asked that permission be granted the Gas Co to lay mains on Peachtree Way, and to relocate the road leading from Peachtree Station to the Electric car line.

Referred to Supt Mr Lucas.

Commissioner Abrams submitted three designs of a drinking fountain to be erected in the future in front of the reservation. On motion of Commissioner Sullivan duly seconded and carried, the design of a boy playing on the turtle, on a base for Granite about 3 feet was accepted and with some changes in the statue of the boy will be obtained.

Mr Geo. Selig had the kindness to furnish to each one of the Commissioners in the Superior Court taken by the Police, for which the Board returned its thanks.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan duly seconded and carried, the Secty was instructed to have the Water Mains extended to the Cemetery from Decatur Street to the same in the future.

Commissioner Sullivan reported that he had secured the consent of the Water Co. to make arrangements to have an extra pipe from the Printer as soon as possible.

On motion of

President Sprockels, seconded by Commissioner Lloyd a vote of thanks was given Commissioner Sullivan for his labors in correcting the report.

Motion carried.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Attwater the bill of Phillips Smyth and Van Orden for getting out the report was ordered paid upon delivery of the books at Park Lodge.

Motion carried.

There being no further business
the meeting adjourned.

Jas Lucas
Secty

Pursuant to adjournment of the Park Commissioners held at Park Lodge Dec. 11th 1895.

Present

Commissioners Sprockels
" Lloyd
" Sanderson
" Sullivan
" Attwater

Minutes of the previous meeting
Read & approved.

" "

The Secty reported that he had given notice to the following property owners fronting on the Panhandle to remove their fences to the property line.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Communication from A. C. Robinson wishing to exchange pheasants for quail

Request declined.

Communication from Chamber of Commerce enclosing letter received from Lieut Frank Wellington, Consul General for H. I. at Oakland & Bay Pheasants in which he encloses a letter received by him from Sir John Rose Canada.

Sir Cornelius resided in San Francisco in 1851, he was present at the great fire in that year, and he desires to donate by the Legislature of California, engravings of views of Sanitary Commission meeting held together by the Great Fair & views of Sanitary Commission Rooms & Hospital at Washington.

Vote of thanks was tendered Sir Rose Cornwall for his generous gift, and the Secretary directed to send a communication to the Oakland Legislature.

Mr Dillman moved to reconsider the action by which at a previous meeting a license for a Driving Pheasant was refused Mr Swan, Seconded by Commissioner Mr Sonntag. Motion lost by the following vote

Ayes Mr Dillman
Mr Donald
Noes Mr Stockton
" Mr Lloyd
" " Mr Swan

Commissioners Lloyd & President Stockton declared as explained that they voted not to reconsider because they were not willing to hold the Fair unless it was to pay.

Mr Dillman moved that bids be advertised for furnishing lunch to Board & Clerk during Fair. Seconded by Commissioner Sonntag & carried.

Commissioner Donald moved that the Secretary be instructed to request Mr Hall to withdraw his application for a license to sell liquor on the Fair Grounds, as the Directors do not think it proper. Seconded by Commissioner Sonntag & carried.

Commissioner Donald stated that in the absence of the President he had visited the Fair Grounds & found that the Secretary had not been there for several days. Commissioner Donald stated that he had visited the Fair Grounds & found that the Secretary had not been there for several days.

Commissioner Sonntag moved that the Secretary be instructed to request the Secretary of the Agricultural Society to be present at the meeting of the Board of Directors.

Petitioning for the location of Post roads.

Commissioner Boyd moved to refer the matter to President Sprekels, to report at next meeting. Seconded by Commissioner Nelson. Carried.

Commissioner Ahlgren presented Master's Receipt of which (upon motion) Commissioner Ahlgren was ordered to endorse as of his return Monday the 3rd inst.

Commissioner Ahlgren reported finding the roads good.

Ordered that the Clerk be instructed to write to the City Clerk of Santa Cruz, and inquire about the Public Libraries there for the Board of Commissioners of this city.

Petition of Public Landowners.
Re Road Commissioners.

Clerk to Engross.
Sent.

The Regular Monthly meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at Felton Dec 1st 1890.

Present President Sprekels.
" Commissioner Ahlgren
" Boyd
Absent " Nelson.
" " McDonald

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Road Foreman Ahlgren regarding roads in Dist. No 3 received and filed.

Report of Road Foreman Jepsen in Dist. No 1 received and filed.

Report of Road Foreman Boyd in Dist. No 2 received and filed.

Petition of Public Landowners for Commissioners Ahlgren and Boyd to act as Road Commissioners in Dist. No 3 and Dist. No 2 respectively, be granted.

One Indian Mother and Seattle.
Not sinker.
Ordered to Sir Thomas Cochrell who so kindly sent from New Zealand, relics of the great fire in San Francisco in 1851.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, the curator received a vote of thanks for his donation.

Miss Farrish,
Communication from Manager Wilkins of the Nevada City Railway Co. asking for the donation, of a pair of Elks, for their Park in Nevada.

Note instructed to answer.
Elks to remain at present.

Communication from the L. Kane Mayors Sealy stating that the Commissioners should request to send to Hiram Evans, Indiana.
Note instructed.
Communication from Phillips, Smith and VanOrden claiming to have been injured by the horses taken from the Fair Grounds.

On motion of Commissioner Altmann, seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, and carried, the claim was referred to the Committee on Claims.

Communication from J. Evans resigning as Constable of the Second Township requesting the appointment of his son Jas. Evans as successor.
On motion of Commissioner Hughes seconded by Commissioner Sullivan, and carried, the resignation was accepted and the appointment confirmed.

by Commissioner Altmann, for services 21 days @ $2.50 per day amounting to $52.50 per day are allowed A. Reeves, in full settlement of his claim.

Communication from Attorney Digby & Digby & Treasurer Mrs. Sales of Nev. Co. Hose Co. asking for $150.00 the price of a suit of White Canvas with Coat of Armour, one of the Horses having died soon after its arrival, and company was refused by the Board until Saturday 12 o'clock.
On motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner Altmann, and carried, the claim was referred to Supt. John McKeon.

Communication from Leonard Eaton, Indiana, Ind. in reference to paying for seal to the Leonard Law Book of minutes.
Note instructed to answer. To remain unpaid for

Communication from Board of Trustees Hose Co. requesting a statement of the amount of canvas required to cover hose carriage and cost of the same.
Note instructed to inform Secretary of Hose Co. that the Board thinks it best to purchase the canvas themselves and have it made up.

Communication from Board of Trustees Hose Co. requesting the appointment of Jas. Evans as Constable of the Township in place of Jas. Evans resigned.
Granted.

Communication from H. [illegible]

to have the city for several years offering to loan to the Park Museum an oil painting of Lee Street in Hamburg by Isabella Hunter.
On motion of Commissioner Sullivan and carried by Commissioner Sullivan, and carried, the gift of pictures accepted with thanks of the Board.

On motion of Commissioner C. R. Wilcomb to increase the pay of Miss Bradwell, printer at the Museum to $30 per month, was referred to Commissioner Alexander.

A Chicago History effects of the late Victor Lenox, Esq. at "Old Key" were selected as an exhibit at Museum and Secretary instructed to write and express to the Trustees.

On communication of Curator C. R. Wilcomb to purchase photo. views, one type case &c. for the Curator, as stated in letter, and the Superintendent of Public Buildings & Grounds to see to same, would be agreed to. Commissioner Alexander.

Mr. Bell was instructed to inquire into the cause of the two leaks reported in the roof of the Museum, one in the North, South or the East or Western slope of the roof.

The following bills were received in due form to the Superintendent to furnish supplies &c. during the month:

Jno. Ramsey
Coal & Wood.

2 cords of wood	$18 00	Jan 31
2000 lbs coal	20 00	" "
40 pieces 3x12x20 feet long,		
2 cords of wood delivered to Curator	20 00	— —

Jno. Ramsey Lumber &c.

R. W. rough delivered to 8th Ave	$ 22 00	per M
" " select " " " "	32 00	" "
C. P. " " " " " "	25 00	" "
" " " rough " " " "	17 00	" "
1 large frame 8th Ave to Park entrance	1 00	" "
3 Tree frames (boxes 3x12x20 feet) delivered	3 00	— —

Smith Bros.

R. Fine rough.	$ 17 00	per M
" select	24 00	" "
Rough R. W.	21 00	" "
" " " select	30 00	" "
Three hundred pieces 3x12x20 ft long lumber as ordered fine stock.	$ 30 00	— —

C. O. Schuster Lumber &c.

C. P. select	$ 23 00	per M
R. W. select	32 00	" "
C. P. ordinary	17 00	" "
R. W. "	21 00	" "
Three hundred pieces 3x12x20 ft long-		
O. K. shed & shelving, labor & lumber	35	—

Brush Bros.

50 lbs of white wash	$ 1 00	per lb
" " " Lime " "	12 00	" "
500 lbs white wash "	5 00	" "
500 " " "	10 00	" "
100 " " "	2 00	" "
50 lbs of white wash	$ 1 00	per lb
" " " "	12 00	" "
500 lbs white wash "	5 00	" "
40 " " "	2 00	" "
500 " wash powder	10 00	" "

Scott & Wagner.

Wheat Rye	@	$17.50 per ton
Oat	"	16 75 " "
Feed Barley	"	25 50 " "
Oats	"	$ 1.37½ cwt " cwt
Bran	"	$ 1.05 " " "

Cement

H. L. Place & Co

200 barrels Portland cement	[illegible]	$ 2 75 per bbl
"	Natural "	2 45 " "

E. Applinger & Co

Alpine cement	Lesser or equal	$ 2 85 per bbl
"	Saxon State	2 65 " "

Henry Ewald (S.)

500 barrels of Rheinkraft imported cement		$ 2 75 per bbl
Imported Grenzacher Portland bbl	@	2 50 " "
" " cost 2 cents on each and returned.		

Lehigh Coal Co

[illegible]		$ 2 85 per bbl
[illegible]		2 45 " "

Coal

Rensselaer Coal Co

50 bbl Pea Coal	@	$ 1 80 per ton
10 cents to cart the above.		

D. Matthews & Co

Pea Coal		$ 3 00 per ton

Coke. Henry Ewald & Co

400 bbls Connellsville coke		4 75 per bbl
Cost here in Troy		0 75 " bbl
The above coke is Pittsburgh best grade		26" " Coke
" " " " " " "	"	22" " bbl
" " " " " " "	"	18½ " Coke

Volney W. Hinchell.

200 half tons White Lead in oil		$ 0.35 per 100 lbs
Three barrels of boiled linseed oil		1.06 " Gall

Coal.

Hugo Kopley

25 tons Welsh anthracite egg Coal	@	$ 5.75 per ton
10 " Delaw Richmond	"	5 25 " "
10 " Pellington	"	5 25 " "
2240 lbs to the ton.		

Van Zant & Co.

25 tons Jersey egg size	@	$ per ton
25 " Welsh Anthracite	"	5 00 " "
10 " Chas Pellington. Delaw Richmond & Lehigh		5 00 " "
" "		5 00 " "

On motion of Commissioner Hinchell accepted by Commissioner Sullivan and carried.

Table Painting passed the contract for another

On motion of Commissioner Hinchell seconded by Commissioner Sullivan and carried.

Ordered the Clerk to advertise for Oil.

On motion of Commissioner Hinchell seconded by Commissioner Sullivan and carried. Ordered the contract for Coal to be let to Oat Heap.

On motion of Commissioner Hinchell seconded by Commissioner Sullivan and carried. Ordered the contract for Coke, Oats & Straw.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan seconded by Commissioner O'Shaughnessy and carried, the Western Paving Co. were awarded the contract for Coal and cement,

the foregoing firms and persons all being the lowest responsible bidders.

The secretary was instructed to read a letter from the Most Rev. Archbishop Riordan addressed to Hon. Mark J. Sullivan Chairman,

to wit: Commissioner Sullivan that the Most Rev. Archbishop has most generously offered to erect in Golden Gate Park a statue of Junipero Serra, the founder of the Franciscan Missions.

The letter states that he will be glad to confer with Commissioner Sullivan if he (Sullivan) is in favor of the erection of the statue and requests a resolution giving permission for the erection in the Park of the statue, etc.

Commissioner Sullivan therefore offered the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the Most Reverend Archbishop Riordan has this day requested the Board of Park Commissioners to receive a statue of the illustrious Junipero Serra, founder of the Franciscan Missions of California, to be donated by Hon. James D. Phelan, and, if the design is satisfactory, to select a site for the same in Golden Gate Park.

AND WHEREAS, it appears just and proper that this Board of Park Commissioners should show its appreciation of the pioneer of pioneers of California, whose devoted spiritual children as early as 1769 crossed this very ground of Golden Gate Park on their way from Laguna de la Merced to Lobos Point in their mission of civilization; and

WHEREAS, the history of California of the past is the record of progressive steps from Paganism to Christianity evidenced by the Missions erected through the labors of Father Junipero Serra; and

WHEREAS, the Bay and Mission and Presidio of San Francisco owe their names to Father Junipero Serra and to him alone; therefore be it

RESOLVED, that this Board of Park Commissioners feels honored by the fact that it has been made one of the means of commemorating the name and memory of the illustrious Franciscan, Father Junipero Serra.

RESOLVED, that the Chairman of the Board select a Committee to confer with the Most Reverend Archbishop Riordan in reference to the site and design for said statue of Father Junipero Serra.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan, seconded by Commissioner O'Shaughnessy the foregoing resolution was adopted, and the following Committee was appointed to select a suitable site for said statue.

Com. Sullivan.
" O'Shaughnessy.
" Polsom.

There being no further business the Board adjourned.

President

Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners held at the Office of the Board of Freeholders in Court House Steuben County on the 18th day of October 1853

Present
Epaphras Hoskins
Lewis Knapp
" Eli Sprague
Absent " Sullivan
" " Wm. Darrell

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

In the matter of the two blocks of land bounded on Chapin, Cedar & Dean streets on the North and South and Wall and Herkimer on the East and West, deeded to the County for court house purposes, it is ordered that the Clerk be instructed to notify the Supervisors of Corning, Painted Post, Hornellsville, Wayne, Erwin, Caton, Addison, Tuscarora, Lindley, Rathbone, Thurston, Troupsburg, Cameron, Jasper, Canisteo, Greenwood, Howard, Bath, Urbana, Pulteney, Prattsburgh, Wheeler, Dansville, Fremont, Cohocton, Avoca, Hartsville, Campbell, Conhocton, Bradford, Wayland

to Kessel as fine and imbossing Gilt Posts as the
same should would permit of. It was therefore moved
that Commissioners Atherton & Coffin be the
Committee for the Money at the disposal of the
Board. Motion duly seconded and carried.

A vote of thanks was given Commissioner
Lloyd for the gift to the museum of a Medal-
lion which was struck off to commemorate the
cession of New Amsterdam by Holland to England.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. Morrison
for the donation to the Museum of a fine spe-
cimen of Cretaceous fossil fern.

The Secretary was instructed to send the annual
Report to the Park Commissioners.

Commissioner Atherton offered that Chairs
be placed on each side of the gradual
slope from the Lincoln Bridge, to the Lake Section
of the Road in the Park.
The offer was referred to the Secretary for
investigation.

There being no further business
the Board adjourned
Jno. D. Keese
Secty Park Commission

At a Special meeting of the Park Com-
missioners held at the Office June 8th
The following business was transacted.

The official Terms of President Hewlett &
Commissioner J.M. McDonald having expired
June 8th 1870 at noon, the Secretary
presented his certificate of each Appointment as
Park Commissioner for a term of four years, re-
spectively.
The certificate was ordered to be filed.

The Secretary presented his certificate of
appointment as Park Commissioner for a term
of four years, since which time he has
[illegible]

The certificate was ordered placed on file.

The Board [illegible]
Commissioners [illegible]

Commissioner Lloyd moved that Jas de Sousa be appointed Bailiff. Seconded by Commissioner Attwater.

Motion carried.

Commissioner moved that the present office hours continue, and that the presented salaries continue. Motion amended by Commissioner Attwater, that the salary of C.P. Reeve be increased from $60 to $70 per month.

Motion carried.

Minutes of the previous meeting read and confirmed.

Report of the Auditor for the Month of Dec read and filed.

Report of Chief Constable Curtis of Nanaimo, Re Fire Engine Attwater,

Report of Constable Frederick Patrick of Wellington.

Read & filed.

Report of Collector for Month of Dec. Read and filed.

Report of Inspector Fletcher for Month of Dec Read and filed.

[illegible] Commissioner Lloyd.
[illegible] Sub Inspector de Hertzog
[illegible] Nanaimo Colliery Co
[illegible] Esquimalt Water Co
[illegible] Esquimalt for Correction, and

correcte error for the foundation, which was done by the Rock Commissioners & added, it would bring the total cost of the pavement to $25,537.516 & in as much as the committee desires to thank the Rock Commissioners for this as well as for many other services.

Motion carried

Mr Bibb. Mr Gray here to enquire the Rock Commissioners intend the two lots that they purchased of Chapman Bros, are to be used by the City and Organ Brothers as stated in Times" and that the Board of Commissioners have received favorable reply from Rock Commissioners.

Motion not being satisfactory to the Rock Commissioners, Commissioner Lloyd instructed the following letter to be sent to Chas Crosby Esq Victoria.

Victoria B.C. Aug
City of Nanaimo Attorney
Victoria Road

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Communication from Governor Burnett thanking the Court for the appointment of Col. Johnston & Lieut. Sherwood to lay out the grounds surrounding Sutters Fort.

Motion of Commissioner Reid. Seconded by Commissioner Coleman & carried. Col. McKinstry was instructed to proceed to Sutters Fort & was notified by the Governor.

Communication from C. K. Gustine relative to Ferry on which petitions should be presented to the County Court & copies of Orders of Sutter Fort Court &c read.

Communication from A. T. Garfield relative to [illegible]

Referred to Commissioner Coleman.

Communication from Peter Mayer enclosing account of [illegible] Petitions &c. Referred to Judge Turner & Clerk for work.

Clerk instructed to notify Peter Mayer that the Commissioners Court [illegible]

Report of the Auditor

Communication from Auditor stating he [illegible] Report of the Commissioners Court [illegible]

Referred to Commissioner Coleman.

Alexander Taylor of the Granite Hill S.D. having remitted the fees & charges &c. in the case of Wm. Hays from Taylor to Johnson Lee Garvin & Co. & Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Taylor on the Commissioners for his services.

Wm. Hudson & Wm. Sherwood Esq. Mayor & Clerk of Sutter County respectively [illegible] Coleman the Grand Jury was directed to [illegible] at Sutter on Tuesday the 22nd inst. at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M. of the Court [illegible] The Auditor was authorized to [illegible]

Road and Bridge Petitions [illegible] for certain petitions [illegible] pending & still on the Court [illegible]

Commissioner Coleman [illegible] Petitions &c. Referred to Judge Turner & Commissioner Coleman. Motion carried.

Communication [illegible]

Board of Supervisors [illegible] Petitions &c. Referred to Judge Turner & Commissioner Coleman. Motion carried.

Communication

Special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Park College Jan 29th 1904.

Were present

President Brookes
Com'r Lloyd
" Hellmann
" Sullivan
Absent " Jones (sick)

Minutes of the previous meeting
Read, corrected and approved.

Report of Curator R. B. Holcomb of donations.
Read & referred to Com'rs Hellmann.

Communication from C. H. Gilbert relating certain matters to the Park as concerning the exhibit of the St Louis Exhibition.

Referred to Supt of Parks.

Communication received from San Diego, signed C. C. Parker & Eugene Massey Commissioners of Parks of Parks. The other signed Jno. F. Forward thanking the Park Commissioners for the valuable collection of trees & shrubs sent to the San Diego Park.

Read & filed.

Communication from C. H. Jay Clerk Board of Supervisors stating that the petition presented will appear on the docket for hearing between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. & 2 o'clock P.M.

Read & filed.

Communication from F. K. McCrellis, Secy Board of Park Commissioners, Kansas City, Mo. stating the desire of the Park Board of that City to confer with the Park Commissioners of this City relative to the proposed Consolidation of the Parks.

Referred to Supt of Parks with instructions to confer with the Park Board of Kansas City, Mo. relative to the proposed consolidation of the Parks.

Communication from [illegible] relative to the [illegible] Park. On motion duly made and carried it was ordered that the Secretary notify the [illegible]

Communication from S. L. Byers, President of the Arcata Harbor Improvement Co. asking that benches be placed [illegible]

Referred to Supt. McLean who was instructed to place benches at [illegible]

On motion of Commissioner Pugh duly seconded and carried the Supt was instructed to purchase two new desks & chairs for the Auditor's [illegible]

Communication from R. D. Hickey requesting the Board to [illegible]

The Board in connection with the Committee of the whole [illegible]

The Board proceeded and it was found impossible to come to any decision at this [illegible]

[illegible]

Otis E. Dow bridging Co.
One Reversible Transmission ⅌ Class E.
delivered at bridge site. Price $100.00.

Joshua Hendy Machine Works.
One Reversible Transmission ⅌ Class D
Price $75.00

Mr. Otis E. Dow to bring the lowest responsible bid was on motion of Commissioner Wright seconded by Supervisor Stevenson and carried awarded the contract for the Bridge.

The Interstate Club of Oakland was represented by a committee consisting of Mr. Chapel J. P. Robertson, A. C. Stone, Mr. Fairchild, Mr. Rose who appeared before the Board of Commissioners in favor of the appropriation by Commissioner Wright.

After a general discussion of the ordinance it was moved by Supervisor Gunther and seconded by Commissioner Wright that the Committee on Ordinances be instructed to prepare and report back to the Board at its next meeting an ordinance in that behalf, as that said committee deemed necessary to do under the circumstances as presented.

In accordance with the request of Supervisor Gunther that the Board should not adjourn until the ordinance regulating the speed of automobiles was passed, it was moved by Supervisor Gunther seconded by Supervisor Stevenson and carried that the Board adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock P.M. this day.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board of Supervisors met in the office of President of the Board Market Street Ferry Building at 2 o'clock P.M.

Present
President Streeter
Supervisor Wright
" Stevenson
" Gunther
" Hind

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Committee on Finance, Ways and Means, Police Court Building Fund, Recommending that the sum of $1,000.00 be transferred from Police Court Building Fund to Contingent Fund.

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Supervisor Gunther moved that the report be adopted.

Supervisor Stevenson moved as an amendment that the report be referred back to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means, Police Court Building Fund, with instructions to report back to the Board at its next meeting.

Supervisor Gunther moved that the amendment be adopted.

Supervisor Wright moved that the report be adopted.

Supervisor Gunther moved that the report be referred back to the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means, Police Court Building Fund, with instructions to report back to the Board at its next meeting.

Supervisor Stevenson moved that the Board of Supervisors meet in joint session with the Board of Commissioners of Police Court Building Fund to hear the report of the Committee on Finance, Ways and Means, Police Court Building Fund.

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Ordinance

For the Regulation, Use and Government of the Parks, Squares, Avenues and Grounds in the City and County of San Francisco, Which Are Under the Exclusive Control and Management of the Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco.

THE PARK COMMISSIONERS OF the City and County of San Francisco do ordain as follows:

Section I. No horseless carriage, motor-wagon, motor-cycle or automobile shall enter or go upon any avenue, driveway, or part of any Park or Square in the City and County of San Francisco, except that driveway in Golden Gate Park commencing at the entrance known as "Waller Street Entrance" to said Park and terminating at the exit on the Great Highway (which latter is sometimes called the "Ocean Boulevard"), which driveway is known as the South Drive in Golden Gate Park; and also on and upon the said Great Highway commencing where the northerly line of Fulton street, if projected westerly, would intersect said Great Highway; thence southerly from said line to the southerly end of said Great Highway. Only such vehicles as are exclusively used for pleasure shall be permitted upon the said drives and highway.

Section II. Upon the straight portions of said driveways the speed of said vehicles shall not exceed ten miles per hour, and around the curves thereof this speed shall not exceed eight miles per hour, and upon the Great Highway, from the southerly line of Golden Gate Park where the northerly line of "JE" street if projected westerly would cross said Great Highway, to the point where if the northerly line of Fulton street was projected westerly it would cross said Great Highway, the speed shall not exceed [illegible] and upon such portions of said Great Highway as [illegible] the speed of said vehicles shall not exceed twelve miles per hour. All motor vehicles must be mufflers and every precaution shall be taken by the person or persons in charge or control of any of the vehicles hereinbefore mentioned to prevent said vehicles from making any unnecessary noise, or frightening any teams, horse or horses upon said Great Highway, or interfering with the rules and safe enjoyment of said Great Highway by any person or persons.

Section III. All automobiles operating under this ordinance shall have their permit number in the center of the front and back of the machine, the figures of such numbers not to be less than five inches in size.

Section IV. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by imprisonment in the County Jail of the City and County of San Francisco not exceeding six months, or by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars, not less than fifty dollars, or both.

Passed to print by the following vote: Ayes—President Sprockels, Commissioners Boyd, Alvarado, Hagen.

Excused from voting—Commissioner Sullivan.

JAS. de Fremery,
Secretary Park Commission.
Feb20 Pk

Communication received from Mr. Dunlop relative to Mr. Bell's intending Lime Kiln Speculation at Mount Louise

Read & filed.

Communication received from T. S. Brock Esq. Treasurer of the Township of Eramosa on the subject of Drainage & Ditches & Water Courses

Read & filed.

Petition of Hawke and others Inhabitants of the Township of Nassagaweya praying for the Erection of a Toll Gate on the Dundas & Guelph Road

Commissioners directed to proceed to Nassagaweya & report thereon.

Petition of Inhabitants of Township of Esquesing praying for the Erection of a Toll Gate on the Dundas & Guelph Road

Commissioners directed to proceed to Esquesing & report thereon.

Communication from T. S. Hayes Esq. enclosing
a petition of Co. Ratings Light Dauphin Co.
Lodge, requesting "to have street in suitable pal-
ace in the Park of Masonic & Templar Lodges
for the ensuing

Sub-Pro Tem was instructed to have
the same ready to make this display on the
Festival.

Communication from Chas. M. Burke regu-
lating the employment of P. M. Darrah as
a Janitor.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

Communication from D. P. Bleam offering
to sell a Musical Instrument.

Referred to Committee on Finance.

A letter of Light containing the thanks of the
Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania to the officers
and members of this Lodge who assisted in
the late Grand Festival was read.

Communication from the P.M.'s of this Lodge asking
that the Lodge room be closed on the
evening of the Festival of St. John the Evangelist
which was referred to the Committee on Rooms
with power to act.

Communication from Bro. Jacob Dull
asking that his name be stricken from the
roll of members of this Lodge, which was
referred to the Committee on Examination.

to be put in place of the Charter now in
the Lodge Room.

The Committee appointed to procure
music for the Grand Festival reported that
Grand Lodge Band was engaged to fur-
nish the music.

The Lodge was instructed to open at
[illegible] on the evening of the Festival
and to [illegible] the Lodge room for the
use of the Grand Lodge.

The Committee appointed to procure a
[illegible] reported that they had
secured [illegible]
Secretary [illegible]

The Committee appointed to procure
[illegible]
The report was received & the Committee
discharged.

Communication [illegible] that Companion
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]

[illegible]
Charles Lowe chosen Sec.
Petitioning for a half mile cycle track [illegible]
for horses and a field for Athletic sports be constructed in Jackson State Park.

Supt. McLean stated that the probable cost of the Bicycle track and Athletic field would be $20,000.

The commissioners thought they might stand $25,000 provided the school Board executive would with all others interested raise the other $25,000.

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[illegible] Stock & Home Collection,
[illegible] 1000 acres, the whole
[illegible] the park already [illegible]
[illegible] to the [illegible]

[illegible]

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd seconded and carried. Miss Hooper was formally tendered a vote of thanks for her services.

Vote of thanks was given Commissioner Lloyd for the liberal privilege granted Miss Hooper in allowing us the use taken by which the gift was made.

Supt. McLean made his report to the Board of the boys camp, recommending that the fees must not be changed as it ought to entice the poorer that they are used exercising by young and children. It was resolved that the remaining must be kept pasture.

Report received and recommendations adopted.

Other business [illegible]
[illegible] Board adjourned.

[illegible]
Sec.

He was instructed to apply to the Board of Supervisors for an architect for the City Hall.

Communication from T. J. Sutton informing the Park Commissioners of the expiration on March 28th of the insurance to keep for $2,000 on the Court House at Starkville.

Secty instructed to inform Mr Sutton that under the new Charter the Park Commissioners have no authority to insure any building in the Park.

Letter from J. Pittenger asking to Rent Lot corner of Main and Lafayette Sts. Commissioners decided not to rent.

of the State Board of Trade, Commissioner Thomas
[illegible] Commissioner from Mayor Schmitz to
[illegible] of said Fair.

The Secretary was instructed to read the [illegible]
ordered sold to the best advantage, and referred
the matter to Commissioner Thomas.

The [illegible] Petition asking permission to build
a bathhouse on the beach between the cliff
house & the bathing station to sell fruit.

Petition refused.

The [illegible] member of the board of
Fish Commissioners District of Pacific Coast
writing to buy some "Chinese Ducks".

Secty instructed to inform the Com. that we
had no Chinese Ducks for sale, and to refer
him to Chinese Vice Consul.

[illegible] requesting a Deed to Block [illegible]
[illegible] Commissioners [illegible]
[illegible] Deed [illegible]
[illegible] Deed [illegible]
[illegible] Deed [illegible]

[illegible] requesting a Deed to Block [illegible]
[illegible] Deed [illegible]

Trustees asking permission to erect a
platform on the East end side of the
Cliff House Grounds for the purpose of distributing mineral fruit
and flowers free to visiting visitors. Same in charge of the Grand Commandery of the State of California.

This request was taken under advisement to be acted upon at the next meeting of the Board.

The Board tendered a vote of Thanks to Commissioner Thomas for his suggestion about obtaining a collection of living specimens of the game of Great Britain & Ireland. Same to be placed in the Park.

There being no further business
the Board adjourned.

Secty

Our Mines Supt. Mr Ridge, writes, he has no more copies of the Report of the Board of Health that have not to our office.

Lyman Smith, Esq. Utica says.
It is a great pleasure to receive and read such a work. The subject matter is of a high order. The illustrations appropriate and elegant, and the general character of the work exceedingly helpful, as a view of our State permit me to congratulate you and Board on its production.

Superintendent Detroit Park Commissioners says. Your Report at hand, & wish to send a Report to you, it is a matter of Chas. and others to President & Vice of the Company owned & operated Superintendent H.D. Hawley.

Secretary instructed to send copies to said Parties.

Secretary was instructed to notify the Buffalo Gas Co. that the Board disallowed the Bill for Gas furnished the Park during the year 1870 & that the Secretary be instructed to draw a warrant in favor of said Co. for the amount of their Bill.

Secretary was instructed to write to the Buffalo Gas Co. requesting them to furnish the Park with Gas at the same rate as they furnish it to the City.

Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. Olmsted requesting him to attend the next meeting of the Board.

Seconded by Commissioner Sutherland.
Motion carried.

Commissioner Lloyd called attention to the unsafe condition of the fence on the north side of the Buffalo Cataract.

Subject instructed to have it in safe condition.

It being reported that one of the Engineers had been killed on a train, it was directed to have them kept in closed carriages.

Referred to Supt. Pres.

Police Office Commissioners reported as per bill. Ordered to Board after date Buffalo Gas Co.

Mr. Hall and Supt. Pres. being absent the Secretary was directed to draw orders for their salaries.

Commissioner Lloyd called attention to the necessity of the Board having a Seal. Secretary was instructed to procure a Seal.

Board adjourned.

[illegible] at the office of Commissioner Lloyd,
Tuesday 6th May, 1851 p.m.

Present,

Com's Lloyd.
" Sullivan
" Stevens
Lyons

absent Com's Sparks.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan, seconded by Commissioner Stevens, it was ordered, Commissioner Lloyd in the chair, Stevens.

Minutes of the previous meeting.

Read and confirmed

The Com's Clerk reported a bill found for road purposes of the Countries Sir Jeffreys [illegible]

Com's Clerk read [illegible]

[illegible] the report of Surveyor Kelly [illegible] Bridge [illegible] Bridge [illegible] Bridge

to notify the Gentlemen that we have a Quo.

Mr Levy P.R. Ryan without Clerk Board met pursuant to adjournment Park Commissioners Hyde Levy & P.H. Ryan present minutes were read & approved.

Read & filed.

The Secy Mutual Life Ins Co presenting for consideration the location of the Park & Ocean Boulevard

Referred to Comr Hyde

The Secy Pacific Improvement Co offering to buy 1000 feet of sand for the reclamation of 5 acres of timber each South.

Referred to Supt.

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The Secy of Superior Committee in charge of Lampoching the Grand California entertainment for the literary and musical exercises to be held this evening in honor of the Lampoching.

Secy instructed to return thanks of the Park Commission for the same.

The Secy Olympic Club requesting the use of the Speedway during the Olympic Games for the Decathlon Exercises.

Referred to Supt. & Comr.

Report of Secy of Pacific Coast Athletic Association that the total entries for the Olympic Games have been given to the Olympic Athletic Association.

Referred to Supt & Comr

Comr Francis Smith presenting for consideration a sample of sand from the Ocean Beach.

Referred to Supt & Comr.

Communication from C.D. Hunter requesting authority to erect two small frame buildings (for the use of) on the lot immediately overlooking the Ocean and near the South east end of Golden Gate Park. Said buildings are to be temporary, and are erected and required as a part of the defense scheme of San Francisco.

Permission granted and matter referred to Com Coffman & Supt McLaren.

Petition received from Foreman Gardners in Golden Gate Park asking for an increase of wages. Com Coffman endorsed the petition, and asked for a figure of an increase of 50 cents per day.

Supt McLaren said he was just in Discussion of Engineers Wages, scheduled by Coal Battleship & would like Gardners petition Golden Gate Park were increased 50 cents per day.

Com Coffman asking that should the Supt of Parks & Public Grounds be engaged during the Coffee & building be handed over to the Museum of the San Francisco Building to decorate said building &c.

Communication and matter ordered to be filed.

Petition from Mr Jensen asking that a Boston light be placed on the Corner of Fifth Ave & Point Lobos Ave.

Referred to Com Coffman & Supt McLaren.

Petition from Citizens asking that a Sewer be laid on Point Lobos Ave from 5th Ave to the Ocean.

Referred to Com Coffman.

Communication from Mrs Mary Foote asking that she be allowed to erect a Monument to the memory of her husband Capt Foote on the Cemetery Lot.

Refused, the matter of locating the Sewer on Fourth Ave between the City Cemetery and Point Lobos Ave to be left to the discretion of the Engineer.

Communication from Mr Hunter requesting that the City purchase Lot 1 in Block 1 of Outside Lands, and asking that if purchased by the City he be allowed to remove the building thereon.

Referred to Supt McLaren & Com Coffman to report at the next meeting.

Supt McLaren recommended that the Board advertise for bids to fill in Lots 1 & 2 in Block 1 of Outside Lands.

Recommendation adopted.

Communication from Mr Hunter requesting that he be allowed to erect a temporary building on the Ocean Beach near Golden Gate Park.

Referred to Supt McLaren

Park by the California State Floral Society
for the display of flowers and shrubs
Petition Filed.

Commissioner Lloyd recommended that Petition
accepted as Stevenson Street is found to be required
to enter the Park at the Fulton Street entrance
being north of Park & to Fulton Street & to
to Eighth Ave.

Action to be held until Petition Recorded and
Petitioner.

Clerk instructed to advertise for five thousand
(5,000) feet more or less of redwood four by twelve
inches & two thousand (2,000) feet more or less of
redwood one half (1/2) inch four by twelve inches.

Mr. Eugene Smith entered to the members of
the Board the petition of property owners fronting Point
Lobos Avenue between 7th Ave & 8th Ave for
the construction of a cement sidewalk on the
Southerly side of said Point Lobos Avenue.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Petition
be received and referred to the Superintendent
of Parks & Squares with instructions to report
at the next meeting.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Superintendent
be instructed to furnish to
Edward Vickery

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Superintendent be
instructed to furnish to Mrs. Ellen Sullivan
to be planted in front of her property on
Point Lobos Avenue between 7th Ave & 8th Ave
Carried.

Pacific Hardware & Steel Co
1000 feet 1/2 inch @ 11.75 per 100 ft
6000 " 2 " 10.15 " " "
1000 " 4 " 9.25 " " "

Judah Hinges & Co
1000 ft inch @ 2.50 per 100 ft.
4000 feet 2 inch 10 " " ft.
1000 " 4 inch 12.50 " " "

Jenkins Carriage & Harness Co
1000 feet 1 inch @ 2.75 per 100 ft.
4000 " 2 " 10.00 " " "
1000 " 4 " 12.50 " " "

Chas Day
1000 feet 1 inch @ 2.50 per 100 ft $ 25.00
500 " 2 " 10.00 " " 50.00
500 " 4 " 12.50 " " 62.50
Total $ 137.50

Upon the petition of property owners fronting
on Point Lobos Avenue between 7th Ave & 8th Ave
for the construction of a cement sidewalk on the
Southerly side of said Point Lobos Avenue
between said 7th Ave & 8th Ave

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Superintendent
be instructed to report at the next meeting
the cost of the construction of said sidewalk
and the number of feet thereof.
Carried.

Upon the petition of property owners fronting
on Point Lobos Avenue between 7th Ave & 8th Ave
for the construction of a cement sidewalk on the
Northerly side of said Point Lobos Avenue
between said 7th Ave & 8th Ave

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Superintendent
be instructed to report at the next meeting
the cost of the construction of said sidewalk
and the number of feet thereof.
Carried.

Commissioner Lloyd moved that the Superintendent
be instructed to report at the next meeting
the cost of the construction of a cement sidewalk
on the Southerly side of Point Lobos Avenue
between 7th Ave & 8th Ave
Carried.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office of Comr Lloyd on Monday Morning

Present
Comr Lloyd.
" Kinzer.
" Ottenheimer.
Absent " Sullivan.
Absent from the City.

On motion of Commissioner Kinzer, seconded by Commissioner Ottenheimer, Commissioner Lloyd was elected Chairman of the meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as corrected.

From the petitioning of Messrs Lloyd, Kinzer, Ottenheimer, Judge & Mate & Chairman of the Park Commissioners, to have the Park and the streets bounding the same graded, and to have a sufficient sum appropriated for that purpose, and upon the petition of Messrs Lloyd, Kinzer, Ottenheimer, Judge & Mate & Chairman of the Park Commissioners, to have the Park graded

On the matter of transferring the privilege of
Agent at Lindsay in the Estate of Celestial Nelson
to Irving Nelson her daughter.
Com Oldham moved that the transfer be allowed
seconded by Driggs and carried.

J. M. Wilson submitted his report for the month
of April showing 229 men employed.

Report from Indian Quarters for month of
April.
Read & filed.

Report from Johnson Bro. Barton month of
April.
Read & filed.

The Board of Provincial Agricultural Exhibition
having asked the Town Council to appoint
delegates to confer with them at a meeting
to be held at Toronto on the 9th inst
Com Oldham moved that Com Driggs
and Com Johnson be appointed
seconded by Com Johnson and carried.

Com Oldham moved seconded by Com Driggs
and carried that the Treasurer be instructed
to pay the Toronto Exhibition Association
the sum of $50.00 being the grant
voted.

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and carried that the Treasurer be instructed
to pay the Toronto Exhibition Association
the sum of $50.00 being the grant
voted.

Myers & Perry
Bid at three quarters 50/100 cents per sq foot.

Kerry & McHenry
Bid at one quarter 50/100 cent per sq foot

The City Street Improvement be given the
lowest responsible bidder, in spite of
Com Oldham's objection seconded by Com Driggs
Com Driggs & Carried. Com Oldham moved the
bid of Myers & Perry 3 quarters 50 per foot.

The following bids were received in answer to the
advertisement for 4 lots more.

Ontario Rubber Co.
Second quality rubber 3 cents per sq ft
One thick 75 best 50 cents per foot

Queen City Rubber Co.
One and one quarter thick 50 cents per sq ft
One thick 75 best 50 cents per foot

Pacific Coast Rubber Co.
Thickness not stated 50 cents per sq foot
One inch 1 dollar per foot

A. M. Rolling & Sons Co.
One foot one quarter thick 50 cents per sq foot
One inch 1 dollar per foot

Brown Rubber Co.
Second quality 3 cents per sq foot
One inch 75 cents per foot

Last Spark Rubber Co.
One and one quarter thick 50 cents per sq ft
One inch 75 cents per foot

South Boston Rubber Co.
One and one quarter (1¼) inch hose 17 cents per foot
One inch hose 14½ cents per foot.

Goodyear Rubber Co.
One and one quarter (1¼) inch hose 18 cents per fo-
One (1) inch hose 14 cents per foot.
These prices for special lots,
No label shall be found the prices are.
One and one quarter (1¼) inch hose 23 cents per foot
One (1) inch hose 17½ cents per foot.

Boston Rubber Co.
One and one quarter (1¼) inch hose 24 cents per fo
One (1) inch hose 18 cents per foot.

On motion of Commissioner Allyn the above and
foregoing bids
Rubber Co was awarded the contract for 3,000
feet more or less of one (1) inch hose at 12 cents
per foot.

[illegible]

On motion of Commissioner Allyn said
[illegible] the
[illegible]
[illegible]

Upon the leave of absence at full pay. Granted
by Commissioner Dingee.
Clerk directed accordingly

There being no further business the Board
adjourned.

Jas. O. Dingee
Secty.

A Regular meeting of the Park Commissioners of the City of Cincinnati held pursuant to adjournment on Friday May 24th 1861

At

Present

Commissioner Quigg
" Vogt
" Coffin
" Constantine
and the Clerk Robert Strakele.

On motion of Commissioner Vogt seconded by Commissioner Stevens Commissioner Quigg was elected Temporary Chairman.

The minutes of the previous meeting.
Read & approved

Communication from Mr. Hall relative to the Lease of Eden Park Reservoir to the Park Commissioners referred to Commissioner Stevens & Hall

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Vote read from Mr. Hall offering to complete Lease of Reservoir for ~~Eden Park~~ Mount Auburn Reservoir with Bonds

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[illegible] received from Adjutant J. K. Rebels
a copy of the Memorial Day Committee asking
that flowers be donated to decorate the
graves of our dead Soldiers.
Ordered to build Mr Green with
instructions that he donate all the flowers
desired.

The Hon. Keene Doble requesting that there
be left to him part of Short Creek, there
now exists and on the Decan Creek, and
that he be permitted to have nothing more
on the Creek, where he could charge tolls
or rents for bathing
Laid on file.

The request from H. S. Rebs to be allowed
to survey the Creek that he had a Clear
Lake for, was not to be granted to make a
Lake for the Co. Commissioners as to
the restriction.

Ordered Commissioners Office

Report from the Attorney stating [illegible]
[illegible] Ordered Commissioners Office

Ordered to Commissioners Office

Commissioner Boyd states that in pursuance of
an order of the Board of Equalization
[illegible] Ordered that he be allowed
[illegible] Commissioners for the purpose of the
Lake. Before the adjourn of the Board
Boyd be allowed his expenses to
[illegible] Commissioner Sutherland
[illegible] Ordered Commissioners Office

Commissioner [illegible] Ordered Commissioners
[illegible] Ordered Commissioners Office

said Bond [illegible] and that they immediately commence the work of building said track when the citizens contribute, and there [illegible] Bank subject to the order of the Supervisors the $20,000 promised by the citizens requisite to executing the bonds originally offered for that purpose and entirely independent

[illegible] these circular letters were mailed by the Secretary [illegible] and the Secretary was directed to take action in the matter [illegible]

Supervisor [illegible] offered the following Resolution and moved its adoption, to wit: [illegible]

[illegible] Supervisor [illegible] moved that the Board do now adjourn which motion prevailed and the Board accordingly adjourned.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] pursuant to adjournment and was called to order by the Chairman.

Present:

[illegible]

Absent [illegible]

On motion of Supervisor [illegible] duly seconded by Supervisor [illegible] the Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Petition of [illegible] and others praying for the [illegible] was presented and read.

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Petition for the [illegible]

the Postmaster Victoria asking for information relative to the Postage on Newspapers sent from the United States to Victoria.

Ordered that the Postmaster be informed that the Postage on Newspapers sent from the United States to Victoria is Two Cents each.

Letter from Mr. Wm. Hall Jr.

missioners for their promise to send photographs
of the Lighting rope.
Read and filed.

Communication from H.D. Saville Chief Engineer
of the Park Water Works, recommending that
applications of removals of Automobile Security
steel for the Park, be made to him personally by the
applicant, and that a charge of fifty cents or
One Dollar be made for the labor.

Moved by Mr Wolle to refer communication from
the Engineer of the Water Works to the
Attorney for his opinion & that
pending the Park Regulations should be made
to the Park Commissioners.

Letter from H.W. Lodge offering to sell a large
Lion Skin for the sum of $100.00 was received
& filed.

Moved & seconded to refer Mr Lodge that
the Regulations of the Park Board will not allow
the purchase of specimens of the game animals
but the Commissioners thanks for the offer.

Letter from Keith Wood of the South Park Hotel
Co. tendering use of the auditorium for
Concerts.

Moved & seconded that the
Secretary report that inability
of the Commissioners to accept
the offer, that it
cannot be used for Concerts.

Application of Mrs Coffman & the Mammal Museum
Association for the purchase of Lay of eight
Dollars per Month with other words
Commissioners Board moved to increase Lay
$2500 per month to $3500 per month. Seconded
by Commissioner Attwood and carried.

Letter from H. Earl Cummings, Secretary
Donations to the Park Museum the gift of
Elk Head & "Two Bears" were on exhibition at
the Park Museum. Moving Commissioners Place on
exhibition at the Paris Exposition in 1900.

Motion carried with thanks to the Donors
to Mr Cummings by the Board.

Application of [illegible] to purchase Lion
Cub. Secretary directed to advise [illegible]
referred to Park Engineer & Supt.

Mr. C.E. Goodell representing the Colorado
Interurban Railway Co. that the Company
desires to [illegible]
[illegible]
[illegible]
[

by Commissioner Abrams and carried. The outfit of the Chukchee Quarters was authorized to procure larger Coffee boilers.

Letter Supt Clay was instructed to prevent the water from the drinking fountain at the Chinese Quarters from flooding all over the basement

Upon motion of Commissioner Dinges, duly seconded and carried, the matron was instructed to furnish assistant Japanese Janitors.

Upon the request of Supt Clay the Board adjourned to visit the Chinese Quarters, with a view of locating the proposed new Chinese Quarters, and to view such a site, &c.

[illegible] the Board [illegible] the drinking fountain [illegible] Commissioner [illegible] the [illegible] instructions [illegible]

[illegible] would therefore move its acceptance by the Board, and that a warrant be issued out by the Secty for its payment.

Motion seconded by Com Kidd and carried.

Supt Clay presented an estimate regarding certain [illegible] before acted by the Board, but not received since the new Master, Mr Lindsay, assumed [illegible] in accordance with a provision of the new Charter.

After hearing a further discussion before the Board it was ordered that the matter be referred to the Finance Committee.

Secty pro Kem

A regular meeting of the Park Com'rs held in the office of Com'r Boyd, Alcazar Block San Francisco

Present.

Com'rs (Boyd)
" Deigee.
" Altmann.
" Sullivan.
" Sparks.

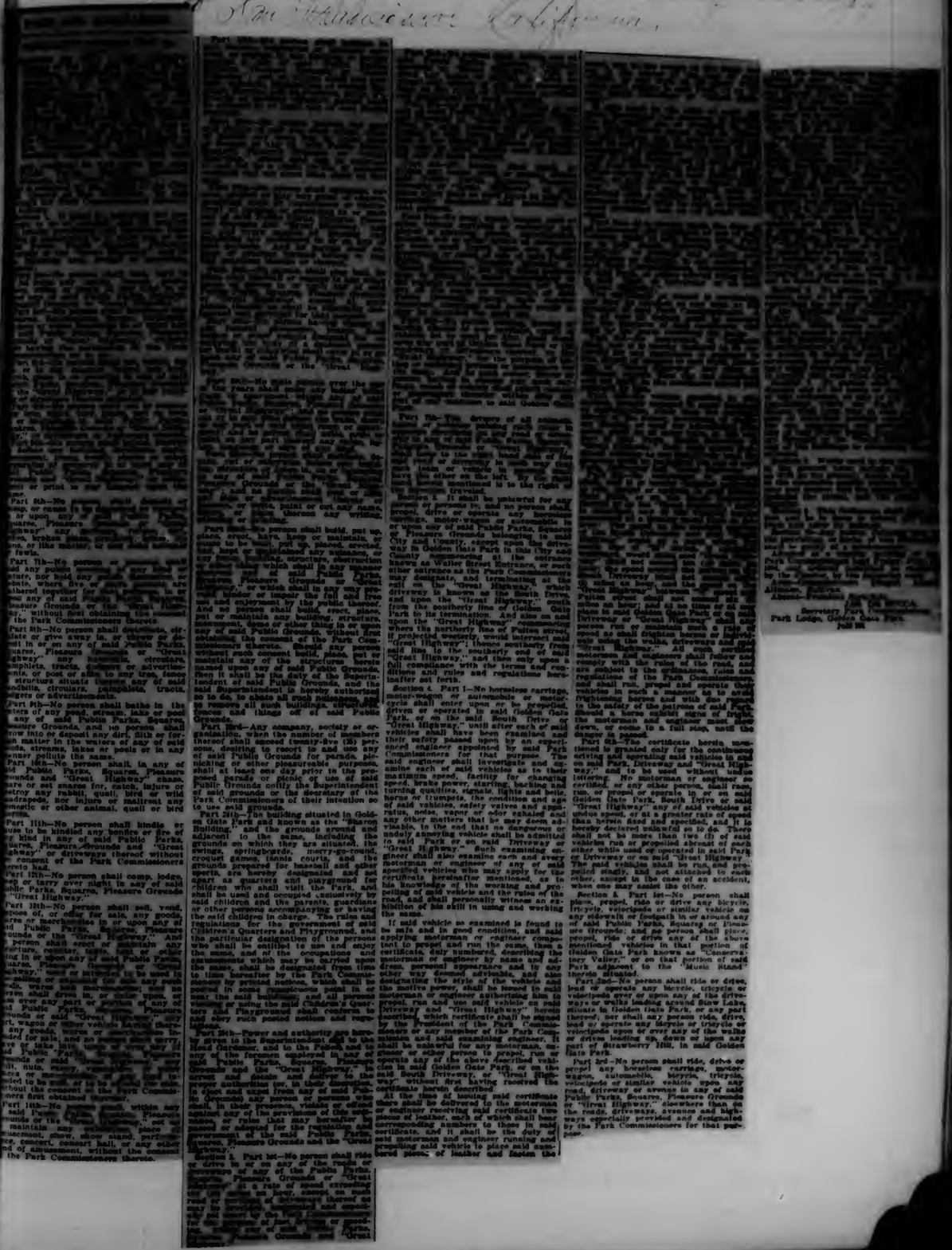
Absent on leave

On motion of Com'r Boyd duly seconded and carried, Com'r Deigee was elected chairman of the meeting.

Minutes of the former meeting were read and adopted.

Communication from the Supervisors Board of Supervisors & Mayor, the Park Commissioners to put the electric cigarette machines in the Park for sale, the term being limited to the time elapsing between the date of the ordinance granting the privilege and the 1st day of January 1900, the machines to be placed under the supervision of the Park Commissioners, and the privilege granted to the highest bidder, the minimum bid to be $25.00 per month, payable in advance, the bidder to furnish a bond in the sum of $1000 with two sureties to be approved by the Board, the bond to be conditioned for the faithful performance of the terms of the ordinance, and the bidder to pay for the publication of the notice inviting bids, was received and ordered filed.

Ordered advertised and published for two days in the Daily Report the official paper of the City & County of San Francisco, California.



Part 9th—No person shall bathe in the waters of any pond, stream, lake or pool in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds, and no person shall throw into or deposit any dirt, filth or foreign matter in the waters of any of said ponds, streams, lakes or pools or in any manner pollute the same.

Part 10th—No person shall, in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway" purchase, lay or set snares for, catch, injure or destroy any rabbit, quail, bird or wild animal, nor injure or maltreat any domestic or other animal, quail or bird

Part 11th—No person shall kindle or cause to be kindled any bonfire or fire of any kind in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and "Great Highway" or driveways thereof without the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto had.

Part 12th—No person shall camp, lodge, or tarry over night in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 13th—No person shall sell, vend, expose of, or offer for sale, any goods, wares or merchandise in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway." And no person shall erect or maintain any structure, repeater, tents, booths or other thing in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or said "Great Highway" for any purpose whatever or interests to be used in connection with the sale of any goods, wares or merchandise, without the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto had.

Part 14th—No person, within any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or the "Great Highway," set up or maintain any [illegible] amusement, show, show stand, performance, concert, concert hall, or any other kind of amusement, without the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto.

Part 15th—No person shall build, set up, place, erect, have, keep or maintain, or cause to be built, set up, placed, erected, kept or maintained any audience, or other platform, obstruction or structure in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," or which shall in any way interfere with the full and free use thereof by the public thereon. And no person shall build, erect, set, post or maintain any building, structure, fence, railing or inclosure in or upon any of said Public Grounds, without first obtaining the consent of the Park Commissioners thereto, and no person shall, without such consent build, place, set or maintain any of the structures herein mentioned. And the Superintendent is hereby authorized so to do, to abate all such nuisances, and to remove all such buildings, structures, fences and the like from any of said Public Grounds.

Part 16th—Any company, society or organization, when the number of members thereof shall exceed twenty-five (25) persons, desiring to resort to and use any of said Public Grounds for parade, picnicking or other pleasureable purposes, shall at least one day prior to the proposed parade or picnic or use of said Public Grounds notify the Superintendent of said grounds or the Secretary of the Park Commissioners of their intention so to use said grounds.

Part 17th—The building situated in Golden Gate Park and known as the "Sharon Building," and the grounds around and adjacent to the same, including the grounds on which they are situated, the swings, springboards, merry-go-round, croquet games, tennis courts, and other grounds prepared for baseball and other sports, are hereby designated and set apart as sports and playground for children who shall visit the Park, and shall be used and occupied exclusively by said children and the parents, guardians or other persons accompanying or having the said children in charge. The rules and regulations for the government of said Children's Quarters and Playground, and the particular designation of the persons who shall be entitled to use and enjoy the same, and of the occupations and amusements which may be carried on thereon, shall be designated from time to time hereafter by the Park Commissioners by printed notices, which shall be posted in some conspicuous point in or near the said building and all persons using or visiting the said Children's Quarters and Playground shall conform to and obey such posted notices and regulations.

Part 18th—Power and authority are hereby given to the Superintendent and to the Park Policemen, and to the Foremen of any of the foremen employed in any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and the "Great Highway," to arrest and detain and deliver to the proper authorities for in that behalf provided any person or persons who shall be found violating any of the provisions of the ordinances or rules that may hereafter be passed or adopted for the regulation and government of the said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds and the "Great Highway."

Part 19th—Part 1st—No person shall ride or drive in or on any of the roads or driveways of any of the Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding eight miles an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be specially set apart by the Superintendent of said Parks, or Pleasure Grounds or "Great

Part 2nd—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding eight miles an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be specially set apart by the Superintendent of said Parks, or Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" for fast driving, and notice thereof given by proper notices posted up at the entrances thereto.

Part 3rd—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding four miles an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be specially set apart by the Superintendent of said Parks, or Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" for moderate driving, and notice thereof given by proper notices posted up at the entrances thereto.

Part 4th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding two miles an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be specially set apart by the Superintendent of said Parks, or Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" for slow driving, and notice thereof given by proper notices posted up at the entrances thereto.

Part 5th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at a rate of speed exceeding one mile an hour, except on such road or portions of driveways thereof as may be specially set apart by the Superintendent of said Parks, or Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" for walking, and notice thereof given by proper notices posted up at the entrances thereto.

Part 6th—No person shall, except in cases of accident, when one may assist the other, ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" at any other than a walk.

Part 7th—No person or persons shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" except in the direction of the flow of traffic, that is to say, all persons riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" shall keep to the right hand side of the road, driveway or "Great Highway" and shall turn to the right hand side of the road, driveway or "Great Highway" when meeting any other person or persons riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway," and all persons riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" shall keep to the right hand side of the road, driveway or "Great Highway" when passing any other person or persons riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 8th—No person shall, except in cases of accident, when one may assist the other, ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" any distance, or for any time, without turning rein, or stopping such horse or horses, bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, when requested so to do by any person riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 9th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" in such a manner as to obstruct the free passage of any road, driveway or "Great Highway" within any of said Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 10th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" in such a manner as to endanger the life or limb of any person riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 11th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" in such a manner as to frighten any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

Part 12th—No person shall ride or drive any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" in such a manner as to frighten any horse or horses attached to any vehicle or conveyance of any kind or description, or any bicycle, tricycle, velocipede or other vehicle propelled by human power, in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway" in such a manner as to endanger the life or limb of any person riding or driving in or upon any of said Public Parks, Squares, Pleasure Grounds or "Great Highway."

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On motion duly seconded and carried Chief Engineer Neville was reappointed Engineer Engineer to examine applicants for Automobile permits in Cobden Gath Wk.

Permission was granted W.D. Smith to poison fruit trees to Joseph Kelly.

A vote of thanks was tendered Judge Murphy for the time he was acting Chairman of this Board.

The Secretary Judge Murphy then announced he was ready to accept the tenders of the Sons. Judge Cooley obtained the unanimous consent of the members present to the Secretary reading the tenders received.

Moved by Mr. Smith that the tender of Jas. Hill be accepted and the seal of this Board affixed thereto.

Moved by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Hill that the Secretary be instructed to have the Clerk's salaries increased by $100.00 per annum

Robert Jones Professor Stryker of the Astronomical Observatory to be present at the Museum on the Park and report to Com Attorney.

Communication from Davis and Co of Oakland & G in favoring the Park Commission that the City of San Francisco for the library purposes land left that city for U.S. June 1866.

Read and filed.

Letter from J.J.G. Wilson presenting bill presented by Knight Templars. Authorizing the Park Commissioners the privilege of the Park Base Ball grounds to drill on.

Read & filed.

The Com J.C. O'Connor Financial Secretary of the Board of Fire Wards Committee, introducing an ordinance to the Park Commissioners to petition to the Board of Supervisors to provide for the Fire Engines &c.

Communication from C. Chas Engineer of Sutro Improvement Co. thanking the Park Commissioners for the many courtesies received, & offering an invitation to them to attend the banquet to be given by the citizens of San Francisco to the Hon. Wm. M. Stewart on the 14th inst.

Read & filed

[illegible] Commissioner Thomas stated that he had a talk with the Japanese in charge of the Japanese Tea Garden, in pursuance of which he would promise that the ground should be enclosed in a movement to be in the least objectionable appearance of the Tea House.

Acting Supt. H. Thomas was instructed to obtain the Contract of the Superintendent of Building & Repairs for the erection of the Fire Posts, according to the design submitted by Engineer Thomas, and to report at the next Meeting.

Com Thomas reported from J. Thomas, Keeper of Museum at Sutro Park, that the Park Commissioners [illegible] the Museum is open for visitors on Sundays from 1 to 5 P.M. and on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. and that the Museum is closed on Mondays.

Acting Supt. Thomas was instructed to obtain the Key, & to open the Museum on Monday.

Communication from Engineer Smith [illegible] the Park, in charge of [illegible] Park, in which he states that the water [illegible] Park Commissioners Thomas was instructed to [illegible]

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On the report of Commissioner Lloyd Mr. Brand appointed Messenger Pilot to see that the [illegible] was not blocked to reach the wreck Upward to Pilot Service for use exclusively by that officers and crew of this vessel and the [illegible] [illegible]

Acting Pilot Clary was appointed to take charge to Pilot Schooner from entering the [illegible] Bar Light at night and [illegible] by which Commissioner Chapman [illegible] [illegible]

The following bills were received & [illegible]

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[illegible] [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible]
[

Bid of Hoffer & Jennings.

100 pounds of flour, retail, difference between [illegible]
[illegible] per pound
500 lbs white cane sugar $2.00 per 100 lbs.
200 " fine granulated sugar, best white
in bbls $3.60 per 100 lbs.
50 lbs Standard sugar cured white ribbed
hams, per lbs $0.12½
200 lbs Coffee Rosted & ground mixed to be sample
A. 00 per lbs 25 cents
Y. 00 " " 20 "
Z. 00 " " 17 "
300 lbs Star Lilly Flour & Peerless unbleached spring Wheat
to be made of Red Star per bbl $5.25 cents.
" Imperial " " $5.00 "
" " " " $4.75 "

Bid of [illegible] Brown & Co

Granulated sugar in bbls $5.55 per 100 lbs
" " " Bags $5.55 " " "
Cube sugar in bbls $5.80 " " "
Standard " " " for 5 cts per lbs.
Fine powdered " " 5 " "
Best Java & Mocha Coffee 35 " "
Best " " 25 " "
Best Rice 10 lbs for 50 cts

[illegible] John Robbins

[illegible] per lbs $0.12½
" " " 10 cents per lbs
Granulated sugar per lbs 5½ cents per lbs
" " " 5¾ " " "
[illegible] per lbs 25 cents per lbs.
" " " 20 "
" " " 17 "
" " " 15 "
" " " 12½ "

Bid of Brewer & Co

200 lbs best quality pickled pork
without lard, Pike Island, per lbs $10.00
200 lbs best quality pickled pork fine cut lard
Pike Island per lbs $10.00
200 sacks best quality pickled pork fine cut lard
Pike per lbs $9.75
1200 sacks best quality pickled pork fine cut lard
Pike per lbs $9.75
100 sacks best quality pickled pork fine cut lard
Pike per lbs $9.75
Cabbage $1.00

Bid of H. K. Brewer & Co.

200 lbs best quality pickled pork fine cut lard per lbs $10.00
200 lbs extra quality " " " " " " $10.00
Cabbage $1.00

Bid of [illegible]

Fresh Beef [illegible] $0.12½
Veal " " " $0.12½
Mutton " " $0.12½
Ham " " $0.12½
Salt Pork " " $0.12½
Lard " " " $0.10
Cabbage each $0.10

For Printing and Stationery being the lowest responsible bidder for supplies advertised for. On portion of Commissioners' Returns awarded by Commissioner Sharpe and Burial.

Hy. Carleton was awarded the contract for Coal @ 2.20 cents per bbl.

Foster & Jennings was awarded the contract for Coal @ .53 cents & 50 cts per bbl.

Wm Rothschild & Co was awarded the contract for all the supplies [illegible] for the [illegible] Poor.

[illegible] the following named persons [illegible] for [illegible] Poor.

[illegible] Foster & Jennings [illegible] cords of [illegible] @ $1.15 per cord.
[illegible] Hickson " " " " " " " "
Wm Rothschild & Co 25 " " " " " " "

[illegible] Jennings was awarded the contract for-
[illegible] Hay @ $ 11 per ton
[illegible] " " " "
[illegible] " " " "
[illegible] " " "
[illegible] " " "

[illegible] was awarded the contract for
[illegible] per ton.

[illegible] Supplies [illegible] the
[illegible] Poor [illegible]

Wm Sharp
Supt Alms House

At a regular meeting of the Board of Poor Commissioners, held at the Alms House Commissioners Office on the fourth Monday June 22nd

Present Hon. Frank Coates Esqr.
" Wm Evans.
" Wm Sharp.
Absent or Excused Mr. Hunt " Mr. Lukens.

On motion of Commissioner Evans seconded by Commissioner Wm Evans Esqr. [illegible] Poor [illegible] of the Alms House.

[illegible] of the Treasurer [illegible] Poor [illegible]

[illegible] Commissioner Evans Visitor of the Female Department [illegible] Monthly Visit [illegible] Poor [illegible] Alms House.

[illegible] contract [illegible]

[illegible]

of the Park Commission.

Communication from Chief Pettibone Chief of Police Detroit
Mich enclosing a letter from W. L. Smith Chief of
Police of Detroit in which Mr Scott informs
the Chief of Police that in extending the Police
grounds out to the Park it will be very difficult
to patrol the work on the road south of the Park
and he would respectfully request that Commission
be given the control of this Department to give
the South Boys for the Park from 4th to
to the Canoe Rookery.
Request granted to continue only at the pleasure
of the Board.

Communication from W. A. Hamm Agent of the
Detroit Post Office calling attention of the Park
Commission to the unsightly condition of the Woods
in the Park in the Second District Improve-
ment that the trees were being broken, and destroyed at
the Entrance of the Park.
Ordered that we issue the following Notice
to the Press.

It was the opinion of the Board that the
trees had already been planted, and the Secty
was instructed to notify Mr Hamm to that
effect.

Permission was granted to Chief Engineer Smith
to remove the Remains of D. S. Baker Jr.

Communication from Mr Hamm addressed to Commissioner
Lowe, requesting the Board to secure an
Office at the Park Entrance for the Detroit
Police to be stationed in the Park.

On Motion Ordered that the Secty be instructed
to notify Mr Hamm that the Board
cannot grant the request.

under said law was being violated.

Mr Campbell of the Derry side, in reference to the unlawful use of the road at which Butchers were [illegible] on the "Flat Holloway" was heard that Inspector Corbett be directed from attending to the good laws and work with Police and Police Officer Corbett was instructed that if the club which he represented would obtain possession of the premises who would be willing to [illegible] and [illegible] him at that with Police authority to arrest all violators of existing ordinances.

Mr Campbell [illegible] to bring the subject before the Board Mr Campbell said the club desired that [illegible] and also that an entrance to the park be made at [illegible]

[illegible] were taken under advisement by the Board.

[illegible] Mr Campbell [illegible] before the Board and upon [illegible] that Inspector be directed [illegible] to the park [illegible] to [illegible] Mr Campbell [illegible] that [illegible] to the Centre. Saying [illegible] upon motion that nothing [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] Petition of [illegible] for an increase in their wages of 25 cents per day.

Ordered that the Petition be referred to the Committee on Claims.

All members of the Commission in charge the Lands of the Federal Government of Dubuque from the U.S. and appointed Superintendents to confer with the Com. but before any further action was taken the Com. desired to know the opinions of the citizens, said to be in the hands of Com'r Sullivan, upon which it was ordered on motion that the Com. [illegible] Petitions be presented to the Council by Capt. Langworthy [illegible] Petition of Citizens, asking for the [illegible] of the Levee [illegible] Petitions were presented

A Special regular meeting of the Park Com
met at the office of Com Log Jones Friday the
[illegible] inst.

Present
Com Page.
" Dinges
" Engelmann
" Jennings
" Strodtz

Absent Com Strodtz

Com Engelmann the only absentee excused
Excused the absence of Commissioner Park
Engelmann not for the undersigned time of adjournment.

Communication from Com Engelmann stating
that he was unable to be present at the meeting
of the Park Com.

Com Jennings offered the following resolution
which was seconded by Com Dinges, whereupon
the Chair declared it to be the order of the
Board, to wit:

Resolved that the Secretary of the Park Com
be and he is hereby instructed to notify the
Superintendent of Public Works that the Park Com
will be ready to receive the Park on the 1st day
of May 1888 and that the Superintendent of Public
Works be requested to have the Park in order
for the reception of the Park Com on that day.

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on that day.

Communication from Supt of Public Works
informing the Park Com that he [illegible] not
Superintendent the [illegible] for [illegible]
on the "L" [illegible] Station at the [illegible] of the Park
and that [illegible] Lewis from [illegible] with [illegible]
men, and [illegible] [illegible] for
Read & filed.

A motion being duly [illegible] and
[illegible] to the Secretary [illegible] was
[illegible]

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was seconded by Com Dinges, whereupon the
Park Com [illegible] to [illegible] by
the Fire Com that [illegible] be [illegible]
[illegible] from [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] as soon as [illegible] [illegible] for the same
[illegible].

Read & filed.

Costs of [illegible] were [illegible] the [illegible] for
the 200 feet of [illegible].

Communication from [illegible] [illegible]
were [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] upon the [illegible] [illegible]
[illegible] [illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible]

By [illegible] duly [illegible] the [illegible]
[illegible] and [illegible] to [illegible]
[illegible] the Park Com [illegible]

Chief Engineer Smith reported that the Recorders Commission is again in good working order.

Acting Asst Engineer reported that the new pick tubes have exhibited due symptoms to the Park Commissioners that the Park Board should not be charged with the use of it cannot be used more than once. The Jersey are instructed to inform the Supervisor Engr. that further trial is deemed unnecessary at present.

Engineer Lloyd reported that after the usual inspection he was of opinion that the Engineers Office in the Park should be removed if more convenient, at least until the Park Commissioners should require that building for the location of Fire Alarm Telegraph.

Engineer Lloyd called the attention of the Commissioners to the necessity of repairing the roof of the Engine House in the Park, reported by the Engineer of the Park Commissioners, and directed by the Board to the Engineer of the Fire Department.

Engineer Lloyd reported that the Engineer of the Park Commissioners had been directed to remove the Engine House from the Park to the corner of 5th and Chestnut streets.

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Professor Drake read his report of donations to the Museum, being worth $ 7 dollars.

Referred to the Com. Proceedings.

Com. Cummings moved the meeting lay changed to be held first Wednesday in March. On motion of Com. Morse seconded by Cummings unanimously adopted. Meeting was adjourned, at the time prescribed by the By Laws (at 8 P.M.)

There being no further business the Commission adjourned.

(Wm. Simons)
(Secty.)

Referred to Supt. 11th Dist. with instruction to
make change.

Thomas Lloyd elevated the keeping out of Jacob
Jacobs W. D. Park.
Referred to Supt. 11th Dist.

The Secty reported the death of Mr Jacob Hitner
member of the Baltimore Station of the Baltimore
Conference, & also intimations as to the future con-
nection of the Methodists as the formally divided
the church into the Northern & Southern
Conferences.

On motion of Commissioners it was resolved that
Commissioners Cummings and Arnold, the Secty
was instructed to obtain a stamp for the
Seal of the Board & the Secretary and Finan-
cial Secretary be appointed a Committee to
procure the same.

On motion of Mr Cummings the Baltimore Station
be transferred to the Upper

At a meeting of the Park Commission held at
the Office of the Secretary of the Board
Oct 11th 1861.

Present
Mr Paul Hayden
Thos Symmes
" Cummings
Edward " Lloyd
" " Coleman

Upon motion of Mr Hayden it was
ordered that the Secretary be directed
to advertise for proposals for the
keeping of the Parks during the ensuing
year the keeping to commence on the
1st day of November next

Mr Hayden presented a plan of the
Park grounds, which was approved
and adopted.

Mr Hayden reported that he had

I return Specimens of Reptiles collected by D. H. Dunn during his late time on the Isthmus of Darien, insects, shells, seeds, &c books etc. The price asked for this collection is $20.00

Commissioner Cumming moved that $20.00 be appropriated for the collection, according Commissioner Dunn's recommendation.

Referred to Commissioner Cumming.

Report of Officers Quarters and Prisons to Guam for the Month of Sept.

Read and filed.

Communication from Lt. Comm. President Naval Examining Board, San Francisco, Cal. transmitting report of Board in case of Asst. Surgeon Edward Kershner, U.S.N. and recommending that he be ordered to the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. for treatment.

Read and filed.

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Read and filed.

Communication from Maryland Association against consumption in reference to the Organization of a branch Association in this city. The Secretary to be instructed to inform the Association that the Navy Department is in sympathy with the movement, but unable to contribute financially to its support.

Communication from Asst. Surgeon [illegible] U.S.N. forwarding report of Examining Board, San Francisco, Cal. in case of Chief Boatswain's Mate [illegible] U.S.N. and recommending that he be ordered to the Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal. for treatment.

Read and filed.

[illegible] have permits be permitted to use the [illegible] time from 10th am to Lehman street on Sunday Oct 25th
Permission Refused.

Communication from Mr Romaine asking that Simon be given Miss Ruth Romaine to be held at Lebanon for the benefit of a free bed in the new Lebanon Hospital.

Referred to Supt Mr Karan.

Mr E Brandt having left the Department, asked to have his resignation accepted.

It was so ordered.

Mr [illegible] for the privilege of [illegible] ... Lehman street ... Sunday ... Oct 25th ... The Secretary was instructed to advertise for sealed bids for the privilege, for the Season of 1914 on the usual terms.

Mr Brennan further reported that [illegible]

Board of Park Commissioners.

At a meeting of the Park Commissioners held in the office of Supt Parks & Public Property, City Hall, on Oct 28th 1914.

Present
Commissioner Stoppels
" Romaine
" Kirk
" Brandt

Minutes of the last meeting.
Read and Approved.

Report of receipts from Supt of Parks to the Treasurer.
Referred to Treasurer and Comptroller.

[illegible]

[illegible]

Motion of Com Sullivan, seconded by Com Cummings
The award of contract was deferred pending an investigation into the responsibility of the firm of
Quick & Son, which was reported to Supt M. of Nav.
of said firm is
and found to be responsible, they are to be given
the contract, and the Secty stands instructed to notify
the Quick Bros. of the Award, when notified to
do so by the Supt. - Motion carried.

Supt. McLaren reported that the Warrants presented
to the Clerk by President K.E. Brooks had arrived
safe and sound.

On motion of Commissioner Sullivan, seconded by
Commissioner Cummings, and carried, the rules
were ordered from the Museum.
Referred to Commissioner

The request of E.E. Pridemore to have moving
picture at the Rink Exhibition on Sat. be changed
to Monday was referred to Supt M. Laren.

On the suggestion of President Brooks
that it was time to begin to consider the
requirements and wherein to distribute the
different Park moneys, both of last and
this Fiscal Year, the necessary Petitions which
were to be signed by Com Cummings, Sullivan,
and the President, instructed to ask the
necessary Ordinances for their further distribution.

The Clerk was instructed to notify the Board
Department to put up notices that nothing the
Park was allowed there to be done - to prevent
water from flowing over the Park, and that
the Clerk would not be responsible for damages
to anybody, and not be liable on the Insurance
Policy in case of fire, if there was
[illegible]

a right of way and in consequence had its case against the Municipal Corporation for financial relief towards laying the Victoria Mill.

Referred to Sheriff McLaren.

Requests were made for the reissue of permits in the following licenses which had been lost or destroyed. 2d Council #289. C. Rawlings #442. C.O. Mitchell #295. C.E. Hall #296. W.H. Earle #509. J.P. Boyd #1 Hotel Vincent #1.

Request refused in each and every case except in the case of the Park Commissioner Vincent, attested by a notary public, stating that said permit is lost that diligent search has been made for the same, but it cannot be found, that upon the notary is authorized to issue a duplicate of the said permit and license. This duplicate to be strictly confined to all persons complying to and with this permit.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Communication from J.P. Hamilton relative to Engineer Gzowski to Sheriff McLaren's statement of the origin of the second contract made by the Great Western.

Mr. Hamilton says that ordinance 39 of the Board of Police giving Second Damages will not have any bearing on the purchase of property for opening Richmond Street, but only to the extent of the value. The whole question will depend on the evidence adduced and the Jury will have their verdict.

Letter from Mayor of Galt enclosing Petition that Mr. Carter be appointed Engineer of the Grand Trunk Railway. Petition received and filed. Mr. Carter's name will be recommended for the appointment.

Letter

[illegible]

Commissioners Jennings & Stuart were appointed a committee to attend to the grading and tiling.

Leave of absence was ordered to Mr. Ward for the day & evening.

Mr. Benjamin Engelbrecht on behalf of the Board of Education, presented plans for the proposed addition at the rear of the present school house on Pine Lane and for which proposals had been advertised for the Commissioners meeting that was called for the consideration of the Board of Education.

On motion of Commissioner Dunn it was ordered by Commissioners Jennings & Stuart that both plans be accepted.

Commissioner Dunn moved that the plan submitted by Mr. Engelbrecht be adopted.

Commissioner Dunn moved that the bills be audited & paid as presented.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the office in Prescott Block on Market Street Friday December 2nd.

and objects which they have in view
(Rec'd and filed.

Communication from Hon. Aaron Trowbridge, U.S. Marshal for the District of California, relative to the Marshal's fees.

Read and filed.

Communication from Hon. Aaron Trowbridge, relative to the erection of a new State Prison.

Referred to the Committee on Prisons.

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Read and filed.

Communication from Hon. Thos. H. Hayes, relative to a gift to the Library of California, of a collection of Fine Arts.

On motion, the Secretary was directed to send a letter of thanks to the donor.

Communication from Hon. Aaron Trowbridge, relative to the erection of a State Prison.

Referred to Committee on Prisons.

Account

Mr. Dawson

Debate over decision on Quebec

Lost articles

Mr. Dawson

Decision of the Council

Feb 1905

Friday Feb 3-1905.

Present.

President Storckels.

Chief Clerk Lloyd.

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"

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Absent.

Meeting called to order by President Storckels.

Communications from Lewis Travelers Aid Society, thanking Council for appropriation of $50.00 for the relief of destitute persons, and stating that the same has been expended.

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March 8/16

At a regular meeting of the Bank Commissioners held in the Odeon Hotel, Friday March 8th

Were present.

President Strachan
Comm. Lloyd.
" Cunningham.
" Jones.
" Horton.

[illegible] regular meeting.
[illegible]

Of a regular meeting of the Park Commission held Friday March 7th 1902 at the Palace Hotel.

Were present.
Commr Lloyd.
" Dinger.
" Cummings.
Hetson.
Absent President Sprecker.

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd seconded by Commissioner Dinger and carried, Commissioner Hetson was unanimously elected chairman of the meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting.
Read and approved.

Report of Supt McLaren for the month of March was read and the recommendations to advertise for sealed proposals for water pipes to be constructed across the South Drive at Stanyan St to cross the rail-road across the Park at that point, so that fresh sprinkling may be given to the entire roadway, was approved.

Reports from Engineer Tabrisky and Engineer Conlon for the month of March were referred to Commissioner Cummings.

Petition of Children Teachers and Citizens for Garden [illegible]

Communication from S.F. Yacht Captains Co #475 North Beach requesting permission to drill his Co of 16 men in the Park Cycle on each Sunday morning between nine and twelve o'clock A.M. Commissioner Lloyd believing that such a privilege was against

the provisions of the Charter the request was refused.

Communication from Eugene Kelleman President Mission Park Association stating that the Mission Park Association committee had waited on the finance committee of the Board of Supervisors and had been promised that the Park Appropriation would be made the full amount recommended by the Chamber of Commerce. Read and filed.

Communication from California Council Daughters of Veterans asking that the ordinance be passed in the Park on or before June 1902 by which trees will be protected in Golden Gate Park between the 3rd and 4th of June.

Referred to Supt McLaren with order to comply with the request.

Communication from Mrs. M. Stubbs offering to sell for $100 a certain [illegible]

Communication from Supervisor Lundy asking that the Park Commissioners [illegible] Hall of Justice [illegible] March 15th 1902 to be removed on account of the [illegible] of the Monument.

Communication from [illegible] Baker asking for [illegible]

Referred to Supt McLaren

J. Kelso

Communication from John Kelso asking permission to remove good clean material from a lot (known as lot) on the North side of Ellis st now known as Mission Cave.

Referred to Supt Mc Laren.

Mrs Dennis

Communication from Mrs S. Dennis asking for charity for the children. Home on Franklin st corner Geary st.

Referred to Supt Mc Laren.

Insurance

Communication from Curtis & Merrill submitting an insurance policy of $10.000 on buildings belonging to Mrs Sarah Dolores.

Referred to Commissioner Hotaling.

Clerk Board

Communication from the Board of Supervisors requesting the Clerk Commissioners of Police Commissioners for their use Blue cards to their Clerk.

Read and filed.

Supt Parks

Communication from Supt Parks stating to Board that there are twenty three and two dozen at the price named in contract.

Commissioner Hotaling moved that said board to contribute $ 100 towards their expenses. Motion was made by Commissioner Hagen and carried.

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Police at Woods

Band Stand

Mr Lyons

Clerk

Supt Parks

Supt Parks

standing liabilities as of March 1 05. # 5638 requiring all demands for services rendered counties by the various city officials be presented the auditor. # 5639 relating to the limitation of monthly expenditures to one twelfth of the respective funds. All Bills are hereby directed to file with the Clerk of the Court, at the beginning of each month a detailed statement showing the actual indebtedness incurred during the preceding month whether bills have been presented or not.

5633-5661-5662-5695-5696-5698-5699- all relate to the purchase of land for the proposed Golden Gate Park and Presidio extension for Park purposes under the provisions of Ordinance # 1st Land-side lands. # 1136 dedicates Baker & Jones Golden Gate Ave to Park st as a Public Boulevard on which traffic or car-road shall ever be allowed thereon and the speed of said car or road in all cases shall not exceed ten miles per hour. # 1137 Grants to the Presidio & Ferries R.R. Co. a franchise for a car track on Golden Gate Ave. # 1647 to Park Panhandle and Presidio Boulevard. # 1648 "Golden Gate Extension Park" went into effect March 22nd 05. There were three leases under this reference ordered by the Supervisors, and the said Park Commissioners were hereby directed to advertise & sign said leases.

Communications to the Board of Supervisors

[illegible] Park Commissioners held their regular meeting this day, all the members present. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The Secretary was instructed to write to the Supervisors requesting the closing of Golden Gate Park to vehicles on Sundays, and to ask that it may be declared unlawful to drive over the speed limit on Park driveways.

Copy of Report

Upon the Park Commissioners to have Lamps & Lanterns placed & located for watering & electricity the Memorial Driveway.

On motion duly made and seconded and carried. The Secty was instructed to issue said deed. (No action has since been had or copy of said deed)

It was regularly moved and seconded and carried that the Secty be instructed to write Supervisors to proceed in accordance with the wishes of the Park Com.

On motion of Commissioner Hayes the regular bills presented to the Children's Guardians and Inspectors for [illegible] funds to be expended for Park purposes, were ordered paid by Common Warrants and ordered

Commissioner Hayes moved that the Park Commissioners meet on Saturday April 7th 06.

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Carried.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, April 21 1905 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Floyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Captain of Police Gleeson, commanding the Park district appeared before the board and explained in detail the system of police patrol at present in and about the park. Com. Floyd was of the opinion that there was insufficient police protection given to that portion of the Great Highway and Ocean Boulevard at the terminus of the street railways where the cars empty thousands of their patrons.

This and other matters of interest to the commission were fully discussed and Capt. Gleeson gave assurance that every effort would be made to meet the wishes of the Commissioners in the way of patrols on the ocean beach and in attendance at the concerts.

Com. Floyd called the attention of the board to the fact that offenders in violation of the ordinance pursue and kill the birds in the park.

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried it was resolved to offer a reward of $50.00 for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons caught molesting or killing birds in Golden Gate Park.

A delegation from the Bohemian Club consisting of Hilliard D. Barlow - Treasurer; Sculptor Bolton, Gilbert and Edgar Walhaus architect appeared before the board requesting permission on behalf of the club to place a bronze memorial of Burt Harte, designed by Mr. Ritchie in the gulch near the Conservatory in Golden Gate Park, and further desired that the gulch because of its resemblance to an old mining gulch be named and designated Burt Harte Gulch.

The committee was informed that it was customary to refer topics and matters relating to art to Com. Cummings the artist member of the Board. On motion duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings to pass upon the memorial and to report upon the desirability of granting the request, the Commissioners to receive the report and to determine the matter at a special meeting.

Contractor John McDonald Jr. addressed the commission and offered to grade back an additional 3 ft along the H. st. frontage of the park @ 5¢ per cu. yd (estimate 5000 cu. yds.)

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Supt McLaren to make a report to Pres. Spreckels who would take action in the matter.

In answer to the advertised bid for the privilege of printing and distributing the park musical programs the following bids were received.

Owen Amy the	$106 per month.
Phelps & Van Orden	$125 "

The Commissioners stated that some time ago an offer of $160.00 per month for the privilege had been made and Mr Lyons the present holder of the contract who was present and desirous of being released agreed to pay each month during the term of the agreement the additional $35. between $160 and the present bid of Phelps & Van Orden.

On motion of Com. Floyd duly seconded and carried referred to Com. Metson for adjustment and the making of the new contract.

The Superintendent was directed to remove the poison oak which is growing on Strawberry Hill.

The Fire Hunting Hose for which were received in answer to the advertisement for the same

Pacific Coast Rubber Co.
1 inch — 19½¢ per ft
1¼ — 24½¢ " "

Gorham Rubber Co.
1 inch — 25¢ per ft
1¼ — 30¢ " "

Bowers Rubber Co.
1 inch — 13¢ per ft
1¼ — 20¢ " "

Plant Supply Co.
1 inch — 23½¢ per ft
1¼ — 29½¢ " "

Gutta Percha Rubber Co.
1 inch — 14½¢ per ft
1¼ — 17¢ " "

Revere Rubber Co.
1 inch — 20¢
1¼ — 24½¢

On motion of Com. Lingee seconded by Com. Cummings and carried 1000 feet 1 inch hose was awarded to the Pacific Coast Rubber Co. at 19½¢ per ft. on a two year guarantee and the balance of 1 inch and 1¼ inch hose to the Bowers Rubber Co. on their bid of 13¢ per foot on 1 inch and 20¢ per foot on 1¼ inch hose.

Com. Lloyd advised the Commissioners to hold to the present established line in the discussion now taking place with the Polaline Estate, as the survey recently made had proven that the Park Commissions was correct as to its contention that the present line was the right one.

The Superintendent was directed to provide a suitable wire abode for the recently acquired Golden Pheasants.

Communication from Lower Park Commission in reference to monuments.

Referred to Commissioner Cummings.

The Superintendent was directed to lend all aid possible to the committee on the occasion of the celebration of the Goethe & Schiller day in the park on Sunday May 7 1905.

Communication from the Board of Public Works in reference to the establishment of grades along the Park Highway.

Referred to Supt of Streets.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the superintendent was directed to prepare map of the recent acquisition of park territory by the late bond issue.

Com. Cummings suggested that the museum building be wired for lighting purposes.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings to report as to the cost of the wiring, etc.

On motion of Com. Nelson duly seconded and carried the superintendent was directed to communicate with the United Railways of S.F. and endeavor to obtain the power for the proposed electric lighting.

The sum of $205 was authorized by the commissioners to be expended at the Children's Festival in holding a "May Day" and

A female cinnamon bear was presented to the park by Mr. Harris of Oakland.

Automobile permit #17 issued to Mr. Fordham was ordered revoked for violating the ordinance regulating automobiles in Golden Gate Park.

The matter of the purchase of the Kilcomb basket collection was referred to Com. Cummings.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned

F. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

By order of the President a special meeting of the Park Commission was called for Saturday April 29th 05 at 2 o'clock P.M. at the office of Com. R.P.H. Lloyd.

There were present Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

also Mr Heynemann and N. Conlisk representing the Hotaling estate. - Pres. A. B. Spreckels in the chair.

The object of the meeting was the adjusting of the property line dividing the lands of the Hotaling estate and the northerly line of the Great Highway.

Mr Conlisk presented maps and surveys showing the line claimed by the Hotaling estate and Com. Lloyd surveys and maps of the Great Highway according to the deeds and surveys on file in the park office.

After considerable discussion it was finally moved, by Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried that the matter be submitted to the City & Co. Attorney for an opinion. - Com. Lloyd, Com. Nelson and the superintendent were appointed by the chair to present the whole matter to City Attorney Long.

There being no further business presented the meeting on motion adjourned

F. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Polk St. Hotel - 2 o'clock P.M. May 5 - 1905 were present

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Nelson

Mayor E. E. Schmitz was present and attended the meeting of the Board.

Minutes of previous regular meeting and the special meeting of Saturday April 29 - 1905 were read and approved

R. P. Schwerin, C. S. Sowe and O. P. Stay a committee from the Automobile Club of Cala appeared before the Board and petitioned the commission to revise the rules and regulations governing automobiles in Golden Gate Park and requested additional privileges in the use of several other driveways besides the South drive the only at present used.

Mayor Schmitz joined in the plea for the additional privileges and strongly recommended that the Club's petition be granted excepting Sundays and Mondays.

Com. Nelson C. Lloyd complained of the gross violations of the present regulations particularly after nightfall.

The matter was fully discussed and it was finally decided that Mr Schwerin should prepare regulations in accordance with the views of the Club, Com. Lloyd to prepare regulations for the Park Commissioners, these to be submitted to the Commission and the entire matter to be settled at a Special meeting called for that purpose. - It was suggested that a trial of 60 days be given the Club under the new regulations and it was agreed by the committee of the Automobile Club that the Club would meet the expense of employing watchmen and special police to assist in the enforcement of the new regulations.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the Secretary was directed to formally communicate with the City Attorney requesting his views and opinion in the discussion of the property line between the Park and the property of the Hotaling Estate

Report of Superintendent for month of April read, and ordered filed

The Secretary was ordered to advertise for bids for supplies needed for the park.

On the matter of the Bret Harte memorial Com. Watson made a motion seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried that sculptor Douglas Tilden be thanked for his kindness in the matter, that his suggestions and recommendations be accepted and carried out, that the pedistal of concrete and plaster be constructed, the model placed thereon and referred to Com. Cummings.

Report of the Children's Quarters for April read and ordered filed.

Offer of C. F. Holcomb, curator, to present to the museum 97 relics of the civil war, also reports of various other donations -
Referred to Com. Cummings.

Request of Jose L. Pechuyeo of Los Angeles that his picture of Washington at the museum be returned to him.
So ordered.

Communication from the Fire Commission asking permission to connect an 8" main to the fire system of the Dutch windmill to be used for fire protection only for the homes south of the park and just east of the Great Highway.
On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Zinkie and carried the request was referred to Supt. McLaren to report on its advisability.

Com. Lloyd reported to the Board that a friend would give $10,000.00 for an additional windmill as the present one had proven such a success, to be constructed at the southwestern end of the park.
Com. Lloyd then made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that the Superintendent be directed to select the site - make the necessary soundings etc and report to the Board.

The Superintendent was ordered to construct double screen doors at the Children's Quarters, and endeavor to make the building fly proof.

The Secretary was instructed to communicate with the Board of Public Works, and request that Fulton St between 6th and 10th Aves. and Baker Street at the Park panhandle be repaired.

Communication from the Secretary representing the Park & Ocean Riding Club asking that a driveway be built at 7th Ave. and Fulton St -
Ordered filed

Communication of thanks received from the commandant at Fort Baker for trees etc donated by the park.
Read and ordered filed.

The matter of supplying water for Lobos square was brought by the superintendent to the attention of the Board. Assistant Superintendent Hyde volunteered to treat with the Spring Valley Water Co. and secure as reasonable rate as possible.

On the trial of one Seward who was arrested for distributing circulars in Union Square additional bonds were ordered filed in the case and Com. Watson was appointed a committee for that purpose.

Letter received from Baron A. Little, Oakland Cal. offering to loan an old fashioned spinet (Harpsichord) to the museum -
Referred to Com. Cummings

Offer of Miss L. Plummer to sell to the Park Commissioners a collection of fossils, minerals and shells -
Declined on account of lack of funds.

Request of the Board of Education that the Park Commissioners set aside and equip with the necessary appliances a portion of Mission Park as public playground for the school children of that vicinity.
Read and ordered filed.
There being no further business the Board adjourned.

A. Schmitz Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, May 19-1905-were present

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Floyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

About a dozen horsemen and livery stable owners appeared before the Board advocating that certain restrictions be placed upon automobiles in Golden Gate Park, and that one of the main drives be kept free from them. They strongly urged that this be done as they were of the opinion that the automobiles would frighten the horses and be a menace to life and limb and that one of the main roads should be retained exclusively for horses.

President Sprockels of the Automobile Club of Cala replied to the statements of the horse owners claiming that their fears would prove entirely unfounded, and that the modern automobiles of today which is being made noiseless and omitting no odor would not interfere in the smallest degree with their pleasure of the past.

In answer to the advertisement calling for bids the following were received-

Name and amount

Cowell Lime & Cement Co.
Cement - 3 Star Brand $2.20 per bbl.
Con return of sack allowance .5¢ each.
Lime - Santa Cruz brand $1.39 per bbl.
For return of bbl. allowance 15¢ each.
Certified check $50.00

Holmes Lime Co.
Cement - 5 S Brand $2.65 per bbl.
For return of sack allowance .05¢ each
Lime - Santa Cruz Brand $1.40 per bbl.
For return of bbl. allowance 15¢ each
Certified check $25.00

Western Fuel Co.
Cement (Standard brand) $2.25 per bbl.
Return of sacks in carload .05 each
Certified check $250.00.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the contract for supplying cement was awarded to the Western Fuel Co. - being the lowest responsible bidder.

On motion duly made, seconded and carried the Cowell Lime & Cement Co. was awarded the contract for lime on their bid of $1.39 per bbl. being the lowest bid.

Bids on Pipe

Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.

1000 ft.	3/4 in. galvanized pipe	10c ft. 4.85	$48.70
1000 "	1 " " "	6.97	67.70
1000 "	1¼ " " "	7.50	75.00
2000 "	1½ " " "	11.03	228.60
5000 "	2 " " "	10.22	761.00
2000 "	3 " " "	31.71	638.20

$2.00 per ton extra on delivery.
Certified check $200.00

Dalzell & Keller Co.

1000 ft.	3/4 in.	galvanized pipe	100 ft. 4.98 $49.80
1000 "	1 "	" "	7.14 71.40
1000 "	1¼ "	" "	7.72 77.20
2000 "	1½ "	" "	11.70 234.00
5000 "	2 "	" "	15.88 177.00
2000 "	3 "	" "	32.66 653.20

Certified check $100.00

Baker & Hamilton

1000	3/4	galvanized iron pipe	100 ft. 4.30
1000 "	1	" "	6.70 6.70
1000 "	1¼	" "	7.00 75.-
2000 "	1½	" "	11.43 228.60
5000 "	2	" "	15.22 761.00
2000 "	3	" "	31.71 631.20

$2.00 per ton extra on delivery
Certified check $1400.00

Holbrook Merrill & Stetson.

	100 ft.	
1000 ft. 3/4 in. gal. iron pipe	4.95	$ 49.50
100 " 1 " "	7.13	71.20
1000 " 1 1/4 " "	9.72	97.20
2000 " 1 1/2 " "	11.70	234.00
5000 " 2 " "	15.58	779.00
2000 " 3 " "	32.66	653.20

Certified check $200.-

Pacific Hardware & Steel Co.

	100 ft.	
1000 ft. 3/4 in. gal. iron pipe	4.87	$ 48.70
1000 " 1 " "	6.97	69.70
1000 " 1 1/4 " "	9.50	95.00
2000 " 1 1/2 " "	11.43	228.60
5000 " 2 " "	15.22	761.00
2000 " 3 " "	31.91	638.20

12½ per ton extra for cartage

Certified check $184.12

On motion duly seconded and carried one half of the above contract was given to Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden and one half to Baker & Hamilton these firms being the lowest bidders.

Bids on oil

National Oil Co.

Fuel oil gravity 16° to 18° .67½ per bbl.

Certified check $134.00

Standard Oil Co.

Fuel oil .61 3/4 per bbl.

Certified check $123.50

Associated Oil Co.

Fuel oil .66 per bbl.

Certified check $150.00

Union Oil Co

Fuel oil .57½ per bbl.

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to the Union Oil Co. being the lowest bidder.

Linseed Oil and White lead.

H. P. Fuller Co

Linseed oil .55 per gal.

White lead .06½ " lb.

Certified check $25.00

Western Paint and Oil Co.

Linseed oil .56½ per gal.

White lead .07¼ " lb

Certified check $20.00

R. N. Nason & Co.

Linseed oil .55 per gal

White lead .07½ " lb

Certified check $25.00

Sunset White Lead Works

Linseed oil .63 gal

White lead .06½ lb

The contract was awarded to H. P. Fuller & Co. being the lowest bidder on motion duly seconded and carried.

Framed as

E. K. Wetzel Lumber & Supply Co.

Oregon Pine - Rough @		$ 16.75 per M
Redwood "		19.50 " "
Fir (select "		23.00 " "
Redwood "		32.00 " "
Surfacing		
" 1 side		1.45
" 2 "		1.90
" 4 "		4.50
500 pieces T + G. 3x12x20- @		$ 24.00

Certified check $100.00

Walter Dickens

Fir @		$ 15.00
Redwood "		20.00
500 pieces T + G 3x12x20 "		28.00
Surfacing 1" a side		

F. K. Kruse

Fir @		$ 15.50 per M
Redwood "		15.00 " "
Fir (select "		22.00 - 23.00 " "
Redwood "		27.00 - 30.00 " "
500 pieces T + G 3x12x20 "		40.00
50 per M for delivery		
Surfacing 1 side		1.00
2 "		2.00
3 "		3.00
4 "		4.00

J.K. Schouten & Co.
Rough Oregon Pine $17 to 18 per M
" Redwood 130. " "
500 pieces 3x12x20 T.&G. 136. " "
Planing 1 side 1.75
" 2 " 3.25
" 4 " 4.50

Certified check $108."

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract was awarded to the Eckstrom Lumber & Supply Co. being the lowest bidder.-

Communication from Mrs. Mary Mosac Fitch ordered filed.

Report from C.P. Wilcomb - Curator - of donations, etc. received for the museum - Referred to Com. Cummings.

Offer of Grace Nicholson of Pasadena, Cal. to exchange Alaskan curios for Chinese, Japanese and Indian curios at the museum.-

Referred to Com. Cummings.

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned.

H.J. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, June 2, 1905.

Were present:-

Pres. Sprechels
Com. Lloyd
" Pingee
" Cummings
" Watson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

A Complaint of discourteous treatment was filed against the management of the Boat House at Stow Lake by Mr. M. Kuhlberg and C. H. Harwood. On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, it was decided to hold a special meeting on Wednesday, June 7th at 2 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of thoroughly investigating the matter.

The report of Capt. McLaren for the month of May was read and ordered filed.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for 40,000 cu. yds. of clay to be delivered in the park.

Report of Children's Playground for month of May read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Tea Garden for month of May read and ordered filed.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for furnishing coal to the park for the next twelve months, the following were received:

W. T. Stafford--

Penn. Egg Coal	$10.50 per ton
Welsh Anthracite	14.00 " "
Wellington	9.00 " "
Roslyn	8.50 " "

Certified check for $6.25

Pacific Coast Coal Co.--

Penn. Egg Coal	$14.00 per ton
Welsh Anthracite	19.00 " "
Richmond	9.00 " "

Thos. Morton--

Penn. Egg Coal	$14.50 per ton
Welsh Anthracite	15.00 " "
Carmichael's Wellington	8.00 " "

Cash deposit $00.00

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract for furnishing the Pennsylvania Egg Coal and Welsh Anthracite coal was awarded to the Pacific Coast Coal Co. and for furnishing Wellington Coal, to Thos. Morton, they being the lowest bidders.

Com. Cummings recommended that the shell collection offered for sale to the park be purchased and it was decided by the Commissioners to purchase it at the price of $600.-

The Commissioners agreed to give, personally, the sum of $400. and Mr. R. P. Schwerin donated the balance of $200. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Schwerin.

The Board then went into Executive Session.

R. P. Schwerin, L. P. Loewe and several other gentlemen appeared as a committee from the Automobile Club of Calif. and thoroughly discussed and considered the proposed ordinance regulating automobiles in Golden Gate Park.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Dingee, the Automobile ordinance was unanimously carried and the Secretary was instructed to advertise the same for a period of ten days, as provided in the charter, in the official paper, the Evening Post and to spread the ordinance in full upon the minutes of the meeting.

(Copy of Ordinance.)

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried it was resolved that the portion of the Ocean Beach lying between the Olympic Salt Water Pier, northerly to the Cliff House, be kept for the exclusive use of pedestrians and others who wished to sit upon the sandy beach. The Superintendent was directed to place the necessary signs upon the pier of the Olympic Salt Water Co. and at other favorable points prohibiting the use of the said portion of the Ocean Beach by persons driving or on horseback.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and carried the Supt. was instructed to ascertain the locations of clay and loam deposits that could be used in the Golden Gate Park, confer with Manager Chapman of the United Railroads, secure a rate from him for hauling the same to the park and report to the Board.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Auditor was to be requested to turn over to the Secretary of the Park Commission all of the demands for the park employees and for which he would be given a receipt. This course was decided upon to lessen the chances of mistakes or fraud and to enable the Secretary to receive a receipt for salary from each and every one of the park employees.

Com. Cummings reported that a model for the sphynx for the entrance to the museum could be secured for $450. On motion of Com. Metson, seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, it was decided to order the model to be made at the price given.

Com. Lloyd informed the Commissioners that Samuel G. Murphy had deposited with him $20,000. for the purpose of erecting a new dutch windmill at the southwestern end of the park.

The gift was accepted and a note of thanks was extended to Mr. Murphy. It was decided by the Commissioners that the windmill be known and named the Samuel G. Murphy windmill.

Com. Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried, that plans and specifications be drafted for the new dutch windmill to be erected in the southwestern part of the park.

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and carried, it was resolved that Engineer Mutt be employed to prepare the dutch windmill plans and specifications at an expense of $300.00

Offer of sale for $500. of a bust of the late Joseph Le Conte by Miss Gertrude Boyle, declined on account of lack of funds.

Application of Dr. Redmond Payne asking for the donation of one or two deer for a private park. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Mrs. C. Millmore of kindergardens entertained free of charg at the Children's Quarters during the month of May. Read and ordered filed.

Letter of thanks to the Park Commissioners received from the Schiller Memorial Committee for the country shown in connection with the exercises held in Golden Gate Park on May 7th. Read and ordered filed.

Communication from Fidelia G. Woodcock in reference to the purchase of C. P. Wilcomb's Indian material.
Read and referred as being of a personal interest to C. P. Wilcomb.

Report of Prof. F. Gruber of Dept. of National History Memorial Museum for month of May read and ordered filed.

Report of donations to the museum for month of May read and ordered filed.

Letter of thanks from the Occidental Kindgarten for entertainment at the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

H. L. SCHMITZ,
Secretary.

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Secretary

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Wednesday, June 7, 1905, were present:-

	Pres.	Spreckels
	Com.	Kloyd
	"	Dinges
Absent	"	Matson
"	"	Cummings

This meeting was called for the purpose of hearing the charge of incivility preferred against the management of the boat-house at Stow Lake by Mr. M. Kohlberg and C. H. Harwood.

The charges were given a thorough hearing and an investigation of considerable length was held. Mr. Kohlberg and C. H. Harwood stated that they had been treated discourteously by the attendants and the manager and on the other hand it was stoutly maintained by the boat house attendants that the offense was committed by those who had filed the complaint, they, after being informed, had refused to be governed by the established rules and regulations at the lake. After a lengthy discussion and full explanations on both sides the matter was taken under advisement by the Commissioners.

It was ordered by the Commissioners that full rules and regulations be printed and hung up in a conspicuous place at the boat house.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called for 2 o'clock P. M., Friday, June 16, 1905 at Room 1000, Palace Hotel.

"No quorum" and meeting was postponed until Friday, June 23, 1905, at same hour and place at which there was "no quorum" and the meeting was then called for Friday, June 30, 1905, at 2 o'clock, Room 1000, Palace Hotel.

W. J. SCHMITZ,
Secretary

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, June 30, 1905, were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
absent " Watson

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. J. Downey Harvey and Burke Corbett representing the Ocean Shore Railway appeared before the Board and asked for the privelege of crossing the Park, entering at the south side of the Park at 48th Av. and going northerly to Fulton Street.

The Ocean Shore Railway agreed by its representatives Mr. Harvey and Mr. Corbett, that if their request was favorably acted upon by the Park Commissioners, to provide cars for hauling and the necessary switches for the purpose of delivering free of charge, clay and loam to the park. The application was taken under advisement.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for furnishing and putting up an electric motor according to specifications at the office of the Park Commissioners, the following were received:-

Standard Electrical Co.	put up	$2,000.
	F. O. B.	1,450.
Certified check $200.		
Farnsworth Electrical Works	F. O. B.	1,449.47
Geo. W. Dow Pump Co.		3,698.00
Hunt, Mark & Co.		3,892.00
Westenhouse Electric Co.		1,496.00
Smoker Wheeler Co.		2,450.70
Cal. Electrical Co.		1,342.00

From the wording of the bids it was impossible for the Commissioners without a further examination as to details to decide which motion would best answer the purpose for which it was to be used and on motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Spreckels, with full power to act, to select a competent electrical engineer to confer with and determine and order from the bidder which had the machine best adapted to the particular use required.

In answer to the advertisement for clay, Owen McHugh submitted a bid of 15.00 per cu. yd. delivered in Golden Gate Park.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the bid was rejected as being too high and Supt. McLaren was authorized to secure clay however must be at a reasonable figure.

L. P. Loewe of this city and Mr. Cook of Barnum's Circus made application for permission to erect the tents of the show on Mission bet. Jeannie bet. 16th & 20th sts. and Church and Dolores sts. for the

privelege asked the circus people agreed to expend in grading $1500. which would be in the interests of the Park Commission.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded and carried permission was granted the circus to occupy the grounds from Sept. 2nd to 10th on a party of graders and the proposed grading was to be done under the supervision of Supt. McLaren.

L. P. Loewe and other gentlemen of a committee from the California Automobile Club held a conference with the Board, discussing in detail the best and most effective means of enforcing the new automobile ordinance in the park and it was decided to leave the enforcement of it to the regular officers. Chief of Police Dinan and Capt. Gleeson of the Park District had given assurance of their ability and intention of having the ordinance strictly obeyed. Mr. Loewe stated on behalf of the Automobile Club that an attorney would be engaged by it to prosecute in the Police Courts all offenders arrested in Golden Gate Park for not observing the regulations of the ordinance. Mr. Loewe further stated that to assist in this matter he would personally give for use by the police, a motor cycle as it was considered better adapted for over-taking fast drivers than the Police Horses. The offer was accepted and Mr. Loewe thanked for his kindness.

The Secretary was instructed to secure from the Secretary of State a complete list to date of all state automobile licenses.

Com. Lloyd reported that after an investigation he was of the opinion that the price of sandwiches and pie at the Club House's Quarters was too high and made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that hereafter the price of each was to be 5¢.

A request was made on behalf of Father Crowley, of the Youth's Directory for a male deer for their farm in Napa Co. The request was favorably considered and the matter referred to the Superintendent.

Com. Lloyd made a motion duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried that the Supt. be directed to have constructed six shower baths at the recreation hall grounds and also two additional shower baths and dressing rooms to be built at the tennis courts to be for the exclusive use of boys.

Supt. McLaren was directed to establish a gate feeding station at the Dutch Windmill and to provide the attendant at the windmill with a gun and ammunition for the destruction of cats and other animals coming into the park for the purpose of feeding upon the birds.

The Superintendent was also instructed to keep two men continually employed in the botanical garden.

The Secretary was directed to have printed 10,000 [illegible] for the benefit of the Y.M.C.A. offered for the [illegible] or injuring birds or animals in Golden Gate Park.

Communication from Harold C. Ross read and ordered filed.

Offer of Oscar Rankin, Susanville, Cal. offering for sale an antelope, declined.

The Supt. was directed to extend the bitumen surface at the tennis courts back to the screens of the court for the purpose of improving the conditions there for playing.

Monthly report of the Museum read and referred to Com. Cummings.

Report of the Department of Natural History Museum, read and ordered filed.

Supt. McLaren reported that work on the beach drive-way was about completed and he was instructed to lay off about 40 men.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

W.A.SCHMITZ

Secretary.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday July 14, 1905, were present:

Pres. Reynolds
Com. Pingree
" Cummings
Absent " Lloyd
" Watson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the superintendent for month of June was read and ordered filed and the recommendation contained therein as to the purchase of clay was ordered carried out.

Report of the Children's Quarters was read and ordered filed.

Report of the Japanese Garden read and ordered filed.

Report of Mrs. Millmore, matron of the Children's Quarters, of the number of kindergartens entertained free of charge, read and ordered filed.

Report of Capt. Gleason of the Park Police District of the number of arrests made in Golden Gate Park for non-observance of the automobile ordinance. Read and ordered filed.

Petition from the gardeners of the park asking for an increase in wages of 25c per day, from $2.75 to $3.00 per day. Read and ordered filed.

Request of D. M. Burgess for permission to distribute gospel literature in Washington Square, denied.

Communication received from E. T. Molleday stating that the northerly half of the block bounded by Washington, Baugh and Clay and Octavia Sts. fronting on Washington Street is not and never was any part of any public park. Mr. Molleday claims ownership to the aforementioned lots and ordered the Park Commissioners to cease the work at present being performed there and not to further trespass upon the grounds.

As ownership of this land has previously been declared in court and acting upon the opinion of the City Attorney that the land was part properly the work was ordered suspended until the determination of Mr. Molleday filed.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

W.A.SCHMITZ

Secretary.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000, Palace Hotel on Friday, August 4, 1905, were present:

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
Absent Pres. Spreckels
Com. Watson

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Cummings, Com. Lloyd was elected to preside at the meeting.

The report of the Superintendent for the month of July was read and ordered filed and the recommendation that the work on the construction of the tunnel under the north side of the athletic field be commenced before the graders reach that part of the field thereby saving the re-digging of the ground after grading, was ordered carried out.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Request of Manager Allan Pollak of the S. F. Gas & Electric Co. for permission to run an underground system for furnishing light in Union Square, also to cross the panhandle at Ashbury Street and to string wires for furnishing light along the ocean beach, across the main drive.

Com. Lloyd stated that the Park should derive some benefit in the way of lights if the commissioners decided to grant the privelege and on motion duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Dingee with full power to act. The Secretary was directed to notify the Gas Co. of the action taken.

Communication received from the Golden Gate Valley Improvement Club thanking the Park Commissioners for the improvement of Lobos Square. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from the S. F. Epworth League Alliance asking the Park Commissioners to establish drinking places on the ocean beach where water could be had by the thousands who frequent that favorite place for recreation and pleasure.

The Superintendent was instructed to comply with the request and to have the necessary drinking places constructed.

Reported of several prominent physicians that the South Drive be kept open to automobiles at all hours as an avenue to the Ocean beach district.

Thos. Keogh representing the Mobile Auto Co. addressed the Board on the same matter requesting that the Commissioners amend the ordinance to allow the use of the South drive at all hours by automobiles. As a matter of fairness to the interests he represented, he urged the granting of his petition.

After a lengthy discussion of the matter by Attorney Keogh and the Commissioners, and after a statement by the Commissioners that all [illegible] actions on the part of automobile parties must positively cease, it was decided that the part of the ordinance relating to the closing of the South drive at 11 o'clock be temporarily suspended and at a future meeting of the Board when the necessary number of Commissioners were present, the ordinance would be amended.

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Communication from the Colonial Dames of America asking permission to place a sun dial in GoldenGate Park. Read and referred to Com. Cummings.

The Supt. was directed to renew the wires, etc. on the park telephone system as the phones appeared to be continually out of order.

The sketch of the Gael. S. Murphy windmill was approved and adopted and the Supt. was ordered to proceed immediately with the work of construction.

Communication from Oceanside Improvement Club enforcing the closing of the south drive to automobiles after 11 o'clock P. M. Read and ordered filed.

Reports of Capt. of Police Gleeson of arrests made in Golden Gate Park. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Jas. W. Rogers, Curator, Museum, of donations, etc. made to the Museum during the month. Read and ordered filed. A vote of thanks was accorded Com. Reuben H. Lloyd for his donation of a complete set of U. S. Stamps, issued for use during the World's Columbian Exposition, 1893.

Offer of J. S. Butterworth, Maple Falls, Wash., to dispose of a [illegible] bear cub. Declined.

Request of H. Bellee, 2347-18th St. for permission to remove an oil house at present in Franklin Square and offering to pay a small [illegible] for it. Referred to Supt. with power to act.

Offer of Miss E. Kisney, San Jose, Cal. to present a golden headed eagle to the park. Declined with thanks as there are [illegible] in the park at present.

Opinion of Percy V. Long, City Attorney, that a portion of the ground in dispute between the Park Commissioners and the Potalla Estate along the Point Highway at S. St. was not their property. Read and ordered filed.

M. Gunther [illegible]. Meeting [illegible].

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At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Room 1000, Palace Hotel on Friday, Aug. 18, 1905 were present:

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Watson
and Mayor Schmitz
Absent Pres. Spreckels

On motion duly made, seconded and carried Com. Wm. H. Watson was elected to preside at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Request received from Orinda Parlor, N. D. G. W. for permission to plant a tree in Golden Gate Park on Arbor Day. A silver plate was to be placed upon the tree, properly inscribed.
The matter was referred to the Supt. it being decided to grant the desired request provided the necessary loam for the planting was furnished by Orinda Parlor.

A letter & petition was received from the residents and property owners along Page & Stanyan Sts. asking for the re-opening for the use of automobiles and carriages the road at Page Street.
The petition was taken under consideration.

Thos. Keogh an attorney representing the automobile interests of the city appeared before the Board asking that the automobile ordinance be amended to allow the use of the South drive by automobiles at all times.
It was decided to await a full Board Meeting before taking final action upon the request, and in the meantime the use of the South drive was allowed to automobiles at all hours.

In answer to advertisements the following bids were received:-

Vermiel & Co.
Wheat hay $16.35 per ton
Oat " 15.35 " "
Rolled barley 25.45 " "
Bran 23. " "
Oats 29.30 " "

Check $

W. A. Miller & Co.
Wheat hay 16.07 " "
Oat " 15.47 " "
Rolled barley 25.75 " "
Bran 25.40 " "
Oats 31.50 " "

Check $

Chase & Co.
No certified check. Bid was not considered.

Goners & Co.
Wheat hay $16.50 per ton
Oat " 15.70 " "
Rolled barley 26. " "
Bran 23.00 " "
Oats 30.40 " "

Check $

Scott & Wagner
Wheat hay 16.44 " "
Oat " 15.70 " "
Rolled Barley 25.60 " "
Bran 24. " "
Oats 31.80 " "

Check $

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and unanimously carried, the contract for furnishing the above supplies was awarded to Vermiel & Co., being the lowest bidder.

Bids for Tea and Coffee:-

G. A. Casey
Japan Tea 35¢ per lb.
Coffee 18½¢ " "

Leege & Muskins
China Tea)
Japan ") 35¢ " "
C. T. ")
Coffee 25¢ " "

Castleton & Co.
M. C. Japan Tea 38½¢ " "
M. M. " " 45¢ " "
Coffee 28½¢ " "
Mocha & Java Coffee 30 " "

Hooper & Mennings
Ceylon Tea #14 35¢ " "
" #10 40¢ " "
Green Basket Chief 30¢ " "
Coffee 20½¢ " "

Thompson
Green Tea 14¢ " "
Ceylon " 25¢ " "
M.C.Japan Tea 40¢ " "
Salaka 25¢ " "
Coffee Mocha & Java 28½-30½-35¢ " lb.

Commissioner Lloyd stated that it was the desire of the ~~desire of the~~ Commissioners to secure absolutely the best and purest articles for use in the park and from the prices bid he was of the opinion that the articles offered could not be of the desired high quality and made a motion duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried that all bids on coffee be rejected. He further proposed that the green coffee beans be submitted to the Commissioners who would, if deemed advisable, mix and roast the coffee at the park. Samples to be given and tried by the matron of the Children's Quarters. So ordered. The samples of tea were turned over to Pres. Watson, who was to secure expert opinion as to the respective qualities of the samples, and bids to be acted upon later on.

The contract for furnishing flour and sugar was awarded to Hooper and Jennings, being the only bidder and prices considered reasonable, on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried, at the following prices:

Flour	$1.35 per sack
Sugar Cube	5.75 " cwt.
" Dry Gran.	5.50" "
" Powdered	6.00" "

Com. Dingee reported that he had held a conference with the officials of the Gas & Electric Co., who had asked permission to place wires underground and over-head at the Panhandle and along Ocean boulevard, in the park, and recommended that the permission asked for, be granted upon condition, as he had arranged ~~for~~ that the Gas Co. furnish to the Park Commission free of all charge, 2 arc lights in the panhandle and 4 are lights on the ocean boulevard. So ordered.

The Supt. was directed to have the asphaltum repaired where necessary at the Children's Quarters and Tennis Courts and to place some additional ~~apparatus~~ there, such as stationary rowboats, exercising machines, etc. on motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

Com. Lloyd stated that he thought it would be advisable to place wires, etc. or trellice work in front of the bath houses at the Tennis Courts.

The Supt. was ordered to have the same done.

Com. Lloyd further stated that it had come to his attention that the lockers in the park at the ball grounds and elsewhere were frequently broken into and proposed that the Park Commissioners offer a reward of $10. for the arrest and conviction of the offenders and that the proper notices be posted in conspicuous places in the park. So ordered.

Attention was called to the fact that pedestrians were not in the habit of using the tunnel into the Music Stand leading from McAllister because of the fact that the floor construction was of a dusty nature.

The Supt. was directed to ascertain the cost of raising the floor of the tunnel 2 feet and constructing an asphalt walk through it and to the Board Clerk and report at the next meeting.

Mr. Sweeny, the Mayor called attention to the fact that at the Baker Street entrance to the park about the middle of the street was a high formation and which greatly interfered with driving in and out of the park. He stated that it should be removed and that portion of Baker St. filled and kept in repair. The Board of Public Works had agreed

to grade this obstruction and the Mayor recommended that the Park Commissioners oil this entrance to the Park as was done with the roadways in the park.

On motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and unanimously carried, the above recommendations were ordered carried out and that a row of trees be planted about at the curb-line where ugly, unsightly signs appear, directly facing the entrance to the park.

Specifications of the Sam'l. G. Murphy windmill were presented, approved and adopted and the Secretary was directed to advertise for bids for installing the machinery.

Com. Lloyd reported that at the request of the Park Commission, D. J. Murphy, had rendered services in fighting the cases in the police and supervision of several persons who had insulted upon the right of distributing dodgers in the park. A bill of $20. had been presented and Com. Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that the same be paid.

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. SCHMITZ,
Secretary.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Friday, Sept. 1, 1905, at 1000 Palace Hotel, were present:

	Com. Lloyd
	" Cummings
	" Watson
Absent	Pres.Spreckels
"	Com. Pingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Wm. W. Watson was elected to preside at the meeting.

Com. Lloyd reported that from statements made by firms desiring to bid on the new windmill machinery, he was of the opinion that additional time was necessary to secure low and accurate bids and that he had authorized an extension of 1 week on the date called for in the advertisement.

The action of Com. Lloyd was approved and the Commissioners further extended the time to and including Sept. 11, 1905, for receiving bids.

Pres. Wm. W. Watson reported on the samples of tea submitted at the previous meeting. From the statements contained therein, it was apparent that the highest priced articles were not necessarily the best and purest tea.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the matter was referred to Pres. Watson to select some good reliable tea to be furnished for use in the park and was further empowered and authorized to place the order for the same and all bids that had been submitted were rejected.

Report of the Superintendent for August was read and the recommendations made were adopted and ordered carried out.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded and carried the Supt. was directed to fill and raise the grade of the floor 3 feet of the tunnel running from Fulton Street to the Music Court. This work to be performed as soon as possible but when best convenient and at a reasonable cost.

The bids submitted for coffee at a previous meeting were under consideration. It was decided to secure the samples of the green coffee beans, the blends and the proposition of Mocha and Java coffee in each mixture, and the matter was referred to Pres. Watson for an investigation and report.

An opinion was received from City Attorney Percy V. Long, that in order to better secure the claim of the city on Block 3104 outside lands, bounded by Ft. Point Av., Clement St. and 13th and 14th Aves., for park purposes, it would be advisable to take possession in the name of the City and County and to place or post a notice to that effect upon the property.

Supt. McLaren was ordered to carry out the recommendations of the City Attorney.

A claim for cost of medicines and medical attendance was filed by Engineer Cromwell who was injured while at work in the park. The Supt. was directed to investigate the claim and if found correct it was decided to allow it on condition that the said Engineer Cromwell sign a full release from any responsibility whatsoever to the City and County, to the Park Commissioners and to each and every one of them.

A request was made by Capt. Carter for permission to drill a military company in one of the City Squares. Request was refused as there was no authority in the City Charter to grant it.

Supt. McLaren submitted several sketches or plans for the improvement of Mission Park.

The several sketches were thoroughly gone over and Sketch #1 was approved and adopted.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to request the Board of Supervisors to declare 19th St. running through Mission Park a boulevard.

A sketch for the proposed scheme for a colonade for the crest of the hill of Alta Plaza was submitted by Com. Cummings. It was adopted by the Commission and was decided that the design be carried out when funds for the purpose would be available.

Com. Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Cummings and carried that a convenience station be constructed in Columbia Square.

The Supt. was instructed to secure plans and specifications and file with report of the cost of the same at the next meeting.

On motion of Com. Cummings seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried, the path leading back of the Museum was ordered closed.

Supt. McLaren was directed to prepare plans and specifications for a boat-house and convenience station at Stow Lake.

Notification received from the District Council of Painters of S. F. and vicinity, that the minimum rate of wages for painters was $4.00 per day with a Saturday half holiday.

Com. Watson stated that he was always in favor of paying all persons hired in the park the regular or same scale of wages as paid elsewhere and it was decided by the Commissioners that this be done but if no work was performed on Saturday afternoon that the men be docked for the half day where employed by the hour and allowed the half holiday when employed by the day. So ordered.

Offer of Mrs. Wm. Winslow to donate 2 or 3 Elm or Maple trees. Referred to the Superintendent.

No further business, meeting adjourned.

W. L. Schmitz,
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday Sept. 15, 1905, were present:

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson
Absent Pres.Spreckels

On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried Com. Reuben H. Lloyd was elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Communication received from Mr. Herman Oelrichs presenting a minature Dutch windmill to the Park Museum. The gift was accepted with thanks and Com. Lloyd was selected to reply to Mr. Oelrichs' letter, thanking him on behalf of the Commission.

Communication received from the Oceanside Club complaining of teamsters, employed in the grading of H Street, allowing sand to spill from their wagons upon the Great Highway.
Referred to the Superintendent.

Resolution received, passed by the Oceanside Improvement Club, thanking the Park Commissioners for their efforts in enforcing the automobile ordinance.
Read and ordered filed.

Report of Curator J. W. Rogers of donations made to the museum.
Order filed.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for furnishing the machinery and iron work for the Chas'l. G. Murphy windmill, the following were received.

Union Iron Works	$9980.
" Machine Co.	7883.
Krogh Manfg. Co.	9143.
Fulton Iron Works	6500.

Certified check of 10% of the bids enclosed with each bid.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Metson and carried, the contract was awarded to the Fulton Iron Works on their figure of $6500., that being the lowest bid.

On motion of Com. Metson, duly seconded and carried, the plans and specifications for the pumps for the new windmill were ordered prepared and the advertised for, for supplying the same.

Com. Wm. J. Dingee kindly donated to the Park Commission, the cement necessary for the new windmill. The same was accepted and the thanks of the Commission was extended to Com. Dingee.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported that the Raymond Granite Co. had offered to donate for the mills, the necessary granite for the doors and window

sills. Accepted with thanks.

Com. Lloyd secured and presented to the Park 32 mountain quail.
This gift was accepted with thanks and on motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Metson and carried the Supt. was directed to construct the necessary shelter or pheasantry, covered with glass for the quail.

Com. Lloyd called the attention of the Commissioners to the fact that the wire netting enclosing the aviary for the pheasants and peacocks was too large, and numbers of sparrows and other small birds from the outside were flying through and devouring and carrying off the food.
On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Metson and carried, the Supt. was instructed to remedy this by using smaller netting.

Com. Lloyd reported that Senator Geo. C. Perkins had presented to the Park a cutting from a large and noted willow tree growing at his home in Oakland.
On Napoleon's grave on the Isle of St. Helena, a large willow tree was growing, a cutting was taken from it and planted on the grave of George Washington at Mt. Vernon, a slip was taken from it to California and planted at the home of Senator Perkins and it was from this tree that the cutting presented to the Park was taken.
Senator Perkins was given the thanks of the Commission for his gift.

No further business. Meeting adjourned.

W. H. [illegible]
Secretary.

A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, Sept. 28, 1906. Were present:

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson
Absent Pres. Sprockels

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Wm. H. Metson was elected to preside at the meeting which was called for the purpose of formally accepting the convenience station at Washington Square presented by Capt. J. A. McDonald

A communication was received and read from Wm. Curlett, architect, turning over to the Park Commissioners in the name of Capt. McDonald, the keys and the convenience station.

Com. Lloyd made a motion that the thanks of the Board of Park Commissioners be voted to Capt. Jas. McDonald that public spirited and generous citizen who had so kindly presented to the city the convenience station which was one of the finest in the country, costing $35,000.

Seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

Com. Lloyd then made a motion that the Commissioners proceed in a body to Washington Square to formally accept the convenience station and to open it to the public.

Seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

On arrival at the Station, the same was inspected and thrown open for the use of the public.

Com. Dingee made a motion which was seconded and carried, that a suitable tablet be placed in the station stating that it was the gift of a public spirited and generous citizen.

It was further decided that Pres. Wm. H. Metson and Com. Cummings act as a committee to draw up the description for the tablet.

The Supt. was directed to remove the walk in front of the [illegible] side of the station, to cement the ground about the drinking fountain in the square to prevent the accumulation of water and to take down the flag pole in the square as it was considered useless by the Commissioners.

There being nothing further to come before the meeting, it was on motion duly seconded and carried adjourned.

W. H. METSON,
President.

W. H. Schmitz
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Palace Hotel, on Friday, Oct. 5, 1906, at 2 o'clock P.M. Were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson

Minutes of previous regular meeting of Sept. 15th and of the special meeting of Sept. 28, were read and approved.

Report of the Children's Quarters read and ordered filed.

Report of the Supt. for month of Sept. read and the recommendations made therein were ordered carried out.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Public Works asking that a connection or outlet be made in the new sewer at 14th Av. & R St. As the sewer is to be used only for the carrying off of the storm waters in the streets south of the Park, it was proposed to allow the water to flow into the park at 14th Av. where it would filter through the sand, replenishing the reservoir in that part of the park at the present pumping station.

Mr. Downey Harvey and Burke Corbett representing the Ocean Shore R. R. Appeared before the Board, renewing their application for permission for their railroad to cross the westerly end of Golden Gate Park.

After a thorough discussion of the matter it was agreed by the R. R. representatives that if the desired permission was granted that the Ocean Shore road would haul free of charge loam manure and soil for use of the Park Commissioners, the amount not to exceed 40,000 cubic yards per year.

Commissioners Lloyd and Metson were appointed a committee to represent the Park Commissioners. The railroad's representatives to draw up the agreement and the same to be passed upon by Com. Lloyd and Metson.

Communication from the Board of Park Commissioners of Los Angeles, stating they were desirous of securing two pair of elk for their parks.

On motion duly seconded and carried, it was decided to donate 2 pair from G. G. Park, the expense of boxing, shipping, etc. to be borne by the Los Angeles Board.

Communication from the Union Oil Co. stating that it considered that the charge for drayage for delivering oil to G. G. Park to be just and reasonable as the oil was ordered and delivered in drums and not in tank wagon as called for in the contract.

Referred to Supt. Mclaren for settlement.

Request of A. Huff, Engineer of the Olympic Country Club for permission to ride along Great Highway, North of L St., on water mains. Being against the ordinance, denied.

Offer of Mrs. T. H. Marshall to sell to the Park Com. a collection of Continental Currency. Mr. Curlett, offer declined.

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Thos. Keogh, Attorney representing the automobile interests of the city appeared before the Board and earnestly urged that the present automobile ordinance be amended to allow automobiles the use of the South Drive in G. G. Park at all times.

The Commissioners stated that automobiles were allowed at present, the privelege asked for as long as the occupants of the vehicles conducted themselves in a proper and orderly manner and it was not deemed advisable to amend the ordinance as requested.

Architect Edgar Matthews presented plans and specifications for the model yacht boat house to be built at Spreckel's Lake.

The plans were examined and taken under consideration.

No further business. Meeting adjourned.

H. L. SCHMITZ,

Sec'y.

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H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Fulton Hotel, on Friday, October 20, 1905, were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" McLaren
" Partridge

Com. Wm. H. Watson was in the Superior Court and was unable to attend the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from the Merchants Association recommending that the underground public convenience station at Union Square be kept open during the evening until midnight.

On motion duly seconded and carried it was decided to refer the matter to the Board of Public Works as properly coming under its jurisdiction.

Communication of thanks from the C. E. Epworth League Alliance to the Park Commissioners for placing drinking fountains along the Ocean roadway.

Invitation received from the Alaska Yukon Park Commissioners, to the Golden Gate Park Commissioners to be their guests on the 27th at Alaska Yukon Park near San Jose for the purpose of securing suggestions and recommendations as to the best means of improving and developing the Alaska Yukon Park.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. McLaren and carried, Supt. Allardt was authorized to accept the invitation on behalf of the Board, visit San Jose and give the desired information.

The Secretary was directed to request the Board of Public Works to request the Board of Public Works to have the easterly one half of the Sutro Ft. entrance to the park transformed similar to the western part.

Request of J. A. Barrett for permission to plant shade trees in Golden Gate Park for commercial purposes. Denied.

Request of John D. Spreckels to drive horses over the park. Same was denied.

Communication received from Supt. Braun relative property, and recommending that statements be rendered to the Board of Public Works of the yearly rentals and expenses of the Sutro Baths.

On motion duly seconded filed, and Secretary was directed to notify

H. J. Schmitz,
Secretary.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a r gular meeti g of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel Friday, Nov. 3, 1905, was present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Supt. for month of October read and ordered filed.

Communication from the P. F. Gas Co., asking permission to lay and maintain a six inch cast iron gas main under the Great Highway from Fulton to N St. Deferred to Com. Lloyd.

L. F. Livermore sent a communication asking if the Commissioners were desirous of having a saddle captured at the battle of Pine Ridge.
The Secretary was instructed to reply and state that it would be acceptable as a gift but that there were no funds to purchase it.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Metson and carried it was decided that a sidewalk be layed along the east line of the Great Highway and that a trellace work be built along the same line for the purpose of ornamentation and to hide the unsightly signs there at present.

Communication received from the Cal. Promotion Committee complaining of excessive rates charged by Cal Drivers at Stanyan St. gate. Read and ordered filed.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Commissioners that Mrs. Honora Shay had bequeathed in her will $200,000. to President A. B. Spreckels and Himself. Com. Lloyd informed the Board that he and Pres. Spreckels had decided to donate the sum of $200,000. to the Park. As a protection in case of death Com. Lloyd stated that the necessary legal papers making such donation were being prepared.
On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried the gift was accepted and a vote of thanks was given to Pres. Spreckels and Com. Lloyd.
There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

At a postponed regular meeting of Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday, Nov. 3d, 1905. Were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
Absent " Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from Geo. F. Chapman of the United Railroads of S. F. asking for privilege to erect and maintain trolley poles upon Park property along the southerly line of Fulton St. from 24th to 48th Aves.
Matter was held over until next meeting and Mr. Chapman was asked to appear before the Board and explain exactly what was wanted.
Offer of Mr. E. F. Scheerin to loan to the Park Museum a collection of wood carvings purchased in Japan. Accepted with thanks.

Report of Curator John W. Rogers of the Museum of Curiosities sent to the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Board that Mr. Gipsan Marks had presented to the Park Commissioners the large and valuable ivory tusks at present on exhibition in the Park Museum.
Accepted and a vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Marks for his gift.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned to Friday, Dec. 8th, 1905.

Secretary.

A postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at 1000 Palace Hotel Friday, Dec. 8, 1905. Were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson
Absent " Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The Supt.'s report for month of November was read and the recommendations made therein were ordered carried out and the report filed.

Mrs. Muirhead, proprietress of the Seal Rock House at the ocean beach appeared before the Board petitioning for the privelege for automobiles running as far as F St. on the Great Highway. After a full discussion of the matter, it was taken under advisement.

Geo/ F. Chapman, Genl. Mgr. of the United R. R. appeared before the Board at the request of the Commissioners to explain in detail the petitions of the R. R. Co. to be allowed to place and maintain trolley poles in the park along the line of Fulton St. from 24th to 49th Ave.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Metson and carried, it was decided to place the poles outside of the park line along a line designated by the Supt.

Letter of thanks received from the Dept. of Parks of Los Angeles for the donation by the Board of two palms of Tik. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Curator John H. Rogers of loans and donations made to the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A postponed regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, Dec. 22, 1905. Were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
" Metson

Communication from Com. H. H. Sherwin enclosing price for 2 canes Japanese wood carvings to be placed in the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

Communication from Cal. College of Pharmacy, in reference to securing an appropriation from the State for the maintenance of the Garden of Medicine in the park. Referred to Com. Metson with full power to act.

Communication from the committee of [illegible] inviting the Board to witness inforcing the Board that the prizes [illegible] the children of the Children's Playground at the Junction of Van Ness Ave. and Market St.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Thorne and carried, the matter was referred to Com. Dingee for action on the same, the site of the prizes, to be [illegible] Committee of playgrounds at Van Ness Ave. and Market St.

Com. Sigmund of the Board of Public Works appeared before the Board asking the co-operation and assistance of the Park Commissioners in erecting a concrete wall along the westerly line of the Cliff House Road.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Metson and carried, the Supt. was directed to report at the next meeting the full details of the matter, the height of the wall, thickness and cost of the same.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Metson and carried, the Supt. was instructed to request the Supervisors to [illegible] offering a reward of $200. for the [illegible] the above and conviction of those [illegible] the offense complained of.

The gift of an old painting of Padre Pioneer [illegible] presented to the Park Museum by Mrs. [illegible] was accepted with thanks and ordered filed.

Gift by David T. Bowers of a [illegible] accepted with thanks.

On petition of Mrs. Muirhead, it was decided to allow automobiles to

run as far as B St. on the Great Highway, providing she removed the objectionable and unsightly signs maintained on property leased by her and fronting the Great Highway, on motion of Com. Metson seconded by Com. Dingee, and Carried. It was further understood that the present ordinance would not be changed and the first offense committed of running north of "B" St. would result in arrest and the revoking of the above permission.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Commissioners that a bequest of $50,000. had been made in the will of the late E. Walter, to the Art Museum in the park, and also the Walter Collection of paintings. The sum $50,000. is to go toward the construction of an art gallery where the Walter paintings may be properly hung and exhibited.

An additional bequest of $50,000. was left to the son of the testator, the income of which was to go to the son as compensation for caring for the paintings and attending to the proper placing of them, etc.

Meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday January 5, 1900. Were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Metson
" Dingee
" Cummings
Absent " Lloyd

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Supt. for month of December read and ordered filed.

The Supt. was directed to proceed with the widening and grading of the Cliff House road to a width of 40 feet and not exceeding a grade of 5%. The construction of the concrete wall on the westerly line of the road was also ordered to be begun with the understanding and provision that the Board of Public Works and the Sutro Estate should pay for 5/8 of the total cost of these improvements, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Metson and carried.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Metson and carried, it was decided to accept the offer of the California Nursery Co. to sell to the park Commissioners, 4 it's estimated about 80 plants, of Brythea Edulis palms at $5.00 each.

Communication received from M. H. Rose asking a proposition to the Commissioners to build an ice skating plant in Golden Gate Park.

Commissioners Dingee and Metson were appointed by Pres. Sprockels as a committee to investigate the offer as Mr. Rose stated that it was his belief that it would pay the running expenses of the park.

Report of Curator Rogers of loans and donations made to the museum. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Prof. F. Cember of the Dept. of Natural History of the Report of donations and exchanges. Read and ordered filed.

Commissioner Cummings reported to the Board on the site for the memorial to be erected in Commemoration of the services rendered by the Calif ornia Volunteers in the Spanish American war. The monument is to be 12 x 20 ft. and 30 ft. high. Com. Cummings stated that after a thorough investigation he was of the opinion that the best site for it would be in the center of the roadway of Van Ness Av. between Fell and Mc Allister.

On motion of Com. Metson seconded by Com. Dingee and carried the selection of the site reported by Com. Cummings was approved.

There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel on Friday Jan. 19, 1900. Were present:

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Watson
" Dingee
" Cummings
Absent " Lloyd

This being the first meeting of the new administration, Com. Cummings presented his certificate of re-appointment by his Honor, The Mayor. The same was regularly seconded and ordered filed.

Pres. A. B. Spreckels was duly nominated and unanimously re-elected to serve as President of the Board for the ensuing term.

On motion of Com. Watson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the following employees of the Board were re-appointed to serve for the coming term at the same salaries as at present paid: Secretary H. L. Schmitz and the present employees of the business office, and Supt. Jno. McLaren.

On motion of Com. Watson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the following were re-appointed to serve at the pleasure of the Board and under the same salary and arrangements as at present: Mrs. C. Millmore, Matron at the Children's Quarters and Mrs. G. Chalmers, Matron at the Stow Lake Boat-house.

It was decided also to continue to meet on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from John W. Rogers, Curator of Museum, calling the Commissioners' attention to three matters and asking their consideration and favorable action thereon.

1st. Recommending to increase salary of A. Lawson and employee at the Museum, receiving $2.50 per day.

On motion of Com. Watson duly seconded and carried, his salary was fixed at $2.75 per day.

2nd Removal of the gas meter from the Museum and leaving the building without means of lighting without apparent cause.

This matter was referred by President Spreckels to Com. Watson for investigation.

3rd Proposing the placing of wire netting under the glass roof of the Museum as a protection against accident to persons and exhibits in the building.

Referred to Com. Cummings and Supt. McLaren with full power to act.

Report of Curator Rogers of loans and donations made to the Museum. Read and ordered filed.

Report of Police Officer Clark of wild and destructive animals killed in the park. Read and ordered filed.

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Communication received from Jas. D. Phelan stating his desire to present to the Park Museum an oil painting entitled "Air in Mind" by Julia Payne, a San Francisco painter.
Accepted with thanks.

Supt. McLaren reported that it would be necessary to secure fir logs in the construction of the Athletic field 12 or 14 dump carts and the necessary rails to run them on.

The Supt. further stated that contractor Dyon McHugh had offered to furnish the necessary dump carts and rails to the park for 4 months and offered to accept in payment therefor 500 loads of sand, or 1000 cubic yards.

On motion of Com. Watson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the offer was accepted.

One of the property owners along S. St. appeared before the Board asking that the station in the park at S. and the Ocean R. be removed to another site as it was his opinion that the present location on account of the increasing automobile travel, etc. was not a good one. Referred to the Supt. for report.

No further business, the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. L. Schmitz
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, Feb. 16, 1906, were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
Absent " Matson
" Cummings

Minutes of the previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of the Precita Valley Impt. Club asking that a concrete coping be constructed around Bernal Park.
Ordered filed. The placing of the coping was not deemed advisable until the street work was done.

Communication received from the Mission Park Association requesting that arc lights be placed around Mission Park.
Referred to the Light Committee of the Board of Supervisors.

Request of the Olympic Club for permission to hold the annual 5 mile race in Golden Gate Park on Feb. 22nd. Permission granted, the affair to be held under the direction of Supt. McLaren.

Curator Rogers of the Museum was directed to place the proper cards upon the two stuffed dogs presented to the museum by Mr. D. D. Whe, giving the description and history of the two animals as fully as possible.

Report of Curator Rogers of loans made to the museum.
Referred to Com. Cummings

Commissioner Lloyd reported to the Commissioners that Mr. Pissel had kindly presented to the park Museum a beautiful painting 10 x 8 ft. entitled "A Town Crier in the Valley" and which would be ready for delivery March 15th.
On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried the gift was accepted with thanks.

The question was discussed in connection with the proper location of certain Chinese relics presented to the Park Museum by the Society of the Native Sons.
On motion duly made, Com. Dingee, Com. Lloyd, Mr. Washington, the portrait of the late [illegible] and others [illegible] were ordered donated to the Society of California Pioneers of San Francisco.

Com. Lloyd reported the gift by Dr. Miller and Mr. [illegible] of an oil painting [illegible] and [illegible] were accepted with thanks.
The request of [illegible] for permission to erect [illegible] on the Panhandle to [illegible] was referred to the Supt. of Parks with power to act.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

[signature]
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1000 Palace Hotel Friday Feb. 2, 1906, Were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings
Absent " Matson.

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Supt.'s report for month of January read and ordered filed and recommendation as to removal of railway station approved and ordered carried out.

In the matter of the application of the Ocean Shore Railway Co. for permission to cross over the westerly end of S. S. Park.

WHEREAS, Commissioner Lloyd presented a form of contract proposed to be entered into by and between the Ocean Shore Railway Company, party of the first part, and the PARK Commissioners, as party of the second part, and explained the purport of said contract to the Commissioners;

THEREUPON Commissioner Lloyd offered the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED that the above mentioned contract be and same entered into by and between the PARK Commissioners and the Ocean Shore Railway Company;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the President and Secretary of this Board be and they hereby are authorized for and on behalf of the Park Commissioners to make and enter into said contract.

Said resolution was duly seconded by Com. Dingee and on the question passed by the Commissioners present.

The Secretary was directed to file the contract with the records of the office and to have the same spread upon the minutes.

Communication from the Parks & Public Works Association relative to the [illegible] of the City. Ordered [illegible] and [illegible].
The Chief Engineer of the Fire Department reported that the necessary [illegible] had been [illegible] and that the [illegible] would be completed [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible].

Communication from the Chamber of Commerce [illegible] Park Commissioners [illegible] Ordered [illegible].
The Secretary was directed to [illegible] Commissioners [illegible] Ordered [illegible].

Request of [illegible] Dingee, Chairman of the [illegible] Committee [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at 1090 Palace Hotel, Friday, Feb. 16, 1906, were present:

Pres. Sprechels
Com. Lloyd
" Diggee
Absent " Watson
" Cushing

Minutes of the previous meeting [illegible]

Petition of the Presita Valley [illegible] concrete coping be constructed around Bernal Park [illegible] Ordered filed. The placing of [illegible] table until the street work was done.

Communication received from [illegible] that arc lights be placed [illegible] Referred to the Light Com[illegible]

Request of the Olympic Cl[illegible] while use in Golden Gate Park on [illegible] affair to be held under the direction [illegible]

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Report of Curator R[illegible] Referred to Com. C[illegible]

Commissioner Lloyd [illegible] had kindly presente[illegible] 6 ft. titled "The Town C[illegible] for delivery March 15th[illegible] On motion of Com[illegible] was accepted with thanks.

The Secretary [illegible] ance company of Hartford for the [illegible] contents of Mr. [illegible] Mr. Cl[illegible] ssington, the certificate of the [illegible] re, duly executed with [illegible]

[illegible] receipt of [illegible] for 220 tins [illegible] of 10 inch [illegible] ing [illegible] Thare[illegible]

favorably passed upon by Com. Cushing. Report and papers filed.

Com. Member T. Lloyd reported to the Board that Mr. C. W. Nute offered to present to the Park Museum the "Buffalo Bull, Museum & Whitney", well known in the early history of San Francisco, and made a motion that the same be accepted with thanks. Seconded by Com. Diggee and carried.

Offer of the Century Club of Cal. offering to exhibit in the Park Museum a collection of Philippine Rats. Referred to Com. Cushing.

In relation of W. H. H. Hardy, to hold their annual Field Contest run in Golden Gate Park on Decoration Day, 30th.

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cushing and carried unanimously was granted the use of the Park under direction of the Supt.

On motion of Com. Diggee seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried, the granting of the labor agreement of the Janitors & Engineers Union and for the Secretary to sign. [illegible] Especially, on motion of Com. Cushing seconded by Com. Diggee and carried, the action of the Board of Park Commissioners was approved.

There being no further business the meeting [illegible]

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at 1000 Palace Hotel, Friday, March 2/1906., were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of Sup't. read and ordered filed.

Report of Curator Rogers of the Museum of donations made. Read and ordered filed.

No bids were received in answer to the advertisement for 10" cast iron water pipe, and as it was very urgent and necessary that it be procured without delay, the matter of securing the same was referred to Pres. Sprockels, with power to order and purchase the pipe in the East if not obtainable in town.- on motion of Commissioner Lloyd, seconded by Commissioner Metson and carried.

Application of C. Stader of Glen Park for young trees and shrubbery denied, as same was to be used in private grounds.

Communication received from G. Wayne Coffee in reference to Stow Lake Road and ordered filed.

Communication received from Mme. J. Junoszs, artist, asking authority to collect a sufficient sum of money from public spirited citizens to purchase for the Museum 3 copies made by her of famous pictures. Referred to Commissioner Cummings with full power to act.

Several of the Commissioners complained that they had observed chaffeurs abusing the automobile privileges in the park, and were of the opinion that some action should be taken to stop it.
On motion of Commissioner Lloyd, seconded by Commissioner Dingee and carried, the Sup't. was directed to place four men to act as special watchmen in the park - 2 to be stationed along the South Drive and 2 on the Great Highway, for the purpose of securing the numbers and causing the arrest of the automobilists that were ignoring the rules and regulations established by the automobile ordinance. It was further decided that if the abuses were not abated that the automobile privileges be recinded.

Commissioner Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Metson and carried that all walks, avenues and roads in the park be named and that suitable signs be placed thereon plainly designating each name, and also that proper direction and sign posts be erected at various points in the park.

The Sup't. was directed to have a survey made of the land connecting the Presidio and Golden Gate Park, recently purchased by the

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Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

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W. J. Dahming
Secretary.

bond issue and turned over to the Commissioners for park purposes, also to report the estimated cost of placing it in proper shape for park use and suitable designs etc for the same, on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded by Com. Metson and carried.

The Secretary was authorized to advertise for bids for the pumps for the new Sam'l. G. Murphy windmill as per specifications on file in the office.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Pope & Talbot for their donation to the park, for the wings of the new windmill, the necessary clear sticks measuring 114 feet in length, 2 feet square in center and 8 inches at tips.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmidt
Secretary.

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Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

There being no quorum present the meeting was postponed by Pres. Sprockels to Friday, March 23, 1906.

H. J. Schmidt
Secretary.

A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Mayor's Office, Century Hall Bldg., Franklin & Sutter Sts. on Tuesday, May 29, 1906. Were present:

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

The Secretary reported to the Board that the minutes of the meeting of Apr. 6, 1906 were destroyed in the fire of Apr. 18th and he was authorized to, as far as possible, rewrite the same.

Supt. McLaren submitted his report for the month of April. The principal matter of importance being the estimated damage, suffered by the various buildings in the Park by the earthquake of Apr. 18th 1906.

The report showed that the Sprockel's Temple of Music was damaged to the extent of $15,000. On motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and carried, it was ordered repaired and the services of Architect Reid were authorized to be engaged to draw up the necessary plans and specifications.

The Museum Bldg. also was badly wrecked, requiring $10,000. for the necessary repairs.

The Emergency Hospital Bldg. was damaged to the extent of about $4,000.

Granite Bridge was damaged to the extent of $750.00.

The Curator's Cottage $300. damage.

The Beach Chalet had $2,000. damage.

Sweeney Panorama Bldg. entirely wrecked.

Report read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and carried, Supt. McLaren was directed to have, at once, the necessary repairs made to the Children's Quarters.

On motion of Com. Dingee, seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried, Com. Cummings with Supt. McLaren were appointed a committee to restore the Museum Bldg.

On motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and carried, it was decided that the services of Architect Reid be also engaged to prepare plans and specifications for the repairs to the Children's Quarters. The work to be done under direction of Supt. McLaren, who was given full power to act in the matter. On the motion duly seconded and carried, the Supt. was directed to proceed as soon as possible with the repairs of the Fair Hospital Bldg. and to engage the necessary force of mechanics to do the work on the same and also to proceed immediately to the the necessary repairs to the Park Lodge.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried, Com. Cummings was given full power to engage the services of such persons as he may deem necessary to assist ~~in~~ supply and ~~to do the~~ the work.

The Supt. was directed to suspend all work being performed in Golden Gate Park and ~~[illegible]~~ maintenance

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office, Friday, June 15, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of May was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Communications received from Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman Finance Committee of the Red Cross and Relief Funds protesting against the establishment and maintaining of a temporary building for the St. Francis Hotel in Union Square. Read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was authorized to rent out the Japanese Tea Garden privilege.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids for linseed oil, white lead, cement and lime, fuel oil, lumber etc. for use in the park.

Communication received from Mr. Jas. Woods, Manager Hotel St. Francis, stating the conditions under which his company was erecting a temporary structure in Union Square. Same was read and approved of by the Board.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

as far as possible and to allow the funds, [illegible] and the time and services of the Sup't. be used in repairing the various damaged buildings.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried a vote of thanks was extended to Sup't. and Mgr. McLaren for the magnificient and efficient manner in which assistance was given to the homeless who applied to the Park Police for food and shelter. [illegible]

Com. Wm. H. Metson reported to the Board that during the time of the earth-quake and fire, he had issued various orders in the name of the Park Commission for the interest of the refugees.

On Apr. 18th permission was given by Com. Met on to refugees to go into Union Square Park and Jefferson Square, and he also wrote a letter to Sup't. McLaren asking him to allow refugees to go into these squares, and also the horses and teams at any place in Golden Gate Park, also asking the Sup't. to use the Park teams Assisting in hauling food for refugees.

On Apr. 20th he issued directions for the Spring Valley Water Co. to go into Garfield Square at 20th & Harrison Sts. for the period of one year, they to leave on 20 days notice. This permit was given to Mr. Schussler, the Chief Engineer. The city was short of water and Mr. Schussler stated that his company had no place to erect a pump and were at a loss to know what to do.

The permit was issued by Com. Metson granting the Water Co. the privilege of maintaining a pump in the square for one year.

[illegible] permission was granted to Mgr. Crocker to establish a camp on Union Square for the purpose of feeding the hungry men, the proceeds to go to the Relief Fund.

An Emergency Hospital was located in Jefferson Square. The work had started before it was seen by Com. Metson and the [illegible] disposed to reject them, because it was an emergency matter, later on however, the Board of Health started to put up a stable at Jefferson Square for the use of the horses attached to the Emergency Hospital service and proposed cutting down some trees, etc. The Commissioners objected to the work going on and stopped same.

For the purpose of adjusting insurance of the policy holders of San Francisco, the adjusters were given a temporary location in Union Square. A small building has been erected by the Sup't. for their use.

In the above matter Com. Kelly reported that he had no time to consult with the other members of the Board and acted upon his own responsibility and asked for their action in the matter.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried the acts of Com. Kelly were ratified and approved of by the Board, and he was commended for the [illegible] for his official services.

On motion of Com. Kelly duly seconded and carried, the use of the park until further orders from the Board, was to be allowed the campers.

It was decided that no unnecessary damage to trees or shrubbery should be permitted.

Sup't. McLaren was instructed to regulate same.

Secretary Jno. F. Byrne filed a monthly report of the Park Museum, which was read and ordered filed.

A Meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office, Friday, June 15, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of May was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Communications received from Jas. D. Phelan, Chairman Finance Committee of the Red Cross and Relief Funds protesting against the establishment and maintaining of a temporary building for the St. Francis Hotel in Union Square. Read and ordered filed.

On motion of Com. Dingee seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was authorized to rent out the Japanese Tea Garden privilege.

The Secretary was directed to advertise for bids for linseed oil, white lead, cement and lime, fuel oil, lumber etc. for use in the park.

Communication received from Mr. Jas. Woods, Manager Hotel St. Francis, stating the conditions under which his company was erecting a temporary structure in Union Square. Same was read and approved of by the Board.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

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Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Lloyd
" Metson

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In addition a detailed report was filed by him on damages to the various departments under his control. Read and ordered Filed.

Henry T. Scott of the St. Francis Hotel Co. appeared before the Board requesting permission for his company to build and maintain for a period of nine months or a year, a temporary structure in Union Square.

The building was to be used for the accomodation of guests of the Hotel.

This permission was asked in the interest of the business of San Francisco.

He stated that tourists were taken to Oakland and to various towns about the Bay, and in order to have them reside in San Francisco, he requested that his company be given the privilege asked for.

He agreed that the building would be removed by his company upon 30 days notice.

It was suggested by Mr. Scott of the St. Francis Hotel Co. that the profits of this structure were to go to the Park Fund.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried, the permission asked for was granted. The building to be erected under the direction of Supt. McLaren.

There being no farther business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held on Friday, July 6, 1906., at the office of Com. Reuben H. Lloyd., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Metson
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for month of June read and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Communication received from the representatives of the Presbyterian Church of the City of San Francisco, requesting permission to erect a large tent in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of holding therein religious services. Request denied, the same being prohibited by the provisions of the Charter.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Callaghan owner of the building at the corner of McAllister and Market Sts. for his kind donation of the stone from his building, necessary to repair the Park Emergency Hospital.

In answer to the advertisement for bids for supplying the park, the following were received:-

W. P. Fuller & Co.
White Lead 7-1/5 cts per lb.
Linseed oil 47 " " gal.
Certified check $40.

California Asphaltum Agency, Union Oil Co.
Fuel oil 65 cts per bbl.
Certified check $185.

Standard Oil Co.
Fuel oil 58 cts per bbl.
Linseed oil 51 " " gal.
Certified check $140.

Dalziel, Moller Co.
Calking lead 6.65 cts per lb.
Certified check $30.

On motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded and carried, W. P. Fuller was awarded the contract of supplying the linseed oil at 47 cts per gal, that being the lowest bid, and white lead at 7-1/5 cts per lb.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, July 20, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Application of Rev. Frank S. Ford for permission to erect a church in Dubocs Park for temporary use by his Congregation denied, the same being contrary to the provisions of the Charter.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd reported to the Board that he, accompanied by Com. Cummings, and the Sup't. and Secretary, appeared before the Finance Committee of the General Relief Committee and requested an appropriation for the purpose of giving employment to the able bodied men camping on the various squares about the City and in Golden Gate Park. Com. Lloyd proposed that the recently purchased park property connecting the Park and the Presidio Reservation be graded and improved for Park purposes and the appropriation asked for, to be used to pay the refugees for the labor performed by them. The Finance Committee favorably considered the matter and stated that it would recommend the giving of the appropriation asked for, namely $100,000.

A vote of thanks was given to Com. Reuben H. Lloyd, for his forsight and for his efforts to secure fund.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, the Sup't. was directed not to allow any more refugee camps to be located in the city squares. There was at present quarters for over 1000 more refugees at the camp in the Park at the Speedway, and it was deemed advisable by the Commissioners to concentrate the refugees as far as possible at this location.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Relief Commission and other Relief authorities to this effect.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Standard Oil Co. was awarded the contract for fuel oil on their bid of 58 cts per bbl., the lowest bid.

Harvey Bennington a refugee of Garfield Square appeared before the Board stating that he was a committee representing 200 or 300 refugees camping in the Square, and protested against their removal from their present location. The Relief and Red Cross Committees had notified them that on account of lack of sanitary facilities in Garfield Square that they must move to another location. Mr. Bennington disputed the authority of the Red Cross and Relief Committees and entered his protest with the Commissioners who informed him that he and those he represented must abide by the orders they had received, as the Committees of Relief and Red Cross had entire charge and control of the Refugee Camps.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, July 20, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Dingee
" Metzen

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There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Com. Lloyd's office on Friday, August 3, 1906., were present:-

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for the month of July was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

Request received from the Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Circus, under the Ringling Bros. management, for permission to occupy a portion of Mission Square on the 8th., 9th., and 10th., of Sept. Request granted providing the circus people would do some necessary grading in the park and deposit with the Park Commission $500. to be donated to the Relief Fund, which the Circus people agreed to do.

Communication received from the Board of Education asking the Park Commissioners to donate for temporary school purposes in Golden Gate Park some unused wooden structures located in the Deer Paddock. Granted on motion of Com. Dingee, duly seconded and carried.

Copy received from the Health Commission of a resolution passed by it disposing of several refugee camping sites in the City Squares on account of the unsanitary condition, and asking the co-operation of the Park Commissioners in accomplishing the object of the resolution. Referred to Sup't. McLaren for action on motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried.

Through the suggestion and efforts of Com. Reuben H. Lloyd, Mr. Frederick A Robbins a resident of this city, traveling in Japan, donated to the Park Museum two large handsome Japanese lanters. Gift was accepted with thanks, and on motion of Com. Dingee seconded and carried a vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Lloyd for his interest in the matter.

Report of Prof. Gruber of the Dep't. of Natural History of the Park Museum, read and ordered filed.

Communication received from A. W. Torrey, Mayor of the City of Eureka, asking that the Park Commissioners, in order to assist that place in establishing a public park, to donate to it a pair of Elk. Request granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

A vote of thanks was given to Pres. A. B. Spreckels for his kind donation of a pair of giant clam or Tridacna Gigas shells, from the Indian Ocean.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Dingee's office on Friday, August 17, 1906, were present:-

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels
Com. Metson

His Honor, the Mayor attended the meeting.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The members of the Relief and Rehabilitation Committee's appeared before the Board asking the co-operation of the Board of Park Commissioners in providing suitable shelter for the winter for the refugees. Committeeman Magee on behalf of the Relief Committee stated that it was their intention to build portable houses and barracks in the Park and Public Squares, the houses to remain for one or two years, and asked permission to erect them. Commissioner Lloyd in reply stated that the Park Commissioners in the past had done everything within their power to assist in relieving the unfortunate refugees and would continue to do so in the future. He called attention of the Relief Committee to the provision of the Charter that park property could not be used for any but park pleasure purposes and therefore the permission for occupancy could not be granted, but that the Park Commissioners would not remove the houses if they were built in the parks and squares.

His Honor the Mayor, stated that a great deal of uneasiness had been occasioned by the appearance of permanency of some of the buildings already erected in the City Squares, particularly mentioning Union Square, and recommended that a time limit be set by the Park Commissioners for such occupancy. Commissioner Lloyd stated that no building not used for park purposes would be allowed to remain longer than one year, and such notice would be officially served to all, and the following resolution on motion of Commissioner Dingee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings was unanimously carried. Resolved that no buildings or structures be erected in the park or squares without the consent and under the direction of the Superintendent. Notice is hereby served to all, that all and every building, tent or structure of any and every description in the park or squares not used for park pleasure purposes must be removed therefrom on or before the 17th day of August, 1907. The Superintendent is hereby ordered and directed to remove on or before August 17, 1907, all intruders from the City Parks and Squares and all and every building not used for park pleasure purposes."

Communication received from Geo. H. Bates, attorney-at-law, notifying the Park Commissioners that Mrs. Susanna Brown, deceased, had bequeathed the sum of $5000., to the Commission for the purpose of erecting a gate or archway at the Haight street entrance of Golden Gate

Action of Com. Lloyd in allowing Mr. Magee of the Relief Committee to temporarily exhibit in Union Square a sample refugee's home, approved by the Board.

In answer to the advertisement for the same the following bids were received:-

Scott & Magner			
	Wheat hay	$17.95	per ton
	Oat "	17.00	" "
	Barley	1.55	per sack
	Oats	1.65	" "
	Bran	23.50	" ton
J. L. Vermeil & Co.			
	Wheat hay	17.71	per ton
	Oat "	16.71	" "
	Barley	1.52	" sack
	Oats	1.64	" "
	Bran	21.90	" ton
Somers & Co.			
	Wheat hay	17.88	per ton
	Oat "	17.88	" "
	Barley	1.40	" sack
	Oats	1.75	" "
Miller & Co.			
	Wheat hay	18.25	per ton
	Oat "	16.95	" "
	Barley	1.37-1/2	per sk.
	Oats	1.69	" "

On motion duly seconded and carried the contract for the above was awarded to Vermeil & Co., being the lowest bidder.

Thomas Morton & Son.

Pennsylvania Egg Coal	$15.	per ton
Welsh Anthracite "	15.25	" "
Wellington "	8.20	" "

On motion seconded and carried the contract for coal was awarded to Thos. Morton & Son, only bidder.

Dalziel, Moller & Co. was awarded the contract for 5000 feet of pipe on their bid of 2" galv.pipe at $13.70 per 100 feet, and 1-1/2" galv.pipe at $10.25 per 100 feet., being the only bidder.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secty.

Park or at such other entrance to said park as they may deem advisable, suitably inscribed and dedicated as the gift of her beloved husband Richard Brown, deceased. The gift was thankfully received and the matter turned over to Com. Lloyd representing the Park Commission.

Com. Cummings proposed to the Commissioners that a unique stone fence be constructed along the Stanyan Street side of the park. He was of the opinion that sufficient stone for this purpose could be gathered up from the various down town streets. The suggestion was adopted and referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act.

Communication received from Mrs. Dora M. Williams, 1019 Vallejo St., reporting the loss of a basket left in the care of Foreman Paulsen of Washington Square. Referred to the Sup't.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Dingee was authorized in the absence of Pres. Spreckels to sign checks for payment for labor on the Athletic Field.

There being no further business, meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secty.

At a meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office, Sept. 14th., there present were Commissioners Lloyd, Dingee and Cummings, absent Commissioners Sprechels and Watson.

The Secretary not being present the minutes of the former meeting were not read.

It was moved and carried that Commissioner Dingee take the chair, Commissioner Cummings acting as Secty.

The order of the meeting was that the Sup't. be instructed to stop all dumping on Jackson Square and to have the Secty. advertise for bids for said privilege, the Board having received bids of from $400. to $600. for the privilege.

A delegation of citizens from the neighborhood of Alta Plaza was present to protest against the erection of relief cottages in that square. It was decided not to allow cottages to be erected on Alta Plaza, Lafayette or Alamo Square.

The Dow Pumping Co's. specifications and drawings for the pumps for the Murphy Windmill were accepted and the award so ordered.

Several competitive designs were offered for the Richard Brown Memorial Gate to be placed at the entrance of Eight Ave. The selection was made by Mr. A. C. Hooper, one of the executors of Mrs Brown's will. The selection receiving the approval of the Board, was accepted, Lansburgh and Joseph Archt.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, on Friday, October 9, 1896., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Dingee
" Watson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Sprechels

On motion of Commissioner Dingee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings, Com. Wm. H. Watson was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution closing the bicycle path was presented, and on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 3
Closing certain paths in Golden Gate Park.
to Bicyclists.

The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That certain road or path in the Golden Gate Park, commencing at a point on the South side of the Main Drive in said Park at or near the Subway under said Drive, and opposite the Conservatory, and continuing thence along the south side of, and parallel to said Main Drive, to the junction of said Main Drive with the Great Highway, which path is commonly known as the "Bicycle Road", is hereby closed to bicyclists and it shall be unlawful for any person to ride a bicycle on said road or any part thereof.
Section 11. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 111. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The following resolution converting the former bicycle path into a road for equestrians was presented, and on motion duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 4
Setting apart and reserving for the exclusive use
of Equestrians Certain paths and ways in
Golden Gate Park.

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The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That portion of the road or path in the Golden Gate Park commonly known as the "Bicycle Road", commencing at a point on the south side of the Main Drive in said Park where the road leading to the Museum diverges from the said Main Drive, and running thence along the south side of, and parallel to, the said Main Drive to the junction of

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Com. Dingee's office, Friday, Sept., 21st., 1906., were present:-

Com. Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Wm. J. Dingee was elected to preside at the meeting.

In answer to the advertisement calling for bids for the exclusive privilege of dumping debris in Jackson Park filling it to the official grade of the street, the following were received:-

Rudolph Spreckels $1135, certified check $113.50
Warren Improvement Co. 3200. " " 320.00

The privilege was awarded to Warren Improvement Co., on its bid of $3200., on motion duly seconded and carried.

Communication received from Henry R. Worthington Pump Company protesting against the awarding of contract for the Samuel G. Murphy windmill machinery to the Dow Pumping Engine Co. The matter was fully and satisfactory explained by Com. Reuben H. Lloyd and the Communication was ordered filed.

Communication received, signed by a number of bicyclists and bicycle dealers protesting against confining the bicyclists to the bicycle paths, and requesting that they be given the privilege of using the driveways in the park. On motion of Com. Metson duly seconded and unanimously carried it was decided to rescind the present bicycle ordinance, to amend the same to comply with the bicyclists request, and to convert the present bicycle roads to bridle paths. Com. Wm. H. Metson was appointed a committee to prepare the amended ordinance.

A communication received from Wm. T. Love signing himself general manager of the United Refugees, protesting against authority being given the Relief and Red Cross Committees in the park and squares, and finding fault with the manner in which the Relief Funds were being expended. As the Park Commissioners have never granted permission to erect houses in the park and squares and had nothing to do with the Relief Funds, and as far as they knew the funds were being properly cared for and managed, on motion duly seconded and carried the communication was ordered filed.

The Sup't. was directed to investigate and to report to the Board the number of ablebodied refugees living in the park and squares, and to keep the refugees off the recreation ground, the lawn tennis courts and the bowling green, and to cause their removal to the unimproved

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, on Friday, October 5, 1906., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Dingee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Spreckels

On motion of Commissioner Dingee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings, Com. Wm. H. Metson was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution closing the bicycle path was presented, and on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 3
Closing certain paths in Golden Gate Park.
to Bicyclists.

The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That certain road or path in the Golden Gate Park, commencing at a point on the south side of the Main Drive in said Park at or near the Stanyan Gateway under said Drive, and opposite the Conservatory, and continuing thence along the south side of, and parallel to said Main Drive, to the junction of said Main Drive with the Great Highway, which path is commonly known as the "Bicycle Road", is hereby closed to bicyclists and it shall be unlawful for any person to ride a bicycle on said road or any part thereof.
Section 11. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 111. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The following resolution converting the former bicycle path into a road for equestrians was presented, and on motion duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 4
Setting apart and reserving for the exclusive use of Equestrians Certain paths and ways in Golden Gate Park.

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The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That portion of the road or path in the Golden Gate Park commonly known as the "Bicycle Road", commencing at a point on the south side of the Main Drive in said Park where the road leading to the Museum diverges from the said Main Drive, and running thence along the south side of, and parallel to, the said Main Drive to the junction of

park property consisting of 7 square blocks, extending from the northerly side of the park to the Presidio Reservation. The secretary was instructed to call the attention of Committeeman Thos. Magee, of the Relief Building Committee to this desirable building site, and to request that the refugees be moved from the Park and Squares to this location.

Com. Wm. H. Metson reported to the Board that he had observed many automobilists breaking the automobile rules in Golden Gate Park, and on motion of Com. Metson, duly seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried, it was decided to strictly enforce the ordinance, and the Secretary was directed to have the automobile rules printed, distributed to the various automobile garages and displayed in conspicuous places.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Magee's office, on Friday, October 8, 1906., were present:-

Commissioner Lloyd
" Magee
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Sprockels

On motion of Commissioner Magee, duly seconded by Commissioner Cummings, Com. Wm. H. Metson was unanimously elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

The following resolution closing the bicycle path was presented, and on motion of Com. Magee duly seconded was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. 3
Closing certain paths in Golden Gate Park.
to Bicyclists.

The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That certain road or path in the Golden Gate Park, commencing at a point on the South side of the Main Drive in said Park at or near the Subway under said Drive, and opposite the Conservatory, and continuing thence along the south side of, and parallel to said Main Drive, to the junction of said Main Drive with the Great Highway, which path is commonly known as the"Bicycle Road", is hereby closed to bicyclists and it shall be unlawful for any person to ride a bicycle on said road or any part thereof.
Section 11. Any person violating any provision of this Ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.
Section 111. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

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The Board of Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco, in regular meeting assembled, do ordain as follows:-
Section 1. That portion of the road or path in the Golden Gate Park commonly known as the "Bicycle Road", commencing at a point on the south side of the Main Drive in said Park where the road leading to the Museum diverges from the said Main Drive, and running thence along the south side of, and parallel to, the said Main Drive to the junction of

the said Main Drive with the Great Highway, is hereby set apart and reserved for the exclusive use of equestrians; and it shall be unlawful for any person to walk thereon, or to drive any buggy, carriage or other vehicle thereon, or to run any automobile thereon, or upon any other road or pathway which has been heretofore set apart or reserved for the exclusive use of equestrians.

Section 11. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.

Section 111. This Ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Report of Sup't. for month of September was read and ordered filed and the recommendations contained therein were ordered carried out.

A communication from Shreve & Co. addressed to Com. Wm. J. Dingee, offering to present to the Park Commissioners, to be placed in a suitable location in Golden Gate Park, a bronze lion, natural size, which was recovered from the burned out art rooms of Shreve & Co., after the great conflagration of April 18th to 21st.

Commissioner Cummings reported to the Board that J. D. McGilvray had kindly consented to present to the Commissioners the stone base or pedestal necessary for mounting the statue.

The gift of Shreve & Co. was accepted and a vote of thanks was extended them, also to Mr. McGilvray for his donation.

On motion duly seconded and carried, Com. Cummings was appointed to select the proper site for the lion and prepare the inscription for the same for approval at next meeting of the Board.

Request of the Board of Public Works for permission to dump temporarily street sweepings in Mission Park. Granted providing that the street sweepings deposited were acceptable to the Sup't.

Petition of the Refugees of Lafayette Square to remain there, stating that many of them were employed in the immediate neighborhood. Mrs. J. W. Scott representing the Refugees stated to the Board that the refugees were in the Square and proposed remaining until Aug. 17, 1907.

Thos. Magee and members of the Relief Committee appeared before the Board asking that they be allowed to erect houses for the refugees in all the Squares.

Com. Wm. H. Metson and the other Commissioners of the Board explained to the committee that great damage was being done the squares, the lawns were being ruined, shrubs destroyed and trees that had taken 25 years to grow and develop were being killed and that the houses could be placed on suitable sites that were unimproved and where no damage would result.

Attention was further called to the fact that the title to park lands was being jeopardized by the fact that the land was being used for other than park purposes, and it was the duty of the Commissioners to protect the interests of the park property.

The following resolution was on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Lloyd unanimously adopted.

WHEREAS the late calamity caused many of the inhabitants of San Francisco to take refuge in the public parks and squares, and also concentrated our former population in an area of about two-fifths of the city;

AND WHEREAS said refugees have ever since been forced to live in tents and make-shift buildings, and thus occupy nearly all of the main public squares at the present time;

AND WHEREAS said occupation in that way is a menace to their own health and the health of the public at large, and the conditions are bound to get worse during the rainy season at hand, and more adequate provision should be made for the housing of said unfortunates; And Whereas said occupation is also a deprivation of the protection said squares and parks would afford in the event of another great fire;

AND WHEREAS the continual occupation of said parks and squares in such manner will be the cause of destruction of trees of twenty-five years of age and upwards, besides an actual expense of from $[illegible].00 to $[illegible].00 for each square, in re-parking the same.

AND WHEREAS said public parks, by reason of the great congestion thereabouts, are more needed now than ever for purposes of recreation, and for breathing purposes, to say nothing of the impression and depressing effects that the present use of said squares and parks shows upon visitors to the city and upon our own people;

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Public Parks and Squares be and he is hereby instructed to at once clear said public parks and squares of all tents, and thereafter of all other buildings that have been erected therein and are not used exclusively for park purposes;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that those parks and squares in the parts of the city which have not been touched by fire and where the population is now thickest, be first cleared, and the remaining parks and squares thereafter in regular order; and that it

BE FURTHER RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Public Parks and Squares make provision for the temporary erection of houses for those really in need and now occupying tents and buildings upon other public squares than those hereinafter named, upon the following blocks and squares, to wit:-

The tier of Blocks comprising the Golden Gate Park and Presidio parkway on which there is room for - - 2600

Lobos Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 1600

South Park - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 170

Columbia Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 300

Washington Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - 200

Playground Block - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 600

Mission Park - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 400

Franklin Square - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - 400

TOTAL, 6270

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all the tents and inflammable buildings now on public squares and parks must be removed therefrom within thirty days from this date.

Prof. Steindorf of the Park Band appeared before the Board and was directed by the Board to hold concerts in Golden Gate Park from 2 to 4.30 o'clock on Sundays.

Davis & Klein attorneys for the Automobile Omnibus Van and Transfer Co. requested permission to the Co. to run vans or busses through the Park. Permission was granted with the understanding that the automobile ordinance be observed and that no advertising matter be placed on the vehicles.

Com. Dingee made a motion that Sup't. McLaren be instructed to use force if necessary in removing houses built in the squares contrary to the wishes and orders of the Board of Park Commissioners, and to at once stop all additional building.

Com. Reuben H. Lloyd made a motion seconded by Com. Cummings that houses built in the parks and squares be allowed to remain temporarily and until provision was made elsewhere for housing the refugees, and that the houses in course of construction be allowed to be completed.

The motion was carried by the following vote.

Ayes Com. Lloyd
" " Cummings
No. " Wm. J. Dingee

The Sup't. was directed to confer with the Police Dept. and request the enforcement of the Automobile ordinance. Chairman Wm. H. Metson was requested to interview the Police Commissioners and endeavor to secure additional police for the Park.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.

A. J. Schmidt
Secty.
Park Commissioners.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office, Friday, October 19, 1906., were present:-

Com. Sprockels, Pres.
" Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

A number of citations having been sent out, Mr. J. A. Lynch, Auto. License #436 and Miss McMillan Auto. License #3282 appeared before the Board and made satisfactory explanations in answer to the charge of non-observance of the automobile ordinance in the park. Mr. C. A. Boyer wrote a communication to the Commissioners in answer to the same charge, stating that his auto number had been lost since the fire of April 18th., and that others had probably been using his license.

The license of the following not answering to the charge made were ordered revoked, #615 Pope Toledo Co., #2887 L. A. Wares, #6308 R. P. Slossen, #6731 Norman Bros. Co., #1472 J. J. McBren, #3017 C. A. Bridge, #2951 Clara Norig.

Com. Wm. H. Metson was appointed a committee on the matter and was requested to draw up a communication to the California Automobile Club, stating that unless the Club would co-operate with the Commissioners in enforcing the ordinance as it had agreed when the privileges were granted, that the Park Commissioners would revoke the ordinance and withdraw all privileges at present enjoyed by them.

Communication received from Rudolph J. Teussig protesting against his arrest in Golden Gate Park for not obeying the automobile ordinance. Read and ordered filed.

Request received from a committee of the San Francisco Clubs for permission to use the 5/8 mile track in the park for the purpose of holding bicycle races on November 4th. Permission granted providing that no betting be allowed and that no money be given for trophies.

Communication from Frank W. Sawyer, Attorney at Law, in reference to holding concerts in Jefferson Square. Read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

A. J. Schmidt
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, November 2, 1906.,

were present

Commissioner Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent,

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee

On motion unanimously carried Com. Wm. H. Metson was selected to preside at the meeting.

Application of Hire's Root Beer Co. to sell its wares in Golden Gate Park was rejected by the Commissioners.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent for the month of October read and on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out and the necessary repairs to the various buildings completed.

The Superintendent was directed to allow no additional building in the park or squares.

Com. Metson reported that he had conferred with Mr. Schwerin, President of the California Automobile Club in regard to the excessive speed of Automobiles in Golden Gate Park, and presented to the Board the following resolution which was unanimously adopted.

RESOLVED:- That notice be given to the public and particularly to the Members of the Automobile Club that on Friday the 16th day of November, 1906., that the Park Commissioners will consider at that time an ordinance excluding automobiles from all parts of Golden Gate Park except the South Drive, and that speed be limited to ten miles an hour.

A vote of thanks was extended to Louis Sloss for his kind donation of the copper for the cap of the Murphy Windmill which was presented through the efforts of Com. Lloyd. It was ordered that a copy of the same be engrossed and sent to Mr. Sloss.

E. P. Slosson proprietor of the Golden Gate Park Garage appeared before the Board and gave a satisfactory explanation to the charge of exceeding the speed limit in Golden Gate Park. The Chaffeur who was responsible for the same was discharged by Mr. Slosson.

Report of Prof. Gruber of the Department of Natural History giving a list of the various additions to his Department was read and ordered filed. A vote of thanks was extended to Prof. Gruber for his kind presentation of 71 fine specimens, 16 bird skins, 52 stuffed birds and 3 stuffed reptiles. An engrossed copy of the vote of thanks was ordered to be engrossed and presented to Professor Gruber.

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded and carried, Com. Cummings was authorized from time to time to purchase specimens he deemed advisable for the Dep't. of Natural History.

Sup't. McLaren was directed to secure a list of the names of the refugees in the Park and Squares, where they were from and where now located, and report the same to the Board.

A request was received from the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds for permission to use Bernal Square for housing refugees. The matter was referred to Com. Metson on motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the office of Com. Lloyd on Friday, Nov. 16th., 1906., those present were Pres. Sprockels, Com. Lloyd and Cummings, absent Com. Metson and Dingee. The Secretary not being present the minutes of the last meeting were not read.

Com. Cummings acted as Secretary protem.

A communication from the City Attorney in regard to the parked portion of Dolores St. was read, and the Secty. was instructed to notify the City Attorney that the Park Commission had received no communication from the Board of Supervisors regarding their action in accepting said grounds as park property.

Communication from Duboce Park Refugees read and ordered filed.

Communication received from Will Frankes, Yermo, Cal., stating that he had two Mountain Sheep for sale at $200. a piece, but owing to lack of funds the offer was rejected.

A request from the Board of Directors of the Olympic Club for permission to use the Stadium on Thursday, Nov. 29th., was granted.

Communication from the Fire Department requesting the Park Commissioners to stop refugees from using hydrants was referred to the Relief Committee.

Communication from Stablemen's Union giving new schedule of salaries. No action taken.

Communication from the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Funds requesting that the Commanders of Refugee Camps be given authority to eject all undesirable parties from said Camps. Permission granted.

A petition from the San Francisco Horsemen to have the Automobiles restricted to the South Drive was read and filed.

A representative of the Lafayette Square Refugees appeared before the Board with a request that said refugees be allowed to remain in Lafayette Square. Request denied.

There being no further business on motion the meeting was ajourned.

H. J. Schmitz
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At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at Com. Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, Dec. 7, 1906., were present,

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee
" Metson

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of November was read and ordered filed.

Report of Prof. P. Gruber of Dep't. of Natural History of Park Museum of donations received, read and referred to Com. Cummings for acceptance, and a letter of thanks was ordered sent to the donors.

Request of John Rapp & Son for permission to drive their delivery wagon through the Park - Denied.

Communication from the Mission Park League asking the Commissioners to proceed with the improvement of Mission Park. Read and referred to the Superintendent.

Communication received from the California Automobile Club stating that the Club was co-operating with the Park Commissioners and doing all in its power to assist the Commissioners in enforcing the Automobile ordinance. Acknowledgment of communication ordered and the thanks of the Commission extended to the Club for its efforts.

A committee appeared before the Board from the Adelphian Club of Alameda, offering and suggesting means of securing public subscription for constructing a new and larger Park Museum building, and asking that the Club be allowed to co-operate with the Park Commission in the matter. Referred to Pres. Sprockels to investigate and to consider the best means of proceeding and to report at the next meeting what course to pursue on Motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office on Saturday, Dec. 22nd., 1906., were present,

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was temporarily dispensed with.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz who had attended the meeting for the purpose of discussing the Refugee matter with the Commission stated that he had made a personal investigation and inspection of the Camps, particularly those located on Park property and found conditions indeed deplorable and such as no civilized city should allow.

Many refugees were still living in tents as they were unable to pay a monthly rental of $4. or $6. per month which was being exacted from each occupant of a cottage by the San Francisco Relief and Red Cross Fund Ass'n.

The Park Commissioners while not granting permission or authority had allowed the cottages to be erected on the City Squares purely as a matter of charity and in an attempt to assist in relieving the unfortunate refugees, victims of the late earthquake and fire.

Mayor Schmitz also informed the Board that Refugees who had been given possession of cottages and being unable to pay the rental asked therefor had been evicted in several instances and their effects thrown outside, there to remain exposed to the elements.

As the object of the money subscribed was not to derive a revenue or to create a revolving fund in the hands of the Relief and Red Cross Funds, but to give immediate relief and succor to the needy and helpless. The Mayor recommended to the Commissioners, as he was not in favor of allowing the collection or exaction of rentals for use of the cottages on Park property, that they pass a resolution allowing the cottages to remain until Aug. 17th., 1907., and to prohibit the collection of rent for the same and to co-operate with him in other ways to prevent and correct the abuses being practised by the Relief and Red Cross Funds at the present time.

Chairman James L. Gallagher of the Finance Committee of the Board of Supervisors also addressed the Board upon the same subject, voicing the sentiments expressed by his honor the Mayor.

The matter was taken under advisement and President Sprockels appointed Commissioners Lloyd and Metson a Committee to confer with the Relief and Red Cross Funds on the matter.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication from Pacific Athletic Ass'n. recommending and asking the Commissioners to change the cinder path from a 5/8 to 1/4 mile track.

On motion of Commissioner Metson duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried, it was decided to adhere to the original plan.

On motion the meeting adjourned until Saturday, Dec. 29th., at 1 o'clock P. M.

R. F. Sprockels
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Lloyd's office on Saturday, Dec. 29th., 1906., were present,

Pres. Spreckels
Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was on motion dispensed with.

His Honor Mayor Schmitz was present for the purpose of continuing the investigation of the actions of the Relief and Red Cross Funds in regard to the refugees in the Parks and Squares.

Mr. Cushing and Lieutenant Scott appeared at the meeting representing the Relief and Red Cross Funds, and stated that their corporation had offered cottages to refugees in tents, who had not in many instances availed themselves of the opportunity. They admitted that a payment of $8.00 a month was demanded and maintained that it was collected as payment on the purchase of the cottage.
Mayor Schmitz stated that several refugee families had been evicted for failure to pay the $8. a month and this he thought was wrong and objected to it.
Mrs. Ola Clark testified that she and Mrs. McHugh had been evicted from a cottage for failure to pay the $8. a month rent, also Mrs. Martha Tuttle and Mrs. Mary Kelly made the same statement.
His Honor the Mayor was of the opinion that the needy and destitute should not be compelled to pay rent and should not have to wait for a cottage until the $8. was forth coming, and his object in confering with the Park Commission was for the purpose of having the Commission assist him in enforcing the proper distribution of the Relief moneys.

On motion of Com. Metson seconded by Com. Lloyd and carried the meeting adjourned until Saturday, January 5th., 1907., at 1 o'clock.

M. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Com. Reuben H. Lloyd's office on Friday, Jan. 5, 1907., were present,

Com. Lloyd
" Metson
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Spreckels
Com. Dingee

On motion of Commissioner Lloyd duly seconded and carried, Com. Wm. H. Metson was elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous special meetings of December 22nd and 29th. were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. for month of December was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Request of Mrs Thompson, a refugee to be allowed to remain in shack built in Alta Plaza, read and referred to Sup't. McLaren.

The Sup't. was directed to prepare an estimate of cost of constructing the reservoir for the new Sam'l. G. Murphy windmill in a suitable location between Strawberry Hill and the Great Highway and report at next meeting.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Wm. H. Metson for his kind donation of a sack of 100 varieties of sweet peas on motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

No further business, Meeting adjourned.

M. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regularly called meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Friday, Jan. 11th., 1907., were present:-

Pres. Sprockels
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com.
Metson

This meeting being the first of the new year the installing of the new Commissioner and the re-organization of the Board was the first order of business.

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. A. B. Sprockels was elected president Pro. tem. and Herbert L. Schmitz temporary Secretary.

Col. John C. Kirkpatrick presented his appointment from his Honor the Mayor as Park Commissioner, which was received, approved and ordered filed on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried Com. Wm. H. Metson was duly nominated and unanimously elected president of the Board for the ensuing year.

On motion of Com. Wm. J. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the following annual appointments were made,

John McLaren Superintendent
Herbert L. Schmitz Secretary
Miss M. B. Fairman Asst. Secretary

at the same salaries as at present paid.

On motion duly seconded and carried the first and third Wednesday's of each month at 2 o'clock P. M., were selected as the regular meeting days of the Board.

The minutes of the previous meeting of January 5th were read and approved.

Report of the Sup't. for the month of December was read and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Sup't. reported to the Board that it would cost $9515. to prepare and grade the ground and construct a new reservoir for the Sam'l. G. Murphy Windmill. On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried Sup't. McLaren was directed to commence the grading of the ground for the new reservoir as soon as the weather would permit the same.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held at Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday, Jan. 23, 1907., were present:-

Com'rs. Sprockels
Dingee
Cummings
Kirkpatrick

Absent:-
Pres. Metson

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. A. B. Sprockels was elected to preside at the meeting.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday. Feb. 6, 1907., at the office of Com. Wm. J. Dingee were present,

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for the month of January was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Board of Health requesting the removal as soon as possible of the Central Emergency Hospital maintained at present in Jefferson Square.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried Pres. Metson and Sup't. McLaren were appointed a committee to confer with the Relief and Red Cross Funds and request that an appropriation sufficient to rehabilitate the park and squares, estimated at $174,602., be made by it to the Park Commission. As the damage was occasioned by the occupancy of the squares by the refugees this action was strongly advocated.

Communication received from the State Agricultural Society requesting a donation of trees and shrubs for planting in the Sacramento Race track grounds. Referred to Sup't. McLaren with directions to comply with the request if a surplus of trees asked for was on hand.

Report of the Natural History Department of the Park Museum read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

J. J. Johnson
Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday, February 27, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent: Com. Spreckels.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Mr. John Tait appeared before the Board requesting that the Cliff House road be widened an additional 20 feet and that automobiles be granted them the privilege of the use of said road. Mr. Tait in behalf of his company guaranteed a donation of $5000. to the Park Fund to assist in doing the necessary work.

Judge Haughton a citizen of San Francisco offered to present to the Park the old Market Street entrance to the Palace Hotel, the same to be erected in some suitable place in Golden Gate Park. On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act.

President Metson reported progress on the matter of the application to the Relief and Red Cross Funds for an appropriation to rehabilitate the Park and Squares.

The removal of the Central Emergency Hospital was laid over for two weeks with the understanding that the Board of Health be requested to secure a location for the Hospital elsewhere as soon as possible.

Communication from the Municipal Art Society of New York City asking for suitable exhibits, pictures, maps etc of Golden Gate Park. Referred to Com. Cummings with full power to act, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Request of Mission Park Association that arc lights be erected about Mission Park. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from the Stable Employees Union asking that the wages of the Stablemen employed in Golden Gate Park be fixed at $3000 per day, the same as paid by other municipal departments and the Stable and Carriage Owner's Association. Request granted on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the St. Francis Hotel requesting a report of the receipts and disbursements from the date of its occupancy of Union Square to date.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

J. J. Johnson
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held on Wednesday. Feb. 6, 1907., at the office of Com. Wm. J. Dingee were present,

Pres. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-

Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for the month of January was read and ordered filed, and the suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out.

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Report of the Natural History Department of the Park Museum read and ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

A regular Meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called at Commissioner Dingee's office Wednesday, Feb. 20, 1907:-

On roll call Pres. Metson and Com. Cummings were present, and Com. Spreckels, Dingee and Kirkpatrick were absent.

There being no querum the meeting adjourned until Saturday, Feb. 23rd., 11 o'clock A. M.

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

Saturday, Feb 23 1907

No quorum -

W. J. Schmitz
Secretary

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, March 13, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metsen
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent, Com. Dingee.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent McLaren for month of February was read and ordered filed and recommendations contained therein ordered carried out, on motion of Com. Spreckels seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Report of Prof. Gruber of Dep't. of Natural History of Museum was read and ordered filed.
A vote of thanks was tendered to Prof. Gruber for his donation to the Park Museum of 50 vols. of "Birds of Europe"

Request received from the New England Forrest, Fish and Game Association of Boston for a few specimens of California Valley Quail.
Granted on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

A committee from the California Outdoor Art League consisting of Mrs. Lovell White and Mrs Sharon appeared before the Board and asked for permission to store in Golden Gate Park dead trees which were to be cut from streets in the burned district with the object of building from them, a log cabin in some suitable location in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of exhibiting souvenirs of the late great catastrophe.
The matter was laid over for one week in order to give the committee an opportunity of securing plans of the proposed log cabin to be submitted and passed upon by the Board.

A committee of property owners from the vicinity of Dolores and 16th Sts. appeared before the Board asking that the parked portion of Dolores street be replanted and cared for by the Park Commissioners.
In view of the fact that many large and urgent demands for expenditures in rehabilitating the Park and Squares were daily being made upon the diminished and impoverished Park Fund, the Commissioners decided that no additional burdens could be assumed by the Board. Sup't. McLaren was directed however to assist the Committee in every way and to supply the necessary trees, shrubs etc. that could be spared, with the understanding that the property owners would provide the necessary labor and the care-taker.

Wm. Meakin, Agent of the Laborers Protective Union addressed the Board advocating and requesting that laborers in the employ of the Commission be paid $3.00 per day. Communication was also read from the Building Trades Council asking that favorable consideration be given the matter.
On motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the request was taken under advisement.

March 13/07.

Com. John C. Kirkpatrick reported that the Golden Gate Amateur Driving Association had applied to him for permission to meet in Golden Gate Park in May and at the next meeting a formal request would be made to the Board by the Association.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office, Wednesday, March 20, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent, Com. Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved on motion of Com. Spreckels seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Communication received from Ringling Bros. Circus requesting permission to use a portion of Mission Park at 18th & Dolores Sts. for a period of 4 days between Aug. 15th. and Sept. 15th., 1907., and offering to donate in return for this consideration the sum of $500. to the Park Fund.

At present time that portion of Mission Park asked for is occupied by many refugees and permission was granted conditionally that the houses are moved at that time. As Mr. McCracken, Ringling Bros. Agent would return here in July the matter will be then finally settled.

Request received from the Park Amatuer Driving Club for permission to hold matinee races on the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on May 30th. Granted on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Sup't. McLaren reported that the heavy rains had caused a large quantity of rock and earth to fall upon the Cliff House Road from the Cliff above. As a portion of the debris was on that part of the road under the jurisdiction of the Board of Public Works the Superintendent was directed to secure the assistance of that Department in removing the same.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, April 3rd., 1907 were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Dingee
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of March was read and ordered filed, and the recommendations contained therein were ordered carried out.

The Superintendent was directed to secure three or four bids for the necessary painting at the Children's Quarters, and to accept the lowest bid and have the work done.

Request of the California Associated Cyclists for permission to use the Cinder track in the Stadium at Golden Gate Park for a series of amatuer bicycle races 2 o'clock P.M. Sunday, April 28th. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

Complaint of cess pool at Mountain Lake Park, referred to Superintendent.

Communication from the Potrero Commercial and Manufacturers Association asking that the low land of Jackson Park be filled to the official grade of the street. The Secretary was directed to reply, stating that arrangements had already been made to have the same done.

The following resolution was introduced, seconded and carried unanimously.

RESOLVED:- That the persons building or proposing to operate the Smelter or Smelting Works at or near South San Francisco in this State, be notified in writing that it is the sense of the Park Commissioners that no noxious or deleterious fumes or gases shall be permitted to be discharged from any source into the air in such a way or manner that any of such noxious or deleterious gases or fumes shall reach or envelope any of the vegetation growing in any Public Park or Square in the City and County of San Francisco, California, and that the Park Commissioners will take legal steps to prevent any of the vegetation growing in any such public park, square or grounds under their jurisdiction being injured or destroyed by any fumes or gases deleterious to plant growth.

The following ordinance was introduced to be acted upon at the following regular meeting of the Board.

(2)

S P E E D W A Y

For Single seated vehicles driven by men only.

Turn to the right and proceed to end

without stopping or turning.

No reckless or disorderly driving permitted.

Vehicles not speeding keep to

outside of track.

ORDINANCE NO. 5.

The Park Commissioners of the City and County of San Francisco hereby adopt the following rules and regulations governing the use of that road in Golden Gate Park commonly known as the "Speedway":-

The Speedway in Golden Gate Park shall be reserved exclusively for single seated vehicles driven by men only. Vehicles entering the Speedway shall turn to the right and proceed to the end of the speedway without turning or stopping. There shall be no speed limit, but no reckless or disorderly driving will be permitted. Vehicles not speeding shall keep to the outside of the track.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, April 17th 1907.

No quorum present:-
Meeting postponed to April 24th.

Wednesday, April 24th 1907. A postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for above date.

No quorum present:-

President Wm. H. Metson on account of the immediate and urgent need of hose for the Park, opened the bids which had been received in answer to the advertisement for the same. Following are the bids.

Goodyear Rubber Co.
- Gold Seal Brand 1" — 22 cents per foot.
- 1-1/4" — 28 " " "
- Badger Brand 1" — 18 " " "
- 1-1/4" — 22 " " "
- Certified check $116.

Sterling Rubber Co.
- Sphinx Brand 1" — 22-1/4 cents per foot
- 1-1/4" — 27-1/2 " " "
- Moose Brand 1" — 19 " " "
- 1-1/4" — 23-1/2 " " "
- Certified check $105.

Gutta Percha & Rubber Man'f'g. Co.
- 1" — 20 cents per foot
- 1-1/4" — 25-3/4 " "
- Certified check $100.

Pacific Coast Rubber Co.
- 1" — 18-1/2 cents per foot
- Certified check $74.

Brittain & Co.
- 1" — 18 cents per foot
- 1-1/4" — 23-1/2 " "
- No check

Gorham Rubber Company
- 1" — 20 cents per foot
- 1-1/4" — 25 " " "
- Certified check $105.

Bowers Rubber Company
- 1" — 15 cents per foot
- 1-1/4" — 20 " " "
- Certified check $80.

Barton, Squires & Byrne
- Cazadero Brand 1" — 19 cents per foot
- Best Grade 1-1/4" — 22 " " "
- Navato Brand 1" — 16 " " "
- Check $100.

The Contract was awarded to the Bowers Rubber Co., their bid being the lowest.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, May 1st 1907, were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meetings were read and approved.

Report of Sup't. McLaren for month of April was read and ordered filed and recommendations contained therein ordered carried out, on motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

The speedway ordinance was presented for final passage and was carried unanimously.

The action of Pres. Metson in opening bids and awarding contract for furnishing hose at the previous meeting called for April 24th., at which no quorum was present was approved unanimously.

Communication received from the Selby Smelting and Lead Co., acknowledging receipt of copy of a resolution passed by the Park Commissioners in reference to the smelting works about to be established by their Co. at San Bruno Point, and stating that every precaution would be taken to prevent harm being done to plants or vegetation growing in any of the public parks or squares, by noxious or deleterious gases or fumes emanating from their smelter.

Communication received from Ellwood Cooper, State Commissioner of Horticulture asking that a site be given for the establishment of an insectory in Golden Gate Park. Granted and the selection of the site referred to Sup't. McLaren with full power to act, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

A Committee from the Dolores Street Property Owners appeared before the Board stating that they had arranged to have the parked portions of Dolores Street cared for by a gardener and requested that the Park Commissioners furnish them with the necessary water for irrigation.

On motion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried it was decided that the Commissioners would furnish the water asked for, but not to exceed the amount of $20. per month.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office onWednesday, May 15, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Communication received from the Olympic Club asking permission to hold a field day at the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on July 4, 1907. Granted on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Dingee and carried.

Communication received from the Visitacion Valley Improvement Club strongly commending the Board for its action taken in reference to the proposed establishment of a smelter at Point San Bruno. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from the Automobile Dealers Association of California reporting on the large number of Automobiles using the driveways of Golden Gate Park and requesting and petitioning the Board that the present restrictions relating to Automobiles in the Park be removed and that they be accorded the same rights and privileges as given to horse drawn vehicles.

Requests denied on motion duly seconded and unanimously carried as the Commissioners were of the opinion that the Automobilists were at present given all the rights and privileges that safely could be granted.

In answer to the advertisement for placing sidewalk lights and repairing the baloony about the Children's Quarters, the following bids were received.

P. H. Jackson, $1346. Check $134.
John McGuigan $1125. " 125.

On motion of Commissioner Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried the contract was awarded to J. McGuigan, being the lowest bidder, with the understanding that the work be completed by July 1st., 1907.

It was resolved by the Board of Park Commissioners that all law breakers found occupying houses or other places of abode in the public squares or parks be removed as soon as any objectionable or unlawful act be committed. Complaint had been received that a red flag had been placed over one of the houses in Jefferson Square and the occupant of the house complained of was ordered removed immediately. The Superintendent was directed to carry out the order of removal and to notify the Relief Committee of the action taken.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, June 5, 1907., were present:-

Commissioner Spreckels
" Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Metson
Com. Kirkpatrick

On motion duly seconded and carried Com. Wm. J. Dingee was selected to act as temporary President.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of May read, approved and ordered filed, and suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Petition received from property owners and residents in vicinity of Garfield Square asking that permit be not extended or renewed for Spring Valley Water Co. to maintain a pumping station in the Square.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Secretary was directed to communicate with the Spring Valley Water Co., notifying it that the Park Commissioners would not renew the permit for the pumping station in Garfield Square.

Offer received from the First Regiment N. G. California to present to the Museum an old brass cannon from the Philippine Islands. Accepted with thanks on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Spreckels and carried.

Permission was granted to the Park Amatuer Driving Club to hold matinee races in the Stadium on July 4, 1907.

Communication received from the California Automobile Club endorsing the application of the Automobile Dealers Association. Read and ordered filed.

Communication received from Home Protective Association asking the Board to co-operate with it in opposing the establishment of a smelter at Point San Bruno. Read and ordered filed.

Request received from C. H. McKinstry, Major - Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army for a small tract of land on the Ocean beach to use in connection with the fire control system for the defense of San Francisco harbor. Read and ordered filed and the secretary directed to secure additional information about the matter.

A committee from the refugees of Portsmouth Square appeared before the Board asking permission to remain in the Square for another year. Request denied as Commissioners had decided not to grant an extension of time to any of the occupants of the Public Squares on mtion of Com. Spreckels duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

J. J. Johnson
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held on Wednesday, June 19th 1907., at Commissioner Dingee's office were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Karl Cummings.

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Capt. Payson and Engineer Herman Schussler of the Spring Valley Water Co., appeared before the Board asking for additional time to remove the Company's pumping plant from Garfield Square, claiming that the plant was an absolute necessity in furnishing fire protection to the Western Addition. Pres. Wm. H. Metson called the attention of the water Co's. representatives to the fact that when permission was given to place the pumps in the Square it was done as an emergency case and it was at that time fully understood that it was entirely a temporary affair not to remain longer than a period of one year and to be removed on notice from the Park Commission.

Capt. Payson and Eng. Schussler stated that if they were compelled to move the plant at once they did not want to assume the responsibility in case of a great conflagration, on account of lack of water. The Park Commissioners decided to take the matter under advisement and in the meantime to make a personal investigation and to act upon the same as soon as possible. The Commissioners were of the unanimous opinion that no permanent encroachments should be allowed on the Park property under their jurisdiction.

Communication received from the United Railroads of San Francisco asking that the rate per cubic yard for hauling street sweepings to Golden Gate Park be increased from 30 cents to 40 cents. Mr. R. P. Legare, Engr. of Maintenance of Way of the Co., appeared before the Board and stated that the old rate of 30 cents was not sufficiently remunerative for the Co. to continue the service. He was informed that the Park Commissioners in future would allow but 20 cents per cu yd. and that if any thing additional to that amount was asked or demanded that the balance of 20 cents should be paid by the Board of Public Works, as that Department of the Municipal Government was the one that was being directly benefited by the service.

Mr. Legare stated that he would consult with the Dept. of Public Works and advise the Park Commissioners what action was to be taken.

A bill was received from Paul Armitage for $68.00 for services rendered as referee at four sessions and a report of the proceedings in the Walter bequests to the Park Museum. The same was ordered paid by demand on the Treasury, on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Communication received from refugees at Hamilton Square asking permission to remain another Season in said square. Read and ordered filed.

Protest received from E. Fairweather against refugees remaining longer in Columbia Square. Read and ordered filed.

Complaint received from Dr. Finst of the obnoxious dumping of all refuse from the houses fronting along the Ocean Boulevard. The matter was referred to the Sup't.

Request received from the Webster Athletic Club for permission to hold field games in the Stadium in Golden Gate Park on July 4th. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, July 3, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Earl Cummings

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Report of Superintendent for month of June read and ordered filed, and suggestion contained therein ordered carried out on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Pres. Wm. H. Metson reported that he, Com. Dingee and Sup't. McLaren and a competent engineer had under investigation with Capt. Payson and Herman Schussler of the Water Company, the necessity of the pumping plant located in Garfield Square. Pres. Metson stated that the enforcement of the removal of the plant was dependent upon the necessary fire protection to that portion of the City alledged to be covered by said pumps. Report of the consulting engineer will be made at next meeting.

President Metson reported that a committee of the Relief and Red Cross Funds had conferred with him on the matter of the removal of the refugees from the public parks and squares and it was agreed that the Relief and Red Cross Funds would undertake the removal of all occupants in the parks and squares according to their representation of last year.

Communication received from F. W. Gale, Secretary San Francisco Church Federation complaining of the immorality practiced in some of the refugee camps located in the public squares. Read and a copy of the complaint ordered sent to the Relief and Red Cross Funds, and the Secretary was directed to answer the communication requesting more definite information and details of the matter.

The Secretary was directed to send a list of the foremen in Golden Gate Park to the Chief of Police and request that they be made special police for the Park.

A copy of all communications received in reference to the refugees ordered sent to the Relief and Red Cross Funds.

An engrossed letter of thanks was ordered prepared and sent to Mr. Frederick A. Robbins for his kind donation to the Park Museum of two large handsome bronze lanterns made at Osaka, Japan, on motion of Commissioner Cummings duly seconded by Commissioner Dingee and carried.

Sup't. McLaren was directed to prepare the bicycle rest at the Ocean Beach as a resort for the reception and entertainment of ladies and children to be conducted on the same plan as the Children's Quarter on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

At a postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, July 24, 1907., were present:-

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Wm. J. Dingee
" M. Earl Cummings

Absent:-
Com. A. B. Spreckels
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Petition of the refugees of Columbia Square to be allowed to remain another year read and ordered filed.

Request of Ignation Council #35 Y. M. I. for permission to hold a field day at the Golden Gate Park Stadium granted on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

Petition of G. A Lane that refugees in the public squares be allowed to remain for 6 months longer ordered filed.

Communication received from the San Francisco Labor Council asking permission to hold the Labor Day celebration at the Stadium in Golden Gate Park. Granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

Communication received from the United Railroads complaining of an accumulation of water from the windmill on their tracks on 49th Ave., and asking the Park Commissioners to provide means of carrying off the same. The attention of the Railroad Company was called to their agreement to care for its track and the ground between the same at its own expense when the franchaise was granted.

Superintendent McLaren was authorized and directed to visit some of the hay growing sections of the State and secure bids for supplying first class hay to the Park for the ensuing year, as that supplied the Park the past year was inferior.

The Superintendent was directed on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried to widen grade and macadamize the Great Highway 20 feet from H. to L. St.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held in Commissioner Dingee's office on Wednesday, Aug. 5, 1907., were present:

Com. Dingee
" Cummings

Absent:-
Pres. Metson
Com. Spreckels
" Kirkpatrick

No quorum present but on account of the necessity of awarding contracts for the various articles required in the Park, the bids received in answer to the advertisement for the same were opened and awarded by Commissioners' Dingee and Cummings, their action in the matter to be approved at the next regular meeting of the Board.
Following were the bids and awards:-

Fuel Oil.

Standard Oil Co.
$1.20 per BBl. Delivered at Beach $1.30 per Bbl.

White Lead - Linseed Oil

R. N. Nason & Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/4 cents per lb.
5 bbls Linseed Oil 49 cents per Gal.

W. P. Fuller & Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/5 cents per lb.
5 bbls Linseed Oil 51 cents per Gal.

Klatt-Hersch Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-1/4 cents per lb
5 bbls. Linseed oil 50 cents per Gal.

Western Paint Co.
2,000 lbs White Lead 7-3/10 cents per lb
5 bbls Linseed Oil 51 cents per Gal.

Coal.

Thos. Morton & Son
50 tons Pennsylvania Egg Coal $16.75 per ton
20 " Wellington 13.25
20 " Richmond 12.90

Pipe.

Baker & Hamilton
1,000 ft. 1-1/4" Galv. Pipe $11.00 per 100 feet
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.15 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.25 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2 " " 13.25 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Dalziel-Moller Co.
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.00 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.25 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

Dunham, Carrigan & Hayden Co.
1,000 ft 1-1/4" " " 11.00 " " "
2,000 " 1-1/2" " " 13.15 " " "
5,000 " 2" " " 17.25 " " "

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Painting Beach Chalet.

W. Gerkle - - - - - - - - - -	$725.00
Eaton - - - - - - - - - -	700.00
G..Orsi - - - - - - - - - -	685.00
P. L. Hoiland & Co. - - - - - -	700.00

Lumber.

Olsen-Mahony Lumber Co.

Rough Pine - - - - - -	$24.00 per M.
Selected " - - - - - -	30.00 " "
Rough Redwood - - - - - -	27.00 " "
Selected " - - - - - -	42.00 " "

Surfacing 1 side $2., 2 sides $4., 3 sides $5., 4 sides $6.

Teas and Coffee.

S. C. Thomson

Tea, black, green and Japan	47-1/2 cents per lb.
Coffee, best Java	22-1/2 " " "

Jas. A. Snook & Co.

Best Quality White Flour	$5.75 per bbl.
300 lbs cube sugar	6-1/2 cents per lb
300 " dry Granulated sugar	5.95 per bbl.
90 lbs Powdered sugar	7-1/2 cents per lb
2,000 lbs coffee, best Java	27 cents per lb
300 lbs. tea, black, Japan	44 cents per lb.
2,000 lbs best quality white lead	9-1/2 cents per lb.
5 bbls. linseed oil	70 cents per Gal.
2,000 sks rolled barley	$31.90 per ton
1,200 " Oats, best quality	1.78 per cwt.
200 " Bran, best "	25.40 per ton

Leege & Haskins

Peerless ground coffee	27-1/2 cents per lb.
Monado coffee	25 " "
English Breakfast tea	35 " "
Uncolored Japan tea	35 " "

Hay and Grain

W. A. Miller & Co.

Wheat Hay	$25.50 a ton
Oat "	22.50 "
Rolled Barley	31.25 "
Bran	22.50 "

Scott & Magner

Wheat hay	24.75 "
Red Oat hay	21.50 "
Wild Oat hay	19.40 "
#1 Rolled barley	31.00 "
Bran	21.75 "
Feed oats	1.75 per cwt.

J. L. Vermeil

125 tons best Wheat hay	$22.75 a ton
125 " white oat hay	22.75 "
125 " red oat hay	21.00 "
125 " wild oat hay	19.00 "
2,000 sks rolled barley	29.90 "
1,200 " best grade white oats	34.40 "
200 " " quality bran	21.25 "

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Somers & Co.

Wheat hay	$24.45 a ton
Oat hay	21.40 "
Rolled barley	30.00 "
Bran	23.50 "
Red and Gray oats	1.78 cwt.

Lathrope Hay Co.

50 tons	#1 best wheat hay	$22.00 a ton
250. "	#1 White oat hay	21.00 "
250 "	#1 Red oat hay	19.00 "
200 "	#1 Red & White oat hay	17.50 Ton
250 "	#1 Volunteer wild oat	15.00 "

No awards made for hay and grain, prices considered too high.

No further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, August 19, 1907.

No quorum.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was called for Wednesday, September 4, 1907, at the office of Commissioner Wm. J. Dingee.

Were present:-
Com. Dingee
" Kirkpatrick

Absent::
Com. Wm. H. Metson, Pres.
" A. B. Spreckels
" M. Earl Cummings

No quorum, meeting postponed to Thursday, September 5, 1907.

Thursday, Sept. 5, 1907., 3 o'clock P. M., the postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was held in Commissioner Dingee's office, were present:-
Com. Dingee
" Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

Absent:-
Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. A. B. Spreckels

Commissioner John C. Kirkpatrick was, on motion, duly seconded and carried elected to preside at the meeting.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

The action of Com's Dingee and Cummings in opening and awarding the contracts for the year at the previous meeting was approved.

Report of the Superintendent for month of August was read and the suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Communication received from Wm. H. Crocker, President Executive Committee, California Academy of Sciences, asking permission to erect a suitable temporary museum building in Golden Gate Park for the collections and library of the Academy.
The request was taken under consideration and the Executive Committee of the Academy was invited to attend the next meeting to discuss the proposition with the Board.

Request of Major McKinstry for a small tract of land on the Ocean Boulevard for use of the United States Army read and ordered filed. The Secretary was directed to reply and state that a site would be agreed upon which would be satisfactory to the Army and the Park Commissioners.

Report of Police Captain Henry Gleeson of arrests made in Golden Gate Park, Read and ordered filed.

Request of the Park Driving Club for permission to use the track in the Stadium on September 9th., 14th., 21st., 28th., and Oct. 6th.. and exclusive use of the sheds for those dates. Granted and referred to Supt. McLaren to arrange details on motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried.

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Communication received from Alva Udell representing the United Refugees. Ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Wm. J. Dingee
Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at Com. Dingee's office on Wednesday, Sept 18, 1907.

Were present:-

Com. Wm. H. Metson, Pres.
" H. Earl Cummings
" John C. Kirkpatrick

Absent::

Com. Sprockels
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting were read and approved.

Wm. H. Crocker and A. J. Molera appeared before the board as a committee from the Academy of Sciences and requested permission to erect a temporary building in Golden Gate Park for the purpose of storing and exhibiting the library and museum of the Academy of Sciences.

Permission was granted with the understanding that the plans for the building were to be submitted to the Park Commissioners and built under the supervision of Com. Cummings and Supt. McLaren on motion duly seconded and unanimously carried.

Communication received from Jas. D. Phelan asking that permission be given to place a statue of Padre Junipero Serra at the entrance to Concert Valley in Golden Gate Park.

Commissioner Cummings reported in favor of the site and made a motion which was duly seconded and carried that the desired permission be granted.

Request received from the Bay City Wheelmen and associate clubs that they be granted the privilege of holding the Western Cycling Championship of America meet in the Stadium at Golden Gate Park.

There was no objection to the request and the desired permission was granted provided that no admission fee be charged, on motion duly seconded and carried.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

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A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held in Com. Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday October 2 nd, 1907.

were present

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

absent

Com. Sprockels
" Dingee

Minutes of previous meeting read and approved.

Report of the Superintendent for month of September read and ordered filed and suggestions contained therein ordered carried out.

Communication received from the Streets, Sewers and Parks committee of the Board of Supervisors requesting the Park Commissioners to permit material teams and heavy vehicle traffic the use of the South Drive during certain hours of the day.

Discussed by the Commissioners and unanimously denied.

Communication received from Robert R. Rass asking that Columbia Square be cleared of refugee houses and the Square restored.

The Secretary was directed to reply and to state that the work of the rehabilitation of the Squares throughout the city was going on as fast as possible and that Columbia Square would be restored without unnecessary delay.

Communication received from a Seattle Park Improvement Association asking the opinion of the Commissioners as to the advisability of constructing a commercial roadway through Park at Seattle.

Referred reply to Sup't McLaren.

A committee from the residents of Oceanside and Carville district asking that the privilege of using the South Drive, from 19th Ave to the Beach, be allowed a scavenger wagon at a time to be fixed by the Commissioners

Request denied on motion of Com. Cummings duly seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick and carried.

Mr. Wheeler a property owner appeared before the Board and requested that toilets for the accommodation of the pulbic be built in Jefferson Sq.

Referred to Sup't McLaren.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

A regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at Commissioner Wm. J. Dingee's office on Wednesday October 16th 1907. were present.

Pres. Wm M. Metson.
Com. Wm J. Dingee.
Com M. H. Cummings.

absent

Com. A. B. Spreckels
Com. John C. Kirkpatrick.

Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

Communication received ftom the Hospital and Health Committee of the Board of Supervisors stating that at 49th Ave. between I and J. streets an unhealthy stagnant pool was located and requested the assistance of the Park Commissioners in filling up the same.

Request denied as the Board had no jurisdiction in the matter.

Request of Louis J. Borie of 2751 Clay Street, for permission to run a thin iron wire from his residence to an electric pole in Alta Plaza for the purpose of expermenting in wireless telegraphy.

Referred to Sup't Mc Laren. Permission to be granted if wire is not unsightly.

Communication received from Dr. W.Ophuls, President Board of Health complaining ofthe large number of rats in Golden Gate Park and asking the Commissioners to make an effort to destroy them.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Superintendent was directed to earnestly endeavor to rid the Park of the rats and was authorized to expend the sum of $1000 in accomplishing it.

Dr. J.L. Howard, Physician in charge of 9th. Plague District asked permission to occupy the cottage at present in Mission Park as headquarters for that district.

Permission granted with the understanding that it should be temporary and the occupancy not extend over a period of a couple of months.

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Communication received from M.J. Lyons architect for the Coliseum Co owners of the block of land bounded by 11th and 12th Ave. Fulton and C. Streets. asking that an arrangement be made whereby the Park Boulevard extending by their property be graded and an excess of sand upon the Park property be used to fill that portion of the Coliseum property which is below grade.

Referred to Supt. McLaren.

Permission asked by the San Francisco Driving Club to use the tract at the Stadium on Sunday October 20th 1907 for the purpose of holding six races for cups.

Permission granted on motion duly seconded and carried.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and carried unanimously it was decided that the Museum be opened to the public immediately and that portion of the building being repaired be rushed to completion.

On motion of Com. Dingee duly seconded by Com. Cummings and unanimously carried it was decided that all structures at present maintained in Union Square be removed therefrom within 60 days and that all occupants be given that period of time to vacate.

The Secretary was directed to communicate with the St Francis Hotel Co, the California Promotion Committee and all other occupants of said Union Square and inform them of the action taken by the Board and request their removal on or before December 16 - 1907.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

Secretary.

Special Meeting

A special meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel, Monday, November 17th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings

absent:

Com A. B. Spreckels.

President Wm. H. Metson reported to the Board that a committee from the Board of Supervisors had visited him and asked permission for the Criminal Courts to occupy Union Square.

Request for Criminal Courts in Union Sq. denied

The application was considered and fully discussed by the Commissioners and in view of the fact of the urgent desire of the Commissioners to rehabilitate the squares of the city and that the city charter provided that Park property could be used for Park Pleasure purposes only, it was decided that no privilege to occupy building for courts could be granted and the application for the same was on motion, duly seconded, unanimously denied.

Com. Kirkpatrick and Supt'Mc Laren were appointed a committee to inspect the St. Francis building and report at next meeting.

The application of the Home Telephone Co. for permission to lay conduits in Jefferson and Lafayette Square was granted, the Telephone Co. to deposit $1000.00 at the office of the Park Commissioners as a guarantee for the proper restoration of the ground disturbed by them in their work. Following are the conditions upon which the permission was granted:

The work must be done under the supervision of Superintendent Jno. McLaren and the conduits such as he approves of.

It must be done in the most expeditious manner possible.

Before the work is commenced One Thousand Dollars must be deposited with Sup't Jno. McLaren to be kept or used by him in said work or for damages caused in doing the same until said work is completed according to his instructions, Then the balance if any is to be returned by him.

Said license shall be revoked at any time upon thirty days notice and all of said conduits shall be removed at the expense of said Home Telephone Company.

Supt McLaren was authorized to purchase such sheep as he required.
Meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz Secretary.

Special meeting.

A special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel, Thursday, November 27th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com Cummings
" Kirkpatrick

absent:

Com. Sprockels.

Reuben H. Lloyd appointed.

Reuben H. Lloyd presented his certificate of appointment as Park Commissioner for the unexpired term of Wm. J. Dingee. On motion duly seconded and carried the same was ordered received filed and spread in full upon the minutes of the meeting.

OFFICE OF THE THE MAYOR OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

—oOo—

I, EDWARD ROBESON TAYLOR, as Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, by virtue of the authority in me vested under the Charter of said City and County, do by these presents appoint REUBEN H. LLOYD, a Park Commissioner and a member of the Board of Park Commissioners in and for the City and County of San Francisco, to fill for the unexpired term the vacancy in the Board of Park Commissioners, created by the resignation of WILLIAM J. DINGEE, he to hold said Office for the remainder of the unexpired term of said William J. Dingee, resigned.

IT WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City and County of San Francisco to be affixed in dulicate, this 18th day of November, 1907.

Edward Robeson Taylor,

As Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, State of California.

Attest:

Harry C. McKannay,

Secretary.

In reference to the St. Francis Hotel building in Union Square Com. Lloyd stated that it was his opinion the structure could be taken down and removed to Golden Gate Park and used for various purposes particulary for a meeting room, bath houses and dressing rooms at the Stadium for the

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athletes participating in the events held there and as the Hotel company had offered to give the building to the Park Commissioners he advised, accepting it. After a lengthy discussion of the matter it was referred to an additional committee, consisting of Pres. Metson and Com. Lloyd, who were requested to secure bids for the removal, and report.

Request to hold Summer Festival in Music Hall.

The application, of a committee of the Board of Supervisors, for permission for the criminal courts to occupy the hotel building in Union Square was again brought before the Board and the permission was denied, the Commissioners being unanimously of the opinion that Union Square should be at once cleared of all buildings and rehabilitated.

Request for Pedestrian bridge at Shrader St.

Petition received from the St. Ignatius Church and College and property owners in the vicinity asking for a foot path across the Panhandle at Shrader Street be constructed from Fell to Oak Street.

On motion duly seconded and carried the Secretary was directed to reply to the petitioners stating that the matter would receive the attention of the Board.

Request for Police protection for Park.

Golden Gate Park for many months past has suffered for lack of Police protection and it was the opinion of the Commissioners that more patrolmen were positively needed. In an effort to secure them Com. Reuben H. Lloyd was appointed a Committee to interview the Chief of Police.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned.

H. J. Schmitt
Secretary.

Meeting

A postponed meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmont Hotel on Wednesday, December 11th 1907.

were present:

Pres. Wm. H. Metson
Com Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Lloyd.

absent:

A. B. Spreckels.

Minutes of previous meeting were read amended and approved.

Minutes

Mrs. A. P. Woodward appeared before the Board as a committee from the California Outdoor Art League and filed a communication from that organization asking that the Convenience Stations in Washington and Union Square be repaired and opened to the public.

Referred to Superintendent McLaren.

Commissioner John C. Kirkpatrick as committee on the disposal of the St. Francis Hotel Building in Union Square after investigating the matter stated that it was his opinion that the Commissioners could not remove it to advantage and without loss, and advised that the structure be not accepted from the St. Francis Hotel Co.

Report received and Committee discharged.

Supt McLaren reported on the same building to this effect.

An offer had been made to purchase the building from the Commissioners for $650.00.

A bid had been received to wreck and remove the building to the Park for $5800.00.

Another bid received to wreck and stack lumber on the ground $ 4.00 per M.

Building estimated to comtain 150000 feet of lumber of which 100000 can be saved.

Salvage that Park Commissioners could dispose of, having no particular use for, 18 bath tubes$12.00 to $ 15.00 a piece. 100 surplus doors and 100 surplus windows. Surperintendent Mc Laren reported that he could wreck and remove the building to the park for $ 1000.00

After considerable discussion for and against the proposition it was finally decided to attempt the work at the estimated cost of the Superintendent.

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Petition received from James Cairns Proprietor of the Cairns Hotel for automobiles to be allowed to pass from the Main drive into 30th Ave

Privilege denied as it was the opinion of the Commissioners upon the report given by the Superintendent that the road was not sufficiently wide to permit the passage of automobiles and it was impracticable to widen the road at present.

Communications received from S. B. Livingston, Attorney, New York in reference to the case of Walter vs Walter,

Read and ordered filed.

Also official notice received in reference to the above from the Surrogate's Court of New York, that a tax or assessment of $4087.80 had been levied on the bequests.

Referred to Attorney Livingston for action in the matter.

Report of the Curator of the Museum, of loans, gifts and exchange s since April, 1906., referred to Com. Cummings.

Commissioner Lloyd made a motion which was duly seconded and carried unanimously that the Curator be directed to report at once to the Chairman of the Museum Committee, the Board to be later advised of all articles offered to the Museum as a sale, gift or exchange, the name and residence of the party offering same and whether the offer was accepted or rejected.

The Superintendent was directed to at once open Washington Square and the convenience station therein to the public.

Com. Lloyd complained of the abrupt ending of the Great Highway, at its southerly point. He suggested in order to provide better facilities for turning that a loop be constructed there. The Superintendent estimated the cost at $500 or $600.00, and on motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded it was unanimously decided to begin the work at once.

Com. Lloyd reported that great crowds of people made use of the tennis courts and that some of them were in the habit of breaking open the lockers when they had for-gotten their keys. To prevent this, on the part of these negligent persons, having the lockers changed and about 200 added. The matter was referred to the Superintendent to devise some plan to avoid the breakage and report at next meeting.

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Com. Lloyd stated that his attention had been called to the fact that persons, on account of the arrangement of the cashier's desk at the Children's Quarters, had taken advantage and walked out without paying for their orders.

On motion of Com. Lloyd duly seconded and carried the matter was referred to Com. Kirkpatrick.

The Superintendent was directed to dispose of all surplus doors and windows, etc., from the St. Francis Hotel building in Union Square.

Meeting adjourned.

H. J. Schmitz
Secretary.

A meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Fairmount Hotel on Wednesday Jany 8/08
Present Pres W. H. Metson
Com. Col. J. C. Kirkpatrick
" Reuben H. Lloyd
" E. M. Cummings
" Jas D. Phelan

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The Board of Park Commissioners organized by the presence of Col. J. C. Kirkpatrick, Reuben H. Lloyd, Mr. Cummings, W. H. Metson, and at this time the resignation of Herbert L Schmitz as Secretary of the Park Commissioners was handed in, and upon motion of Mr. Lloyd, seconded by Kirkpatrick, the said resignation was accepted. The commission of James D. Phelan as Park Commissioner, dated the 6th day of January, 1908, signed by Mayor E. R. Taylor was presented and filed on the 7th day of January, 1908 in the office of the Auditor's Office of the City and County of San Francisco.

Upon motion, duly made and seconded the said commission was spread upon the minutes of the park board, and at this time the commission of Reuben H. Lloyd, to fill ~~a vacancy term~~ a four years term, dated the 6th day of January, 1908, signed by Mayor E. R. Taylor, and filed in the office of the Auditor's Office, January, 8th, 1908, was presented and upon motion unanimously carried by the board and spread upon the minutes of the meeting. These two commissions will be hereafter returned to the two gentlemen named respectively.

Moved and seconded and unanimously carried that Metson act as President.

Nomination and election of Secretary. Frederick A. Wealy nominated and elected unanimously.

~~Moved by Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick that the~~

Ordered by resolution heretofore passed that the salary of the Secretary be fixed at $175.00 per month during the pleasure of the Board.

On motion of Lloyd, duly seconded John McLaren was nominated and elected as Superintendent. Unanimously carried. Salary as heretofore.

Miss M B Fairman be continued as bookkeeper at salary of $125. per month. Unanimously carried.

Communication from Mrs Woodward in regard to convenience stations in Union and Washington Squares. Phelan to see Board of Supervisors to see if they will furnish gas and electricity ofor the lavatories. Goes over until next meeting.

Report of Supt. McLaren read and on motion and unanimously carried accepted and filed and all recommendations therein adopted with the exception of the Beach Chalet and that it be referred to the Supt. for further investigation and report.

Bill of Fulton Iron Works, balance due on windmill $200.. Moved and seconded and unanimously carried that the account be allowed and paid.

Report of Curator read. Moved and seconded that a letter of thanks be sent to Mr. Bole, of the Signal Transfer Company, and en engrossed copy to Raphael Weill. Report from Curator received and placed on file and a vote of thanks sent to the donors and written in the mingtes as being unanimous.

Monthly report of natural history department of museum received and filed and recommendations adopted and thanks sent to the donors.

Lloyd suggests that Chain of Lakes be opened to automobiles; also Spreckels lake and museum. An ordinance to be drafted by Metson, submitted to Lloyd and reported at next meeting.

The recommendation of Kirkpatrick in regard to the playground is that the system be changed and the waitresses be obliged to pay for the viands as they get them. Unanimously carried.

Phelan moved that the Secretary be required to give bonds as provided by the Charter, and if no provision appear in the charter, then he be required to give a bond in the sum of one thousand dollars.

Cummings moved that the lights in the museum be repaired. Amended that the specifications be submitted to the Underwriters of the city and county of San Francisco and approved by them and the repairs be made at once.

Lloyd moved that the President look into the matter of the insurance on the two pictures in the Spooner collection and if necessary have them re-insured.

Lloyd moved that the Superintendent be requested to have the United Railroads put the stations along the Beach line in good condition according to the contract. Unanimously carried.

Moved and seconded that the Francis Scott Key monument be moved to a place selected by Lloyd, Phelan and Cummings and the work be done at once. Unanimously carried.

Lloyd reports meeting the Board and Supervisors and their acceptance of the selection of grounds for parks. Metson spokesman.

Lloyd moved adjournment, with next meeting at the Park Lodge at the call of the President.

J. A. Hagerty
Secretary

A regular meeting of the Park Commissioners was held at the Park Lodge on Wednesday January twenty-second nineteen hundred and eight were present

Pres. W. H. Nelson
Com. M. Earl Cummings
Ruben H. Lloyd
Jas. D. Phelan
Theseus Com. J. C. Kirkpatrick

Minutes of previous meeting were read amended and approved on motion of Com. Ruben H. Lloyd seconded by Com. M. Earl Cummings

Com. R. H. Lloyd

On motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously ordered that the commission of Ruben H. Lloyd, spread upon minutes of previous meeting, be corrected to read, appointed for full term instead of to fill unexpired term

Title of Commissioner to be recorded here

Upon motion of Com. Lloyd seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously ordered that when the name of a Commissioner appears on the minutes of this Board it be proceeded by his proper title

Great Heigh Way

On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Phelan it was moved that an ordinance be enacted compelling all vehicles automobiles and horsemen to travel in one direction on the Great Heigh Way to wit; entering from the northerly end at a point opposite the K. St. terminus and leaving at the southerly end of said road.

This motion was amended by Com Cummings by the addition of a provision opening the said road to automobiles from sunrise to one half hour after sunset but forbidding automobiles to run thereon between those periods.

Beach Chalet

It was unanimously decided by the Board to continue the matter of the Beach Chalet to a later meeting

Bill Fulton Iron Works

Commissioner Lloyd reported that the bill of the Fulton Iron Works, approved and passed by the Board had been paid by check out of the Murphy fund

Chain of Lakes & Sprekels Museum

Suggestion that road to Chain of Lakes and Museum Road be opened to automobiles & was laid over for further action

Waiteress Childrens Play Ground

Recommendation of Com. Kirkpatrick urging waiteress at Childrens Play Ground contained in minutes of preceding meeting, laid over owning to Com. Kirkpatrick not being present

Bond from Secretary

Moved by Com. Lloyd and seconded by Com. Cummings that the premium on the Secretary's bond, issued by the Fidelity & Bonding Company of Maryland, and approved by Pres. Nelson, be paid by the Board of Commissioners. It was ordered that said bond be deposited with the Auditor

Electrical Repairs for Museum

On Motion of Com Phelan, seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously agreed that no action be taken on proposal of Standard Electrical Construction Co for electrical repairs on Museum for the present. It was ordered the Supt. McLaren, acting in conjunction with Com. Cummings find expert to give estimate on cost of such repairs after which the matter be again considered

Policies for former Collection

The Secretary was ordered to look up insurance policies for former collection

Beach Station

On Motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously agreed and ordered that Supt. McLaren change the Beach Station from its situation fronting on the ocean to 47th St

F. Key Monument

The matter of the Francis Key Monument was unanimously set over for next meeting.

Concerning reduction of "Park News" payment.

Mr. Ash, representing "the Park News," appeared before the Board and urging hard times, asked for a reduction of his monthly payment. On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously decided to reduce the payment $16.67 for the months of January and February, on condition that the regular amount shall be paid in full when or before due during all the other months of the contract

Street Sweepings

On motions of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Cummings it was unanimously ordered that Superintendent McLean be ordered to confer with the Board of Public Works and see if the Board of Public Works cannot not resume the practice in force before the fire of delivering to the Park clean street sweepings @ 35¢ per cub. yard. Com. Lloyd stated that $1.00 for sand was too dear and that the street sweepings were necessary for the growth of trees ect.

Building West. Speckels Lake

It was moved by Com. Lloyd and seconded by Com. Phelan that Supt. McLaren get plans and cost of building west of Speckels Lake. Unanimously carried and so ordered

Vote of thanks to Singer

It was moved by Com. Lloyd and seconded by Com. Cummings that a vote of thanks be tendered Mr. Singer for his gift of cement for Francis Key Monument. Unanimously carried

Messrs. Fox

Com. Lloyd suggested that peoples not sitting down be compelled to keep moving and space clear between spectators and band stand. Also that board fence be provided for seats. Went over until next meeting.

Secretary on Play Grounds and Stables

Secretary on motion of Mr. Boyd be ordered to check up bills, receipts, goods and all other matters pertaining to Childrens Play Ground and stable licenses by Mr. Cummings and unanimously carried

Commissioners Stables

Commissioners Stables Union Work Hgrs. Over to next meeting

Letter to Mr. Weill of Mayors Com. on decorations

On motion of Com Phelan, seconded by Com Lloyd it was unanimously decided by the Park Commissioners that a notification be sent to Mr. Weill, of the Mayors Committee for the Entertainment of the Fleet, that the Park Commissioners will supply such greens and other floral decorations as may be needed for decorating for purposes connected with said Committee. There being no further business, on motion adjourned.

J. McHead
Secretary of Park Com.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held February 5th 1908, at the Fairmont Hotel.

Were present: Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
Com. Boyd
Com. Phelan
Absent Com. Kirkpatrick

The following business was transacted.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved after being corrected as follows "Upper portion" in the Great Highway, to read "most westerly and elevated portion". "Square yard" in the portion devoted to street sweepings to read "Cubic yard".

Minutes

The secretary then asked permission to speak and brought to the notice of the Board the confusion which had arisen through the Auditors action in refusing to return pay warrants without a written order for each one. Com. Phelan was appointed by the Chair to confer with the Auditor and straighten the matter out

Auditor

The next order of business was the reading of various communications. The report of Supt. McLaren was read, adopted and ordered filed. All suggestions contained therein were ordered carried out

Golden Gate Park

The report of Curator John W. Rogers was read adopted and ordered filed. Letters of acknowledgement were directed sent to the following thanking them for their donations.

Milton U. Nathan - 787 Mkt. St.
Mrs. Joseph Kirk - 1412 Pine St.

An "Aladdyn" Bureau hanging lamp offered for sale by A Malyhieri and some curios offered for sale by Jack Mac Gregor were both declined

An engrossed letter of thanks was ordered sent to C. P. Schweren thanking

him for the presentation to the Museum of a beautiful collection of Japanese wood carvings

A communication from the Home Protective Association of San Mateo, was next read. It called the Boards attention to a proposed ordinance by the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo Co. relative to the erection and conduct of a Smelter at Baden. The letter asked for the co-operation of the San Francisco Board of Park Commissioners in an effort to prevent the erection and operation of said smelter at that point. As the matter had come before the Board at a previous meeting it was decided to approve the Boards former action. A committee, consisting of Com. Boyd and Supt. McLaren, was appointed to keep the matter under observation and report any new developments

Baden Smelter

The report of C. L. McEnerney to the Mission Improvement Association relative to the removal of the Garfield Park Pumping Station came next. It was ordered that the Spring Valley Water Co. be summoned before the Board, at its next meeting, and asked to show cause why it should not remove its plant from Garfield Park within the succeeding ninety days. As it was alleged that the period of removal might subject the neighborhood to danger of conflagration, it was further ordered that the Chief of the Fire Dept and the City Engineer be requested to be present and give the Board the benefit of their expert advice. All three communications were ordered mailed under registered cover.

Garfield Park Pumping Station

An application for employment of Mr Thos James residence of San Jose, was received, they not being residents of San Francisco.

Moving of Beach Station

A letter from the United Rail Roads to Supt. McLaren anent the removal of the Beach Station, was referred back to Mr. McLaren to straighten out an error of location and a letter acknowledging the company's courtesy was ordered.

Flowers Etta G. Block

A request for flowers from Etta G. Block referred to the Board by His Honor, Mayor Taylor, was referred to Supt. McLaren for investigation and he was instructed to comply with Miss. Block's request should the charity prove to be a worthy one.

Bid for

The bid of F. Schafer, who offered Ten dollars for the old windmill tank on the Great Heigh way, was referred to Supt. McLaren.

Estimate for repairing

An estimate for repairing Dewey Monument in Union Square, received from Newton Shop, was referred to Com. Cummings for investigation.

Come further

Come further carres pondence from Mrs. Woodward in re convenience Stations in Washington and Union Squares, was turned over to Com. Phelan who had the matter in charge.

Re matter of waiteresses employed in the Childrens Play Ground was continued - Com. Gallagher not being present.

Under new business Pres. Melson suggested that Supt. McLaren be instructed to appoint men to the special duty of cleaning up lunch counters and other debris on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and other holidays, his action having a special object at this time - namely to assist in the city's crusade against rats. On being put to vote the suggestion of Pres. Melson was unanimously carried.

Signs and names Parks in G. G. Pk

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Supt McLaren was ordered to report to the Board the names of all roads, paths, highways and Gurays in Golden Gate Park, together with and estimate of the cost of supplying signs, bearing their names at proper intervals. This so that the publics be enabled to properly obey ordinances. It was so ordered.

Heron Speckels Lake

Architect Edgar A. Matthews came before the Board, and with its members present, went over the plans for the yacht model house to be erected west of Speckels Lake. He was told to prepare seperate ~~estimates~~ specifications for the stone, brick and cement work thereon. It was decided to call for proposals on these seperate items with the understanding that the Board reserve to itself the right to reject any or all of said proposals should it see fit.

Coping and sidewalks Union Sq

On motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded, it was decided to notify the Board of Public Works, to repair and put in good order, the coping and sidewalk surrounding Union Square. Supt. McLaren was instructed to see this order was carried out.

Lawn border for

On motion of Com. Phelan duly seconded the fence and hedge along the Fell St side of the Panhandle were ordered removed and a lawn border planted in their place.

Robert Burns Memorial

It was decided by the Board that Pres. Melson being the one best qualified to do honor to such occasions, be appointed a committee of one to appear on behalf of the Board and accept for the Park the Burns Monument at its unveiling at three o'clock on the afternoon of [illegible]

New site for Francis Key Monument

The committee having the matter in charge reported that it had decided on, as a new site for the Francis Key Monument; a point on the south side of the south drive around Music Valley, where the pampas grass is planted. On Motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded, this site was unanimously adopted.

Ammendments to Auto ordinance

On the suggestion of Pres. Metson, the ammendments to the ordinance governing automobiles and extending their privileges, having been voted on by all present and unanimously adopted, was ordered passed to print when and advertised according to law.

Proposals for moving Francis Key Monument

It was decided to ask for proposals for moving the Francis Key Monument to its new site. Said proposals subject to specifications to be drawn by Com. Cummings and ready for consideration by the Board at its next meeting. When approved by the Board these specifications to be placed on file at the Park Lodge Office for the ~~inspection~~ specific inspection of those interested. These specifications and proposals to be of two different characters. One calling for bids to move the monument and its foundation as it is: the other calling for bids for the construction of a new Concrete foundation and the placing of the stone work complete as it now stands. The Board reserving the right to accept any ~~bid~~ each or any bid as it saw fit.

The Secretary offered the Park a mule, subject to the approval of Capt. McKinzie. As Mr. McKinzie did not approve of mules the offer was withdrawn.

There being no further business, the Board on motion adjourned.

M. Healy
Secty.

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, Feby 19/08

Were present

Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick
" Boyd.
" Phelan

Previous Minutes

The following business was transacted:
The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved with the following corrections, "Ammendments to the", changed to "news" in the paragraph relating to the automobile ordinance. "The best qualified" stricken out in the paragraph devoted to the Burns Monument celebration.

Range finding Station

There appeared Major McKinstry, U. S. A. Engineer Corps. He brought for the Boards inspection drawings of a range-finding station which the War Department desired to erect on a plot of ground 13'4"x4'6", situate within the boundaries of Golden Gate Park, at the S.W. Cor. of said Park East of the Great Highway. The Commissioners declared themselves as strongly opposed to the National Government using any of the Park lands while each member of the Commission was heartily in favor of anything keeping to perfect our system of National defense, yet, inasmuch as there were other unoccupied private lands adjacent to the Park, which, in the judgement of Major McKinstry were quite as suitable for the contemplated station, the Commissioners considered their obligations to the public made it imperative for them to decline to sell any portion of the public play ground for such a purpose. The Secretary was directed to communicate with the Secretary of War through the proper channels explaining to him the circumstances of the case and to respectfully protest against the National Government exercising its right of eminent domain.

Spring Valley's Plant in Garfield Park

In obedience to a summons, Pres. Payson, of the Spring Valley Water Co., appeared before the Board to show cause why his company should not remove its plant from Garfield Park. Pres. Payson, giving no good reason for not so doing, and his statements and estimates of cost agreeing neither with the opinions of the Chief of the Fire Department nor with those of Engineer McEnerny, of the Mission Improvement Association, it was decided that the plant should be removed. Some discussion was had as to the length of time which should be allowed the Spring Valley Co. wherein to comply with the Boards decision. Pres. Metson advocated sixty days and thirty days thereafter; Com. Phelan favored four months and Com. Boyd advised five months. The matter was balloted upon and the first ballot resulted in no determination, Pres Metson voting for sixty and thirty days, Comrs. Phelan and Cummings voting for four months and Comrs. Boyd and Kirkpatrick not voting. On a second ballot the four months time limit was carried. The Spring Valley Water Co., through its president, was then ordered to have the removal of its plant from Garfield Park accomplished not later than four months from date.

Com. Phelan suggested that the Stanyan St. Entrance to Golden Gate Park be enlarged and so altered as to do away with the sharp turn in the roadway and to produce a more artistic effect. This matter went over.

The request of Geo. H. Fabrion, of Los Angeles, for a miniature railroad concession was given to the Secretary to answer.

An invitation from the Burns Monument Committee to be present at the Monuments unveiling was read.

Academy of Sciences Building

A letter from the Academy of Sciences, asking for space in Golden Gate Park for the erection of a temporary museum building, latter to be followed by a permanent and more ornate structure, was read and the drawings which accompanied the communication were inspected. Some discussion ensued relative to the proposition and Com. Phelan was appointed a committee of one to go further into the matter with the proper authorities of the Academy. Copies of the communication were ordered made and forwarded to the different Commissioners.

Fleet Decorations

A letter from the Fleet Committee on Decorations, asking for the cooperation of the Park Commissioners in providing floral decorations for the fete places in various portions of the city, was referred to Supt. McLaren. Mr. McLaren was instructed to confer with Secretary St. Thos. of the Fleet Com. and to do all in his power to help out.

Gen. Vallejo's Coach

A Communication from J. J. Cleaver of Sacramento offering for sale to the Museum the old state coach of Gen. Vallejo was next read. The Secretary was instructed to take the matter up with Dr. E. J. Frisbie and see what terms could be made.

Etta G. Blacks request request for roses and cut flowers was referred to Supt McLaren who was directed to refuse the flowers, but to use his own judgement in regard to the vines and greens.

An offer of various theatrical mementos from Mr. Chas. Chevalier of Washington D. C. was accepted.

A letter from Chas. Westley Reed was referred to the Board of Public Works.

Curator Natural History

The report of the Curator of the Natural History Department was read, accepted and ordered filed.

A communication from Mr. Peter Provost of Seattle, offering mammoth bones for sale was referred to Com. Cummings who was requested to communicate with J.E. Chilberg, Scandanavian American Bank, Seattle in regard to the matter

Mammoth Bones

The offer for sale to the Museum of old coins by Isaacs Grossas was referred to Com. Cummings, as was the repair of the picture entitled "The Court Tailor" which had been damaged by the earthquake.

Old Coins

A discription of the various roads in Golden Gate Park was returned to Supt. McLaren who was instructed to give a distinguishing name and number to each one.

Names for Roads

Reports from the Curator of the Memorial Museum, were read, adopted and ordered filed. Proper letters of acknowledgement were ordered sent to the various donators.

Curator's Museum

The request of the U. S. Engineer for 300 cu. yds. of sand and gravel was referred to Supt. McLaren.

A letter to His Hon. the Mayor, from the Marine Hospital, and referred to this Board, was then read. It requested the construction of half a block of road through Mountain Lake Park to the Government Reservation. It was turned over to Supt. McLaren for investigation, report and estimate of the cost of such construction.

There being no further business, the Board on motion, adjourned

H.A. Keil
Secretary

April

At a regular meeting of the Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmount Hotel, March 4th 1908.

Were present

Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings
" Lloyd
" Phelan
Absent " Kirkpatrick

The following business was transacted:

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved with the following correction "That a Committee of the Whole together with the officials of the Academy of Sciences, meet and proceed to select a proper site for the new Academy of Sciences building in Golden Gate Park.

Supt's Report

The report of the Superintendent was read, accepted and ordered filed and all recommendations contained therein were ordered adopted

Leaders Petition for Children's Playground

A petition, headed by "The Leader" asking for a reduction of the prevailing prices at the Children's Playground to a price of three tickets for five cents, caused some discussion Com. Lloyd and Com. Phelan taking the principal part. Comr. Phelan was in favor of granting it, if possible and Com. Lloyd was strongly in favor of denying it, inasmuch as the present price hardly paid expenses. Upon being put to vote the petition was denied. The Secretary was instructed so to inform "The Leader and such organizations as had officially endorsed "The Leader's" movement and to explain to them that the present rate hardly paid expenses. Notwithstanding such being the case, numerous free days were given the children throughout the year.

A communication from Joseph T. Cohen, offering for sale or to Loan the Museum a Napoleonic Cannot, was referred to Com. Cummings

Howard Baker Cannon

A communication from Harry R. Jones, asking for additional handball courts in Golden Gate Park, was referred to Supt. McLaren, with power to act.

A letter of thanks from the Fleet Committee was read and ordered filed.

Alaska Yukon Exposition

A letter from the Alaska-Yukon Exposition Commission, Seattle, asking for flowers, shrubs etc. was referred to Supt. McLaren, who was instructed to comply as far as possible.

Communication from Secretary

The Secretary was instructed to inform W. H. White, that while the Commission would not buy his pet deer, it would care for it if shipped to Golden Gate Park at his expense.

Parking Fire Engines

A reply was ordered sent to Secretary Frank Heeren of the Pacific Fire Districts that, when the Stadium lockers were finished, his organization would receive its just allotment thereof, but that special privileges would be granted no one.

W. C. Horne of Red Rock Lumber Co. Col. offered for sale some mule-tailed deer. The Secretary was ordered to take the matter up with Com. Vogelsang of the Game Commission.

Com. Lloyd informed the Board he could procure some fine Alaska gravel for nothing. The matter was turned over to Mr. Lloyd and Supt. McLaren with power to act.

The Secretary was instructed to write to the Board of Public Works and request that body to have the repair of the curbing and sidewalks around Union Square completed before the fleet arrival.

Mountain Lake Park

Superintendent McLaren reported that to construct a road through Mountain Lake Park, such as had been requested by the Marine Hospital authorities, would cost $7400. The Board decided this was too much and Supt. McLaren was instructed to see the surgeon commanding, and go further into the matter.

Lockers for Stadium

It was decided to call for bids for furnishing 6000 lockers, more or less, for the stadium. Bids to be asked for lockers of metal. This was referred to Supt McLaren who was instructed to draw up specifications and contracts and to inform the Secretary to advertise same. The Board reserving the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Discontinuance of U.R.R. Concerts

A notification from the United Railroads that it would discontinue its payment of $700.00 per concert to the Park Band, was turned over to Pres. Nelson, who was to go into the matter with the proper traction officials. This action of the railroads was discussed and the Board agreed that, unless the railroads rescinded its action, the concerts in the park would have to cease.

Com. Lloyd brought to the attention of the Board that public meetings of various sorts, many of them distinctly anarchistic in character were constantly taking place in various city squares & it is distinctly forbidden by this Commission to hold public meetings of any character in any of the city parks or squares within the jurisdiction of this Commission. Com Lloyd moved that the Secretary be instructed to call the matter to the attention of the Chief of Police and request that he see that the regulations of the Park Commissioners be rigidly enforced.

Dewey Monument Motion by

Com. Cummings reported on the repair of the trident that surmounts the Dewey Monument in Union Square. The great diffiiculty of reaching it had been surmounted by the Chief of the Fire Department offering the use of the fire ladders. M. Cummings offered to take charge of the matter himself. Upon motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the matter was ordered referred to Com. Cummings and the thanks of the Board were extended to him for his generous donation of his services.

Mowing Sand lot

The bid of the McGilvray Stone Co. to move the intact portion of the Francis Key Monument to its new site and there set it up for the sum of $800.00 provoked some discussion. Pres. Melson considered the sum all to high, while Comrs. Lloyd and Phelan were in favor of accepting it. The matter was put to a vote and resulted in the bid being accepted by three to one. The ayes being Comrs. Cummings, Lloyd and Phelan. No Pres. Melson. Pres. Melson then suggested that a time limit be attached to the contract compelling the completion of the work within six weeks from date, so that the monument be in perfect condition by the time of the fleets arrival. It was so ordered. The Secretary was instructed to write the McGilvray Stone Co. and acquaint them with the conditions under which their bid had been accepted.

There being no further business, the Board, on motion, adjourned.

W. A. Leal
Secretary.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel March 19th. 1908.

Were present

Pres. Melson
Com. Cummings
" Kerrigan
" Lloyd
" Phelan

The following business was transacted.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were waived in order that more important matters be given consideration.

Academy of Sciences

The business of the proposed Academy of Sciences building in Golden Gate Park came first and it was finally decided that Pres. Melson draft a letter to the officials of the Academy of Sciences which would be in accordance with the resolutions covering the project which had been passed at a previous meeting. The Secretary was instructed to have a copy made of such resolutions for the Commissioners to use as a reference.

Band Concerts Golden Gate Park

Came next the question of band concerts in Golden Gate Park. Pres. Melson reported he had conferred with the United Railroads who had refused to contribute any further toward the fund of the musicians. Leader Steindorff of the Park Band appeared before the Board and gave as his opinion that twenty four musicians might produce adequate music but that any smaller number would be inadequate. E. A. Cook, of the "Park News", suggested that another effort be made to get the United Railroads to contribute and offered to raise $75.00 per month by popular subscription. A communication from F. A. Dauernheim, manager of Cejans Band was read. He offered to play in the Park for the sum of $700 per. man per concert and $70.00 per concert for the leader. His men to furnish their own uniform and music. Considerable discussion ensued between the various members of the Board

Subscription for Band Concerts

Mr. Ash was authorized to proceed with the solicitation of subscriptions though he was informed that the Board would guarantee nothing. The matter then went over for further consideration. Comm. Phelan then informed the Board that a Band would play in Golden Gate Park during the reception of the fleet as the Fleet Reception Committee would provide the funds, if they could not be otherwise procured.

Grand Stand for Stadium Track

A Committee, representing the San Francisco Driving Club, the Bay City Wheelmen and the Cycle Board of Trade, appeared before the Commissioners and petitioned for the erection of a grand stand at the Stadium Track. It was finally decided that Comm. Kirkpatrick confer with the committee and decide on the size and site of such a building. Supt. McLaren was instructed to prepare plans for the inspection of the Board at its next meeting also estimates for the cost if such a building in both wood and concrete. Comm. Lloyd informed the committee that no special privileges would be allowed anyone.

Bid for Stone Work

A bid of the McGilvray Stone Co., for the stone work of the Spreckels Lake Boat House, was held over and the Secretary was instructed to advertise for proposals for the same. Proposals to be made returnable at the next meeting of the Board.

Complaint

The Southern Heights Improvement Club complained, through the Board of Health, of Jackson Park as a nuisance, and petitioned that the park be filled up to grade. Referred to Supt McLaren for an estimate of the cost of such work.

Acknowledgement

An acknowledgement from Sen. Perkins was read, informing the Board their letter anent range finding station had

received proper consideration.

Life Saving Pole at Beach

The United States Life Saving Service petitioned for permission to erect a pole on the beach for drill purposes. Permission was granted on condition that the pole should be erected under the supervision of Supt. McLaren, should remain at the Pleasure of the Park Commissioners and should be removed whenever they should so request.

Congress of Roads Paris

A communication from the U.S. Department of Agriculture, notifying the Board of an "International Congress of Roads" to be held in Paris on October 8th, was read. The Secretary was directed to inform His Honor, the Mayor, of such Californians as would be in Paris at that time, and to request that he appoint delegates from among them.

Petition Mrs Gonzales

A petition from Capt of Police Dinkelspiel, on behalf of Mrs. Gonzales, for lunch selling privileges, was refused in compliance with the charter and park regulations which forbid such concessions.

Curators Reports

The reports of the Curators of the Museum and Natural History, were accepted and ordered filed.

Flag pole for Telegraph Hill

Pres. Melone informed the Commissioners that certain ladies were willing to donate a flag to fly from Telegraph Hill, providing the Park Commissioners would procure the pole. Referred to Supt. McLaren to see if a pole could be procured and the cost of same.

Franklin Square Telegraph Station

The matter of the telegraph station at Franklin Square was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act.

Pres. Nelson reported he had taken an engineer to the beach to give expert opinion on the breakwater or dyke matter. Mr. Nelson stated that sacks would not do and that concrete construction was the only way to hold the beach. At the suggestion of Com. Lloyd, it was ordered that the Supt. make an estimate of the cost of an experimental breakwater to be constructed in the vicinity of the Beach Chalet.

Experimental Breakwater at Beach

Com. Cummings reported that, in order to repair the trident on the Dewey Monument it would be necessary to build a staging about the monument. Some discussion ensued as to what should be done. It was finally decided to get a report from the City Engineer ~~Supt~~ as to the probability of danger from the present condition of the monument; further action be suspended until such report be received.

Dewey Monument Trident

There being no further business, the meeting on motion, adjourned.

J. A. Finch
Secretary

The following ordinance governing automobiles and other vehicles in Golden Gate Park, having been unanimously passed upon and accepted by the Board of Park Commissioners, was duly passed to print, advertised and made operative according to law.

An Ordinance of the Board of Commissioners, known as "Park Commissioners" of the City and County of San Francisco, California, governing the use of the roads, speedways and driveways, in all parks in the City and County of San Francisco, setting apart certain of said roads, speedways and driveways by motor by motor vehicles, regulating the speed of all vehicles on certain of said roads, speedways, and driveways and making it unlawful to violate the terms hereof and providing a penalty for such violation.

Section 1.

All driveways, speedways and roads in the public parks of the City and County of San Francisco, are hereby expressly set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages at all times, except that certain of the roads, driveways and speedways in Golden Gate Park and the Great Highways may at the times and under the conditions hereinafter set out, be used by motor vehicles for the conveyance of passengers only.

Section 11. Subdivision 1

Motor vehicles may use, between the hours hereinafter specified only, the Main Driveway, the Middle Driveway, the Middle Driveway, the road encircling the Chain of Lakes, and the road encircling the Music Stand in Golden Gate Park and the Great Highway including the sealed portion thereof between the hours of sunrise and one-half hour after sunset, except that the ~~here~~ road encircling the Music Stand and that portion of the Main Driveway from the point of intersection of the Middle Driveway therewith, near the Garfield Monument

westerly to the point where Twenty-first Ave. if projected across the Park would intersect said driveway are hereby expressly set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages on Sundays and holidays; and excepting further that motor vehicles may use the South Driveway and the Easterly, or lower half of the Great Highway from 6 A.M. to 11 P.M.; and excepting further, that motor vehicles proceeding in a southerly direction only shall be permitted to use the elevated portion of the Great Highway between sunrise and one half hour after sunset.

Subdivision II

The speed of all vehicles on the Main and Middle Driveways, the road encircling the Chain of Lakes, the road encircling the Music Stand, the elevated portion of the Great Highway and that portion of the Great Highway north of the place where the southerly portion of the park, if projected westerly would intersect said highway will be limited to six miles per hour at all times; and the speed of all vehicles at all times, on the South Driveway and the easterly or lower side of the Great Highway south of the place where the southerly boundary of the Park, if projected westerly, would intersect said highway, will be limited to fifteen miles per hour.

Subdivision III

The driveways, speedways and roadways, hereby set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages will be designated by signs reading "Automobiles Prohibited." The road to Strawberry Hill, the Observatory, the Speedway, the North Ridge Driveway and the Panhandle are included in the roads so set apart for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages.

Subdivision IV

Automobiles will not be permitted to stop in the Park or upon the Great Highway except at the Parking Rails maintained therefor.

Section 31

Operators or chauffeurs must be skilled in the management of such vehicles, and no instruction of beginners will be permitted upon any driveway in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway. No person operating a motor vehicle as a mechanic or employee or for hire will be permitted to operate such vehicle in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway unless his state badge shall be pinned upon his outer clothing, upon the right breast and in a conspicuous place at all times while he is so operating such vehicle.

When horses become restive or frightened at the approach of any motor vehicle, the conductor thereof shall bring such vehicle to full stop.

Operators or chauffeurs of automobiles must keep all mufflers closed while operating their vehicles.

When signaled by an officer or custodian by the raising of a hand or three blasts of a police whistle, automobiles must be brought to a full stop.

Operators or chauffeurs of automobiles in meeting or passing carriages, must keep as far apart as possible. Automobiles shall not travel side by side in the Park, except when passing each other and then only for as short a distance as reasonably possible to make the passage without danger to either.

Section 4. No motor vehicle shall be allowed in the Golden Gate Park or upon the Great Highway that has not strictly conformed to the act of the Legislature approved March 23rd 1905 entitled "An act to regulate the operation of motor vehicles on the public highways and making an appropriation for the purpose of carrying out the object of this act."

Section 5. It shall be unlawful for any person to operate any vehicle upon any of the roads, speedways and driveways mentioned in this ordinance at a rate of speed greater than that herein provided, and it shall be unlawful for any person to operate any

motor vehicle upon any road, speedway or driveway herein provided to be reserved for the exclusive use of horses and light carriages; and it shall be unlawful for any person to operate a motor vehicle upon any of the roads, speedways or driveways upon which motor vehicles are hereby permitted to be used except at the time and between the hours provided in this ordinance; and any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished therefore, on conviction in any court of competent jurisdiction.

This ordinance shall take effect April 6th 1908.

H.C. Levy
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday, April 7th 1908

Were present
Pres. Metson
Com. Cummings
" Lloyd
" Phelan

Absent Com. Kirkpatrick

Minutes — The minutes of the previous meeting were waived in order to give precedence to more important business

Supt McLaren's report. — The report of Supt. McLaren was read, accepted and ordered placed on file. All the recommendations contained therein were adopted except that opening to the Grand Stand at the Stadium. This was turned over to Pres Melson for investigation and future report.

Re Street sweepings — A letter from the Board of Pub. Works concerning street sweepings was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act

Fountains — The Secretary was instructed to advertise for 4500 feet of hose on Supt McLaren's specifications.

Com Lloyd further instructed that all invitations for bids be extended to all dealers of San Francisco and Oakland

Re Stadium — The Committee of the San Francisco Dueing Club appeared and reported upon work done in connection with selecting a site for the Stadium Grand Stand

Concerts — Letters were read from various musical organizations requesting the concert privileges of Golden Gate Park. Some discussion ensued over the advisability of employing foreign musicians. The entire matter was turned over to a committee consisting of Pres. Melson and Com Cummings to report to the Board at some future

A resolution was adopted at the suggestion of Com. Phelan giving the Fleet Commander permission to hold concerts in Golden Gate Park and in the city squares on May 10th, or any other day during the reception of the Fleet. Concerts to be held by arrangement with Supt McLaren and shall be under Mr McLaren's supervision

Re automobile traffic

Com Phelan was appointed a committee of one to confer with the Chief of Police on the regulation of automobile traffic at night.

Instr. Supt. McLaren to prepare plans

Supt. McLaren was instructed to widen and improve the surface of the elevated portion of the Great Highway. He was authorized to use clay from the wall of the Cliff House Road. Mr. McLaren was also authorized to repair the damaged windmill by replacing the broken wing and to further strengthen the wings by a connecting steel rod.

To advertise

Upon motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Board declared it was its unalterable sense that no wagons, garbage or other business, be permitted to go through Golden Gate Park except by written permission of the Superintendent.

Re pipe lines

The petition of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Co. to lay pipes through Golden Gate Park to replace old ones, was referred to Pres. Nelson to report on

Bids for metal lockers, 500 more or less, were then opened. They were as follows.

H. S. Crocker Co.
San Francisco, Cal.
Agents for Vandorn Lockers. Cleveland Ohio.

Bid 1	500 Lockers Style A.	$7340.00
" II	" " B.	5830.00
III	" " C.	5470.00

The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium, Golden Gate Park.
Certified check for $300.00

M. G. West Co.
1 Pine St. San Francisco, Cal.
500 Lockers — $5.15 each
Should locks not be required deduct 50¢ each
The above price for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium, Golden Gate Park.
Certified check for $100.00

The General Fireproofing Co.
Agent H. H. Thurston.
57 Second St. S.F. Cal.

Bid I	500 Lockers	$1787.50
" II	" "	1662.50

The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use Club House, Stadium Golden Gate Park
Certified check for 180.00

Merrill A. Reed
169 O'Farrell St. S.F. Cal.
Agt. Federal Steel Fixture Co. Chicago Ill.

Bid I	500 Lockers	$1.65 each.
" II	" "	1.45 "
" III	" "	1.25 "

The above prices for lockers ready for use, in place Club House, Stadium. Golden Gate Park
Bond Fidelity and Dep. Co. of Maryland

Art Metal Construction Co.
18 Grand Ave. S.F. Cal.

Prop. I		Prop. 2	
Bid 1	500 Lockers $1700	Bid 1	500 Lockers $2300
" 2	" " 1950	" 2	" " 2410
" 3	" " 1990	" 3	" " 2490

To the above bids shall be added $210.00 for lockers in Stadium Club House, G.G. Park and setting in place.
Certified check for 200.00

Williams Mfg Locker Co
197 Jessie St. S.F. Cal.
Agents for Menard Lockers

Bid 1	500 Lockers	$3.10 each
" 2	" "	2.90 "
" 3	" "	2.70 "
" 4	" "	2.50 "

The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium Lockers Golden Gate Park. With the exception of bid 1
Certified check for 387.00

McCormick-Henderson Co.
#110 Bush St. S.F. Cal.
Bid 1 500 Lockers $3.40 each
" 2 " " 3.65 "
The above prices for lockers in place, ready for use, Club House, Stadium G.G. Park.
Certified check for $250.00
The above bids were all referred to Com. Phelan for investigation and report.

On motion of Com. Boyd, duly seconded, it was decided that the usual May Day festival be held, under the direction of Mr. McLaren, in Sutro Park.

Owing to there having been no consent the "Park News" was permitted to pay, for the month of March only, one fourth its regular contract price

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned

F.A. Long
Secretary

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, April 9th 1901.
Were present.
Pres Nelson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Lloyd
" Phelan

The object of this meeting being to consider the matter of the resumption of Band Concerts in Golden Gate Park, the first business was listening to the report of Pres Nelson. Following the report ensued a general discussion on the advisability of employing the now famous National Guard Band of the Fifth Regiment. Com. Phelan stated that such employment would cause dissatisfaction and discontent and would disturb the industrial quiet so much desired by Hon. Homer Mayor Taylor Coms. Lloyd, Nelson, Cummings and Kirkpatrick thought the question of unionism or non-unionism should not be taken into consideration. They were in favor of the Fifth Regiment Band as it was the cheapest. Finally Com. Phelan moved that the Cassassa Band of thirty pieces, be employed for a trial at a price of $160.00 per concert the trial to be of not more than four concerts. This motion being seconded by Com Cummings was put to vote and lost as follows.

Aye. Com. Phelan No Com Nelson
Lloyd
Kirkpatrick
Cummings

Some further discussion then took place then opposed to the Cassassa Band stating that their principal objection was that the Commission was not assured of the money wherewith to meet the expense Com. Phelan thereupon gave his personal guarantee for the payment of the charges. Upon this understanding the question was again put to vote and it was unanimously decided that Cassassas Band should be given trial employment The amended motion which was adopted read as follows:

Resolved: That Cassassa's Band of thirty musicians be employed, at a price of $60.00 per. concert, for a trial not to exceed four concerts, upon Com. Phelan giving his personal guarantee that the money to cover such payments, up to the sum of $600.00, shall be forthcoming when demanded.

Com. Phelan reported that he had seen the Chief of Police who had agreed to provide a mounted police to regulate auto traffic at night. Upon this understanding it was unanimously agreed not to rigorously enforce the eleven o'clock portion of the ordinance.

Reports of the Curator were accepted and ordered filed.
The meeting, on motion, adjourned
J. A. Leal
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Thursday April 16th 1908
Were present
Pres. Nelson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Phelan
Absent " Lloyd
" Cummings

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was waived
The reports of the Curators of the Museum and of Natural History were accepted and the customary letters of acknowledgement were ordered sent to the various donors
A Bid of the Mc Gilvray Stone Co. to deliver, cut, point and erect the stone work of the Spreckels Boat House at Golden Gate Park for the sum of $1193.00, was held over for the consideration of a four board
Permission was granted to Miss. Estelle Carpenter to rehearse the school children at the Band Stand in Golden Gate Park, under the supervision of Supt McLaren
Permission was granted to the Fleet Committee to hold an auto parade through the Panhandle on condition that they procure extra and sufficient police
On motion of Com Phelan, duly seconded, Supt. McLaren was instructed to prevent the erection of a ~~monument~~ ground stand around Marshall Monument
Bids to supply 6000 cubic yards of clay more or less, to the New Reservoir, Golden Gate Park, were received from Owen McHugh, 74 3/4 c per cu. yd, and Cal. Construction 97 1/4 c " " " Owen McHugh, being the lowest bidder received the contract
Bids to supply 4000 ft 1" hose and 500 ft 1 1/2" hose were opened & Boston Rubber Mfg Co. quoting the lowest figure were awarded the contract
The beds were as follows

Plant Rubber Co	4000 ft 1" hose	$ 555.00
	1000 " 1¼" "	295.00
	4000 " 1" "	720.00
	1000 " 1¼" "	223.20
Goodyear Rubber Co.	4000 1" hose	14¢ per ft.
" " "	500 1¼" "	18¢ " "
Pacific Coast Rubber Co.	4000 1" hose	14¾¢ per ft.
	500 1¼" "	22¢ " "
Bowers Rubber Co.	4000 ft 1" hose	16½¢ per ft.
	500 " 1¼" "	21¢ " "
Gorham Rubber Co.	4000 ft 1" hose	18½¢ per ft.
	500 " 1¼" "	22½¢ " "
Gutta Percha Rubber Mfg. Co.	4000 ft 1" hose	14¢ per ft.
	500 " 1¼" "	17¾¢ " "

There being no further business, the meeting, on motion, adjourned

F. A. Healy
Secretary

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel. April 23rd 1908

Were present

Pres. Metson
Com Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Boyd
" Phelan

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved

A petition of the Outdoor League of the California Club asking that the name of Dewpoint be given to the cleared portion of the Great Highway was held over until action on the matter by the Board of Supervisors

D. T. Reichl appeared and requested permission to exhibit his life saving apparatus on the Beach this request was opposed by Com. Boyd on the ground that it was encouraging commercial enterprise within the confines of the Park. On Motion of Com Phelan, duly seconded, Mr. Reichl, by a vote of three to two, was given one week for exhibition purposes, during which the Commissioners should view his performance and decide upon its merits

The petition of P. M. Reynolds to construct a waste water on the Beach was denied unanimously.

The petitions of Shin Tait and Mrs. Gonzalez for the privilege of selling provisions at the Stadium during the Fleet festivities was referred to Pres Metson and Com. Kirkpatrick with power to act

The request of the Fleet Committee for the use of the Stadium and Base Ball Grounds was granted with the understanding that such privilege should be under the supervision of Capt McLaren

Bid awarded for Metal Lockers

Comr. Phelan reported on the bids for metal lockers and recommended the acceptance of the proposal of Williams & Carter Co. for 600 Durand Steel Lockers 12"x 15"x 36" F. O. B. San Francisco @ $3.10 This bid was the lowest. Comr. Phelan's recommendation was unanimously adopted.

Permission for advertising

A Communication from Lieut. Smart, U.S.A., asking permission to use the parks and squares for the purpose of advertising for army recruits through the medium of Soldiers and portable signs, met with some opposition from Comrs. Lloyd. By a vote of three to two, the permission was temporarily granted.

Referred to

A letter from the Daughters of Pioneers anent the presentation of historical and other objects to the Museum was referred to Comr. Cummings with power to act.

A letter from Emilio Zaffaretti, Attorney for the Scavengers Protective Association, was received. His protest against the scavengers not being permitted to use Golden Gate Park as a thoroughfare was not considered.

The Secretary was directed to acknowledge the donations to the Museum offered by the daughter of Col Jack Hays and Mrs. Susan C. Taylor.

Comr. Cummings reported that he had made arrangements with the Piedmont Granite Co. to repair Dewey Monument. At the suggestion of Comr. Phelan such repairs were to be deferred until after the fleets arrival unless they could be completed before that time.

A letter from James Garrity reporting the loss of a pay demand and requesting the issuance of a duplicate, was read. The Secretary was instructed to comply on condition Mr. Garrity present an affidavit fully covering the facts and a bond to double the amount involved.

A Communication from the Park Curling Wheelmen asking for Stadium privileges was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to act.

A communication from C. Toppe, President of the Courtland Improvement Club, anent Colby Park, was referred to Supt McLaren to investigate, find cost of water and report.

The bid of the McGilvray Stone Co. for work on Spreckels Boat House went over. Supt. McLaren was instructed to consult the architect and make a full report.

On motion by Comr. Phelan, duly seconded, the request of the Naval Provost Guard for lights in Parkmont and Jefferson Squares was granted. Same to be under direction and supervision of Supt. McLaren.

On Motion of Comr. Lloyd, duly seconded, a vote of thanks was tendered to the Fleet Entertainment Committee for its donation of $1000.00 to ornament the Stadium in Golden Gate Park. The money was placed to the order of Supt. McLaren to be expended by him.

The band of the Fifth Regt. N.G.C. was given permission to play for four Saturday afternoons in Golden Gate Park.

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned.

J. A. Colby
Secretary.

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, April 30/08.
Were present

Pres. Melson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Phelan
" Lloyd

Absent

Minutes

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was waived.

Bids for food concession at Stadium

Bids for food concession at the Stadium during the Fleet entertainment were opened and read. They were as follows. Jenkins 10% of the gross
Tait 15% " "
Huber 15% " "
Hadley 17½% " "

Privilege awarded

The privilege was awarded to John Tait he being the only one of the bidders having the proper facilities to handle the undertaking. The Board, on motion, duly seconded, passed the following resolution.

Resolved: That John Tait be employed by the Board of Park Commissioners to take charge of the refreshments at the Stadium in G. G. Park during the fleet festivities. He to furnish all supplies, labor, utensils, and, in fact, everything connected therewith with the successful carrying out of the undertaking at his own expense, and to receive as his remuneration 25% of the gross receipts. Furthermore Mr. Tait is to do nothing without the express approval of Supt. McLaren.

On motion of Com. Phelan, duly seconded, it was decided to employ Connors band to play Sundays in Golden Gate Park, during balance of fiscal year or at the pleasure of the Board.

A communication from the Third Artillery Band, asking to be employed for Sunday concerts in G. G. Park, was ordered filed.

There being no further business the meeting on motion adjourned. Hatton, Secretary.

Regular meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel May 7/08
Were present

Pres. Melson
Com. Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
" Cummings
" Phelan

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and amended by the interpolation of "four men to work," in the paragraph regarding the employment of Cassassas Band for the balance of the fiscal year.

Edgar A Matthews architect appeared and consulted with the Board on the plans and stone work for the Boat House at Spreckels Lake. It was decided to reject such proposals as had been received and to readvertise for new bids for the stone work

Resignation of Curator accepted

The resignation of H H Rogers as Curator of the Memorial Museum was read and accepted. The Board ordered spread upon the minutes that the resignation of Mr. Rogers was entirely voluntary, that he had given entire satisfaction and that his resignation was a matter of surprise and regret

Applications for the position left vacant by the resignation of Mr. Rogers were received from Messrs. Cummings, Gray and Gates and Com. Lloyd verbally presented the application of Mr. C. P. Nelson. On suggestion of Com. Lloyd action on these applications was deferred to a special meeting to be held Thursday, May 8th

A letter from Major McKinley, USA was referred to a committee, consisting of Comrs Phelan Kirkpatrick which was to confer with the military authorities and report on the range funding status & which the communication refers

Application re Stadium denied

An application from the Driving Association for exclusive use of the Stadium was denied

Concert privilege

The request of the Fifth Regiment Band for the extension of the Saturday afternoon concert privilege, was granted. Said privilege to continue at the pleasure of the Board.

Re auto ordinance

The Secretary was instructed to secure from the Secretary of State the names of S.F. automobile owners, to have printed copies of the Park automobile ordinance and regulations, and to mail a copy of same to each owner.

Offer of Chute to sell for $500 to Memorial Museum

The offer of the Chute to sell for $500 stuffed animals to the Memorial Museum, was referred to Com. Cunningham

Letter of thanks to Miss Sarah Spooner

An Engrossed letter of thanks was ordered sent to Miss. Sarah Spooner in acknowledgement of her generosity to the Memorial Museum

Vote of thanks to Com. on Decoration

A vote of thanks was given the Com. on Decoration of the Red Recemption Committee for its donation of flags, bunting and decorations to the Park

Collect $500 due from Hotel Co.

The Secretary was instructed to collect $500 due from the San Francisco Hotel Co., under their Union Square agreement

Instruct Supt. McLaren re obscene posturing

The Secretary was ordered to instruct Supt. McLaren by letter, that it was the sense of the Board that obscene posturing in Union Square be done away with.

Reports from the Curator

Reports from the Curator were read, accepted and ordered filed

Letter of thanks from Board of Education

A letter of thanks from the Board of Education was read. It was in acknowledgement

of courtesies rec'd from this Commission

A letter of thanks from the Daughters of the Revolution was received and read

Refer to Supt. McLaren

Letters from the Jules Haight Improvement Club and the Potrero Commercial Manufacturers Assn. were referred to Supt. McLaren

Adjourned

There being no further business, the meeting on motion, adjourned

F. A. Nicholas

Secretary

Regular meeting.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel June 2d, 1904.

Were present — Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings
" Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
Absent " Phelan

Minutes Sept. Read

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and approved, the report of the Supt. was placed before the Board, adopted and ordered filed.

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On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Secretary was instructed to give notice to the proper parties to have the refugee cottages in Lotus Square, the Building of the Cala. Promotion Committee in Union Square and the Board of Health Building in Jefferson Square vacated and removed therefrom within thirty days

Applications for the position of Curator of the Memorial Museum were received from Wm. Allman, Albert E. Gray and M. E. Gates. On motion of Com. Lloyd, seconded by Com. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Gray was put in nomination and unanimously elected to fill the vacancy, Com. Phelan, who was not present expressed his preference for Mr. Gray by telegram The land of the Curator was fixed at $100

The petition of K. M. Hagg to run a photograph gallery in Golden Gate Park, was denied

On motion of Com. Cummings seconded by Com. Lloyd the salary of the asst. Curator Wm. Allman, was raised from $100 per mo to $125 per mo

Inventory of Museum to be taken

It was ordered that an inventory of all articles in the Memorial Museum be taken to date and the same be checked by the Curator, A. E. Gray

Offer of gun

A letter from V. Grothwell offering for sale to the Museum a collection of guns and rifles, was turned over to Com. Lloyd and the Secretary was instructed to write Mr. Grothwell and refer him to Mr. Lloyd

Complaint of refugee cottages on Pt. Lobos

A letter from the Pt. Lobos Imp. Club complaining of refugee cottages on Pt. Lobos, lot 131 x 114 ft. was read. The Secty. was instructed to inform the Club that such territory had not yet been turned over to the Park Commissioners by the Board of Supervisors

Letter of thanks

A letter of thanks for courtesies extended, was received from the California Club

Com. Lloyd to procure carload of white and carload of purple rhododendrons for the Conservatory

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the Supt. was instructed to procure a carload of white and a carload of purple rhododendrons for the Conservatory

On motion of Com. Kirkpatrick, duly seconded, the first four dates asked for by the Park Amateur Dining Club were granted

A request for dk. from Jas. Mitchell of Cala. Hot Springs, was turned over to McLaren with power to act

An application from Wm. Sims for an electric automobile franchise in Golden Gate Park was denied

A request from the U. S. Engineers office for information regarding the closing of road in Golden Gate Park was referred to Supt. McLaren

Resolution re action of Grand Jury on automobile cases

The following resolution calling the attention of the Grand Jury to the action of the police courts in the cases of automobile owners, arrested for speeding in Golden Gate Park, was unanimously adopted.

Whereas, the Police Department has reported to the Board of Park Commissioners in substance that they have within the last four months made 150 arrests for the violation of Park Ordinances but that the Police Courts in almost every instance although the proof was clear and, in some cases flagrant, dismissed the defendant and

Whereas, the Board of Park Commissioners know it will be useless to attempt to preserve the Park rulers the penalty for the violation of its ordinances can be enforced

Now Therefore, be it resolved that the attention of the Grand Jury of the City and County of San Francisco be called to the matter and they be requested to investigate the same and see wherein the fault, if any lies.

Adjournment

There being no further business, the meeting, on motion, adjourned

J. McLaren
Secretary

Meeting.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday, June 16th 1908 were present

Pres Nelson
Com Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
" Cummings
" Phelan

Minutes

After being amended as follows, to the paragraph relating to the Curator "and be incorporated" and approved by the President" in the paragraph relating to an application for an electric automobile service to be inserted "In Childrens Play ground" the minutes of the previous meeting were accepted as ordered filed

Vote of thanks to Com Lloyd

On motion of Com. Cummings, duly seconded, an unanimous vote of thanks was tendered to Com. Lloyd in acknowledgement of his many generous gifts to the Park Museum and in recognition of the many other valuable donations that had come to G. G. Park through the influence of Mr. Lloyd

Com. Lloyd reported that the gentleman having offers to sell the Memorial Museum had called upon him and that he, Com Lloyd, hoped some day, to acquire their offer as a donation

A letter from Asst Curator Allmann, thanking the Board for a raise in salary was read and ordered filed

The report of the Curator was read accepted and ordered filed

A letter from the Southern Heights Imp. Club asking for the improvement of Jackson Park was referred to Supt McLaren for report

Request denied to attach buggy to carts

An application from the San Francisco Driving Club to be permitted to have carts behind their buggies through Golden Gate Park, was denied.

Application denied

An application from Anita M Brennan to sell cornucopias to the Children's Play Ground, was referred to Supt. McLaren with power to act.

Vote of thanks to Mrs. B.E. Henriksen

A vote of thanks was extended to Mrs. B.E. Henriksen, 1336 Fell St., for her donation of an oil painting to the Museum.

Letter re removal of Mechanics Pavilion

A letter was received from C.H. Bentley of the California Promotion Committee pointing out the advantages to be gained by the retention of the Committee Building in Union Square and requesting the Board of Park Commissioners to reconsider their order to have said building removed from off the Square within thirty days. Action on this letter was deferred until next meeting and the order to vacate was stayed until same time. The Supt. was instructed to report on the matter and the Secretary was instructed to write the Cal Promotion Committee and get from them a definite and concrete statement of what they had to propose.

A letter from Relief Home for Aged and Infirm, requesting flags, was referred to Supt McLaren with power to act.

There being no further business the meeting, on motion, adjourned.

W.H. Rea
Secretary

July 4th 1908

Board of Park Commissioners

On this day the bust of Albert E. Gray, curator of the Museum in Golden Gate Park, was received from Gov. W.H. Metson, and filed away in the Park Lodge safe, in that portion of the latter safe marked "Museum".

W.H. Rea
Secretary

Regular Meeting

At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners, held at the Fairmont Hotel, Tuesday, July 7th 1908.
Were present

Pres. Melson
Com. Cummings
Com. Lloyd

Absent Com. Kirkpatrick
" Phelan

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and accepted.

Supt's Report

The report of the Supt. was read, accepted and ordered filed and the suggestions contained therein were ordered adopted

Supervisors Pelletier, Murphy & Jennings of the Finance Committee appeared before the Board for the purpose of seeing what could be done anent the Parkside and Automobile Boulevards. The Board stated it's willingness to take control of such Boulevards, place them in proper condition and do all the necessary work on them providing the Board of Supervisors would appropriate the necessary money for the aforesaid purpose. The estimate of Supt. McLaren for oil and labor alone being $680. it was thought that $1000 would be none too much. After some friendly discussion the Committee from the Board of Supervisors decided to take the matter under advisement with the end in view of seeing what they could do toward supplying the requisite sum and to report later to the Park Commissioners their decision

The matter of the continuation of the land owned in G. G. Park was continued over until next meeting

Reports of Curator

Reports of the Curator of the Memorial Museum and of the Curator of Natural History were read accepted & ordered filed. A special report of the Curator of the Memorial Museum was read and referred to Supt McLaren who was instructed to act on such matters as demanded immediate attention and to report on the others

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded the premium on the Curator's Bond was ordered paid by the Board

Petitioning re Building

A letter from the California Promotion Committee asking that its building be allowed to remain in Union Square until such time as the Cal. P. Com. finds a permanent home, went over until next meeting for consideration

Letter re Bonds

The Secretary was instructed to write the Board of Supervisors and see about securing a proper Surcharge-filler bond for G. G. Park

Com. Lloyd volunteered to write the Postmaster concerning mail deliveries at the Museum and notify Gordon Gate Park

A letter from the Board of Health, in re the lighting in Jefferson Square, was continued over until next meeting

A letter from the U. S. Marine Hospital Service regarding an appropriation by the National Government for the Construction of a roadway from G. G. Park to the Government Reservation was read and ordered filed

Supt. McLaren informed the Board that he had been offered, by Prof Merriam, two unusual Alaskan bears of a rare and unique character. On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Pres. Melson was appointed a committee of one to inspect said bears and advise the Board thereon

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned.

J. McLaren Secretary

Meeting. At a regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel Tuesday, July 31st 1906.

Present were Comr. Nelson (Pres
" Kirkpatrick
" Cummings
" Phelan

Absent " Lloyd

Minutes. The minutes being amended so as to include the entire amount of estimated expense in re boulevard report #680. oil and Colma sand #1960 material, rock and labor, were approved and accepted

Emergency Hospital. A request from the Board of Health, through the Board of Supervisors, to permit the Cubical Emergency Hospital to remain at Jefferson Square until new quarters could be found, was granted. A similar request from the California Promotion Committee in re its building in Union Square was also granted. Both privileges to continue only at the pleasure of the Board.

A letter from the Board of Supervisors informing the Park Commissioners that the Finance Committee had decided to recommend that $500.00 be appropriated for oiling, shaping, putting in passable condition and maintaining Sloat and Junipero Serra Boulevards was read. On motion of Comr. Phelan, duly seconded, it was decided to accept such money and to expend the same to the best advantage. The Secretary was instructed to so inform the Board of Supervisors and to add that but that the Park Commissioners wished it thoroughly understood that they assumed no financial responsibility in excess of the $500.00 for either construction or maintenance expense. The Secretary was further instructed to advertise for bids on 3000 bbls, more or less, road oil from 12 to 100 tanks, O. of Portland

Automobile. A communication from McLaren re automobile ordinance went over to the next meeting for consideration

Bids opened. The bids on 4" pipe went over to next meeting for further consideration and for a report from Supt. McLaren as to the relative values of 4" gal pipe @ $15.74 per 100 ft. (Baker & Hamilton) and cast pipe @ 33.47 per ton F.O.B. Cars S.F. (U.S. Pipe Co).

Bids opened. The bids for coal, were passed up to Bro. Nelson for award

The following were the successful bidders for the various supplies for the coming fiscal year

Coal

Anthracite - Brissolare & Son 16.70 Void
Wellington " " 2240 16.50 Void

Fuel Oil

Standard 180 per Bbl

White Lead

New Era 6.00 per clw
New Era Linseed Oil .45 per gal.

Advertise for bids on Lubricated oil

Cast Iron 10"in Pipe

United States Pipe Co $33.50 per ton F.O.B.S.F.

1 1/4 Gal Pipe

Dalziel Moller .0210 per ft

1 1/2 Gal Pipe

" " " 10.90 per 100 ft

2"in Gal Pipe

" " " 14.90 per 100 ft.

4"in Gal Pipe or Cast pipe

Wheat Hay

Scott & Magner 17.50 per ton

Red Oat

" " 16.50 per ton

Wheat & Oat Hay

Somers & Co Wht & Oat 15.00 per ton

Alfalfa

" " 14.90 per ton

Rolled Barley

" " 28.40 per ton

Oats

Scott & Magner 1.85 per ctw

Bran

" " 31. per ton.

Lumber

Pope & Talbot 12 by 12 - 28 Rough Fir 16 Fir

Selected Pine

Olson Mahony 22.50

Redwood

Pope & Talbot) 22.00

Clear Redwood

Olson Mahony)
Pope & Talbot) 28 per in

Special meeting

At a special meeting of the Park Commissioners held at the Fairmont Hotel, July 28th 1908
Were present
Pres. Nelson
Com. Cummings.
" Kirkpatrick
" Lloyd
Absent Com. Phelan

Minutes

The minutes of the previous meeting having been read and approved, the principal business of the meeting, namely, the reconsideration of the coal bid came up. On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, the former award of the contract to Brizzolara & Son was set aside and Morton & Co., were given the contract. They being the lowest bidders, having complied with all provisions of the Charter regarding bids and the fact their bid was not considered at the former meeting being no fault of theirs.

Bid on coal awarded.

Mr. James Reid appeared in re Stadium Grand Stand. After some general discussion on motion of Pres. Nelson, duly seconded, it was ordered that the sum of $5000.00 be set aside to be placed at the disposal of Com. Kirkpatrick, who was appointed a committee of one, with power to act and was authorized to expend the above mentioned sum for the purpose specified and to follow his own judgement in regard to all matters connected with the construction of a grand stand in the Stadium. On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Mr. Reid was given a vote of thanks for his generosity in tendering the Commission his valuable services for nothing.

Com. Nelson, refusing on the bids for coal, which had been turned over to him, said he had rejected all bids and the Park would buy in the open market.

Contract for pipe awarded

Supt. McLaren reported that the galvanized iron pipe was better for the purposes of the Park than the same size cast pipe. The Board thereupon awarded the contract to Baker & Hamilton.

Bid for pipe

The bid of James Crook & Co. went over until the next meeting at the request of Com. Phelan.

Re changing name of East Highway to Balboa Boulevard & Board of Supervisors

The matter of the changing of the name of the East Highway to Balboa Boulevard & the Board of Supervisors came up before the Commissioners unofficially. Each Commissioner present registered his objection to any such change and sustained the right of the Board of Supervisors to take such action in regard to carrying under the jurisdiction of the Park Commissioners.

Re Ordinance

The letter of J.M. Loomis anent automobiling was read. The Board decided to make no change in the ordinance.

Com. Kirkpatrick & Cummings authorized to sign

On motion of Com. Lloyd, duly seconded, Comrs. Kirkpatrick and Cummings were authorized to sign all warrants and other official papers during the absence of Com. Nelson on vacation.

Com. Cummings reported it would cost some few dollars over the appropriation to save Hall Dewey monument and to replace material broken pieces. Mr. Cummings was told he had full power to act and whatever he did would be agreeable to the balance of the Board.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the Curator to return the Perry medal to it's holder.

There being no further business the meeting on motion, adjourned.

Secretary

Special meeting

At a special meeting held in the office of Commissioner Lloyd, Aug 6th 1905.
were present Com. Cummings (in chair)
" Lloyd
" Phelan
Absent " Milson
" Kirkpatrick

Purpose of meeting

This meeting was called for the purpose of opening bids for lubricating and fuel oil, the latter for use on Goat and Juniperro Serra Boulevards under Reg No 90

Bids received for lubricating oil

The lubricating oil 10 Bbls, more or less, was awarded The New Era Paint and Oil Co. @ 18¢ per gal.

The fuel oil, 3000 Bbls, more or less was awarded the Standard Oil Co., @ 1.19 per bbl. Their bid being the lowest bidders

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting were dispensed with and there being no further business, the meeting on motion, adjourned

H. Hess
Sec'y

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